

May 16, 2010
7th Sunday of Easter

Worship

Sunday 10AM/ Saturday 4:30PM/Friday 8AM
Reconciliation: 4PM Saturdays

Prayer Requests and Mass Intentions

- Saturday, May 15, 4:30PM**
Barlow Rozell Req. Lorry O'Connor
- Sunday, May 16, 10AM**
Donna L. Roberts (3rd Anniv.)
Req. Leonora Lucon
- Friday, May 21, 8AM**
Irene Tomac, In Memory of M/M B.A. Healy
Requested by Art and Lois Healy
- Saturday, May 22, 4:30PM**
Larry and John Miller Req. Lorraine O'Connor
- Sunday, May 23, 10AM**
Max Morehouse (9th Anniversary)
Req. Ursula Morehouse

PARISH MEETING

After each Mass next weekend, May 22 and 23
Please plan on staying for 30 minutes.
It is really important.
THANKS. SLH

Email, call, contact Sister Linda if there is something on
your mind that you would like brought up at the meeting.

**Special Collection Next Weekend
Central and Eastern
European Collection**

The Church in this region continues to have great needs for its pastoral work. Religious and political freedoms in this region of the world are still in their infancy. God's perfect love has sustained and strengthened the people and the Church, creating a new generation of believers while energizing those who clung to their faith through the darkest of times. Our donations invest in future generations of Catholics: a gift of faith to the future. Proceeds from the Collection go directly to build churches and support scholarships for ministry formation, social programs, and essential pastoral projects.

**Great Needs Remain—Give Faith to the Future
May 22 / 23**



Help Needed...

(Counts toward your "five hours for the parish".)
Let Sister Linda know if you can....

- Rake up the dead grass at the Church entrance, spread the rye seed (found on the back porch of convent), and lightly water it. (We are fighting grubs! They do not eat rye grass.) (second request)
- Behind the garage is a huge piece of glass that is broken. (??) Could someone safely remove it? Let slh know. Thanks! (second request)
- The wrought iron handrail needs a bit of sanding and painting. Could you touch it up? All that is needed will be provided. (second request)
- There is a large dead tree, just left of the garage. Do you know how to cut down a tree?
- The wrought iron behind the garage needs to be brought to a junk metal dealer. Can anyone do that?

News from Neighbors

Blessed Sacrament, Bolton Landing 644-3861
Sacred Heart, Lake George 668-2046
Saint Isaac Jogues, Chestertown 494-5229
St. James, North Creek 251-2518

St. Benedict Priory, Chestertown

www.prioryretreathouse.org 494-3733
In our own backyard!

Directed Retreat Sunday, June 13, 4 pm – Saturday, June 19, 11 am **Soul Collage Workshop**
Saturday, June 5, 10am-3pm **Co-Dependency;**
Healing the Human Condition June 6 10am to 3 pm
June 12th Sat 10am – 3pm "ENTERTAINING ANGELS" AND MORE!!! (just 15 miles north)

FUN!!!! Go to www.stceciliachurch.com then click on teach, then "baby food." Surprise!!

Save a Seat at St. C's

It is as if St. Cecilia's nave is always full of people we love and who love St. C's. If you would like to have a seat in honor of or memory of someone special, please make a donation of \$55 and let us know who the special person is! (\$50 is tax deductible.) Before long, his/her name will appear!

Serve

**BISHOP'S APPEAL
Plus School Assessment = \$30,629.**

- To date, 96 households have pledged/paid a total of \$20,359 to the Bishop's Appeal.
 - To date, 5 households have pledged/paid \$170 toward the school assessment.
- \$20,529 out of \$30,629 has been pledged/paid.**

These assessments are a parish bill. It would be terrific if the entire parish participated in the payment thereof.

Of the 200 households left, if you each gave \$1 a week toward this parish bill, we would not have to use the Sunday collection or savings. We need those for ordinary expenses.

"I cannot give to the Bishop's Appeal for reasons other than financial."

No problem. Then give to the school assessment! It is saving St. C's!

Thank you for your sense of fairness.

Financial Stewardship

Last weekend, the Community offered \$1577 toward the maintenance costs and salaries at St. C's.

North Country Ministry

**3933 Main Street =
North Country Ministry!**
Clothing Center and Baby's Place
9-12 Monday 9-1 Tuesday
1-4 Wednesday, Thursday, Friday



Last month at the Baby's Place at NCM's Warrensburg Center, 79 adults who care for 109 children were assisted in some way. Of those, 44 adults and 63 children were from Warrensburg/Athol. They were helped with 3 cribs, 2 bassinets, 1 high chair, 1 swing, 55 diapers, 2 mattresses, 2 strollers, 2 bouncy seats, and 2 "Pack N' Plays". In our name, North Country Ministry reaches out to those in need in exactly the way Jesus would want us to. (Don't ever hesitate to go to 3933 Main to just look around.... Or volunteer!)

God Bless St. C's Folks who volunteer with North Country Ministry!

- Gathering Place:**
Ulla Morehouse, Irene Harrison, Brenda Beadnell
- Clothing Center:**
Gerri Howe, Doreen Cooper, Linda Apple, Brenda Beadnell
- Baby's Place:**
Joe Klewicki (runs car seat program), Sally Maloney, Lorry O'Connor, Alice Damp, Brenda Beadnell

Mucho Gracias...

- To Ralph Rivera who offered to print the experimental envelopes...
WHY ARE WE DOING THIS?
It will save money, give choices, and make the bookkeeping easier. Producing the tax statement in January will be a snap!
(It is not too late to jump on board!
Just email slh and ask for a set of envelopes.)
- To Joe Klewicki for mowing the lawn and John Blydenburg for working on the trimming this past week ... again!
- And to Dana Robichaud for sharpening the blades on the mower.
- And to the Mother's Day Brunch Workers: Chuck and Jacob Johnson, Kevin and Gabe Belanger, John and Mackenzie Blydenburgh, Tom Birkholz, Paul Cain, and Jessica Birkholz's Dad!
- And Marilyn Hayes for making hospital visits in our name this week.

NEW CUSTOMS AT SAINT C'S STARTING TODAY

- #1 Let's be extra hospitable to visitors**
 - a) When we see someone we do not recognize, we will exchange a greeting and pleasantries
 - b) For first-timers, we will show how the music menu works, the prayer on the back of the book, and the GREEN BASKET. (Please say that an offering on the way out is as good as the one on the way in!)
 - c) Try to not sit on the aisle so latecomers will easily find a seat.
- #2 Let's not chew gum during Mass**
 - a) out of respect
 - b) to keep the Eucharistic Fast
 - c) it is tough to get it out of the rug

Teach

Today, Sunday, May 16 and 23, there will be regular faith formation sessions held. Memorial weekend, there is no class. On June 6, the closing Picnic will be held at the Fish Hatchery for everyone who worships at St. C's.. For a complete schedule, for all grades, go to www.stceciliachurch.com and click on "Teach."

Contact **Phyllis Welsh** for further info:
361-3765

ADULT EDUCATION

Walk-ins are welcome,
but signing up ahead of time
guarantees handouts!.

May 20, 27, and June 3
STARTS THIS THURSDAY
Thursdays 2-4 P or 6:30-8:30P

CHRISTOLOGY

Held at St. Michael's in South Glens Falls...
Easy to find.... On Route 9
Sign up by emailing:
nccafe@stceciliachurch.com
Or sign up on the poster in the narthex.
(Great Course—Free Will Offering
Take one class or all three.... Or two!)

- May 20: "Scripture and the Historical Jesus; Christology from Above and Below",
- May 27: "Models of Jesus in the New Testament and Classical Dogma"
- June 3: "Current Models of Christology for Our Time: Implications for Our Faith Journey".

(Check Narthex poster for carpooling info.)

**7 Weeks... July 3... We are off!!
WOW! YAHOO!**

**Youth Mission Trip to North Carolina!!
BREADBOX & BOTTLES**

Please by a chance or ten on the beautiful bread box created by Dick Ouellette
\$2 a chance.... 6 for \$10



AND
Bring your "returnables" to "Direct Deposit" across from Bill's Diner and say, "St. C's." The kids need to raise another \$975!

This Week

- Sun Grades K-6, 9&10 meet 11A—Noon
- Tues 11:30A –12:30P Lunch at Gathering Place
- Wed 7P Voice Lessons
- Thurs 2-4 / 6:30-8:30 Christology Course
6:30P Finance Council
7P RCIA
- Fri 11:30-A12:30P Lunch at Gathering Place
- Sat 5:15-5:45P Parish Meeting after Mass
- Sun Short Confirmation Ritual during Mass
10:45-1:15A Parish Meeting after Mass

Coming Soon

- May 24 North to Alaska for Tour and Cruise!
- May 27, June 3 Christology Course
- June 6 Faith Formation Family Picnic
- July 3 Mission Trip to North Carolina
- July 19-23 Vacation Bible Adventure
- August 2-6 West Wing Summer Camp
- August 15 St. Cecilia's Annual Golf Tournament

Golf Tournament



Go to the opening page of www.stceciliachurch.com and click on: "click here" AWESOME!!

It is easy to sign up for this great fundraiser!

HERE IS HOW YOU CAN HELP MAKE THE GOLF TOURNAMENT AN EXTRA SUCCESS:

For \$100, a terrific sign can be made advertising a business, wishing luck, remembering a loved one, etc. Anything appropriate for a church tournament! \$80 is tax deductible. It is really good PR for businesses. Do you have a business? Or Could you ask your boss? If yes, tell Tim Morrison or Betty Kusky or Gail DeMarsh. Businesses/Persons supporting the Tournament so far: Krystal Chrysler Jeep Dodge Inc., Phyllis Welsh, Ed & Alice Damp.