

31st Sunday Ordinary Time November 3, 2013

WE GATHER

THIS WEEK

Saturday 4:30 Eucharist (4PM Reconciliation)
 Fr Cox's 39th Birthday Party After Mass
 Sunday 10AM Eucharist
 NO Faith Formation today:
 2PM Confirmation / Reception
 Tuesday 10AM Adult Home Comm. Service
 8 PM AA Jaracz Hall
 Thursday 12N AA Jaracz Hall
 Friday 8AM Eucharist
 Nxt.Saturday 4:30 Eucharist (4 Reconciliation)
 Nxt Sunday 10AM Eucharist
 11AM, Faith Formation K-6

COMING SOON

11/11 7P Women's Spirituality
 11/12 6P Ministers of Care Mtg
 11/13 6:30-8:30P Pastoral Council Mtg
 11/17 4-7P Faith Formation Grades 7-12



Happy 85th Birthday FATHER PAUL COX!

*Where would we be without YOU???!
 Thank you for your commitment to St. Cecilia's.
 We love you!!*



Today, November 3, 2PM

the Sacrament of Confirmation

will be bestowed on 37 young men and women from Northern Warren County by **Bishop Howard Hubbard**.



The young people from St. C's to be fully initiated into the Roman Catholic Church are: Tina Gosselin, Austin West, Melenie Warner, Tyler Toolan, Ellen Jones, Joseph Schuster, Aineen Callahan,

Shane Putney, Julie Angell, Amanda Gee. Blessings and Congratulations. This is a huge step in the direction of Mature Catholic Christian Faith. These young people are now fully initiated into the Church.



Volunteers are needed by North Country Ministry. Please consider giving 2-3 hours a week of your time to help NCM provide services essential to the ministry's effectiveness. If interested, please call Barbara Mahaffey at 623-2829.

Thank you for remembering food for the pantry, detergent for AIDS ministry, and emergency cash for NCM.

WE WORSHIP

Mass Intentions

Sat, 11/2 4:30PM INTENTIONS OF FR. PAUL COX
 Sun 11/3 10 AM INTENTIONS OF BISHOP HUBBARD
 Friday, 11/8 8AM _____ (Available)
 Saturday, 11/9 4:30PM IDA MILLER
 Req. by daughter, Lorry O'Connor
 Sunday, 11/10 10AM ANTHONY GURDO
 Req. by Diane Newell & Family



Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Sacred Heart Church

Every Wednesday, 8:30am - 9pm
 Chaplet of Divine Mercy - Wednesdays 3pm.

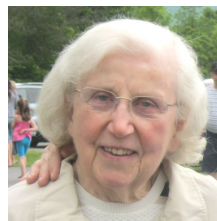
Prayer Chain: Contact Alice Damp 623-3618 or edaldamp@yahoo.com



November's "tabernacle candle" burns in loving memory of **Jean and Norbert Gralewski**, requested by their daughter, Violet Spatz.



In Loving Memory of Sister Mary Brady RSCJ, we have a new Processional Cross donated by Cathy Sinnott in honor of her dad, Dr. Abraham Sinnott. Thank you Cathy... And we miss you, Sister Mary!!



We Serve

SHARING TREASURE

Last Sunday: \$2,347.49

(Thank you to all who "make up" after an absence.)
 Make-Up = \$521 Gifts = \$1033 Fuel = \$150
 World Mission Sunday = \$45 Debt Reduction = \$105
 Maintenance/Repair = \$50 Youth Mission Trip = \$2
 Faith Formation = \$405 No. Country Ministry = \$30

News from Neighbors

The Priory in Chestertown (www.prioryretreathouse.org)

Go to the web page for details, See flyers on the bulletin board, or call 494-3733. Some really nice opportunities await us! Example: **LIVING AGELESSLY.** Does aging frighten you? Using Richard Johnson's book, *The 12 Keys to Spiritual Vitality*, join us as we tap into the wisdom and grace that comes with aging. Sunday, November 17, 10am-3pm, at the Priory Retreat House in nearby Chestertown. Donation \$45-55 (as you are able) includes lunch. For information and reservations, please call 494-3733

The Dominican Retreat House

located in Niskayuna offers many opportunities... details are on the bulletin board or at www.dslcny.org

North Country Ministry 623-2829
 3933 Main Street Clothing Center & Baby's Place
9-12 Mon/ 9-12 Tues/ 1-4 Wed, Thurs, Fri.
 Every Tuesday and Friday, NCM serves a hot lunch at the Presbyterian Church on Stewart Farrar Street.

WE TEACH

Faith Formation Schedule

Next Sunday Special Project, K-6
November 17 & 24, Regular Gathering, K-6:
11AM= "Catholic Culture & Customs"
11:20- 11:45AM = Bible Story
11:45-12Noon = Biblical Snack

November 17th, 4-7PM is the next gathering of grades 7-12.

Jarod West Matt Gerrain /// Jayden Cain Allyssa Birkholz



Jimmy Cunniffe, Travis Gosselin Nick Putney

Tommy Birkholz Brenton Southwick

Many thanks to many folks....

Last Sunday during 7-12 Faith Formation, our wonderful high-schoolers gave an hour of time to the parish by raking leaves and hauling chairs for Confirmation. Thank you to Alyssa and Tommy Birkholz, Jayden Cain, Jimmy Cunniffe, Matthew Gerrain, Travis Gosselin, Nick Putney, Brenton Southwick and Jarod West. You are the best! Thank you to the 7-12 catechist, Emily Kladis, and to Marco Polo's (Steve Schiappa) for the donation of pizza. Thank you to Brian Angell for his assistance with the Confirmation retreat last weekend, and to Gail DeMarsh, for not only giving her love & time, and sharing her faith with our Confirmandi. Thank you to the parents for so faithfully encouraging their adolescents to be persons of faith, prayer, and integrity. Thank you to Judy Rozell for helping arrange and rearrange our nave for the celebration, plus all the ways she keeps the church so clean in between all the celebrations. We thank Richelene Morey and Sue Shepler for the new Confirmation banners over the Stations and the MANY cookie bakers for the Confirmation Reception... AND Betty Kusky for five different home-made soups and Judy Rozell for the home-made chili and Villa bread for the "staff luncheon." Thank you to Rozanne and Dave Degen for hosting the luncheon and to Erin and Jimmy Cunniffe for serving at Confirmation. We thank Joe Ehle, Dennis Coker, Cheryl York, Emily Doyle, and Diane Newell for participating in the Confirmation Music Ministry. Thanks! Peter and Donna Wood put West Wing's screen house, garage, and lawn "to bed" for the winter. Thank you! And thanks to Dick Ouellette for installing the winter windows in the church basement. (All we need is frozen pipes!) Dick also responded immediately to a call about being locked out of the rectory! Dick and Laura Tennyson put the final touches on the new curtain in the church hall. (This was a huge project.) Gail DeMarsh and Emily Kladis were the catechists last Sunday, Ellen Hickson served the disciples in their boat for a snack (ie raisins in a pear half!), and Jane Skorko and Jim Hickson served as "bouncers." Tina Gosselin ably taught our youngsters about our saints, leading up to Friday's "All Saints Day." Ann Rubin "observed" and learned names for next weekend's "Special Project," which she will direct.

[note: We are trying to introduce our kids to as many folks of faith as possible... so we are asking for parish adults to be involved in Faith Formation, just once! Offer to tell your favorite New Testament story. So far, we know all about the Wedding at Cana and the Storm on the Lake. Speak to Gail DeMarsh or SLH]

"When we prepare a plate of food and we see that it needs salt, well, we "put on" salt; when it needs oil, then you "put on" oil.

"To put on," that is, to place on top of, to pour over.

I say to each one of you, "Put on Faith..."



"Live in such a way that those who know you but don't know God will come to know God because they know you."