

November 2, 2008
The Feast of All Souls

This Week

Saturday

10-2 Make a Difference Day
(again!)

4:30 Baptism of Emma Belanger

5:30 P "Cake for Father Cox"

Sunday

Enrollment Ritual - 1st Reconciliation

K-6 Super Sunday

Parents with Beth Callahan

Grades 7 & 8 Meet today

Cake for Father Cox's 80th B'day

2-4PM, NCM Open House

Monday

10A-Noon Babies' Day Out

Tuesday

11:30A-1P GATHERING PLACE

8P AA IN HALL:

Wednesday

6:30-7P Bible for Beginners ...

7-8:30P Course on Paul at St Mike's

Thursday

10A Adult Home Communion Srv.

7PM Inquiry Class, Convent

Friday

9AM EUCHARIST

11:30A-1P GATHERING PLACE

Next Sunday

10A Baptism of Avary Belanger

SOON

11/16 Guided Labyrinth Walk

12/6 Confirmation

9/2010 Oberammergau

WORSHIP

This Weekend at Eucharist,

We will remember our deceased loved ones in a special way. If you have lost a loved one, family or friend, since last year at this time, please come prepared to mention their name during Mass. We will light a candle for each one.



At the request of her grandparents, John and Brenda Beadnell, our sanctuary lamp will burn the entire month of November in memory of Katie Beadnell who died in an auto accident two years ago. May Katie rest in Peace and her family be consoled.

Eucharist This Week 11/1-2

4:30 Katie Dawn Beadnell (2nd Anniv)

req Gram & Grandpa Beadnell

10 Intentions Father Paul Cox (80th Birthday)

req. St.C's Parish

Fri 9A Chad Byrnes req Mary Barlow

Eucharist Next Week 11/8-9

4:30 Vera Gregory req. Peter & Janet Clarke

10 Richard Welsh req. Laura Welsh

Fri 9 Intentions of LaFond Family req. Claire

Area Churches:

SACRED HEART Lake George

668-2046

BLESSED SACRAMENT Bolton Landing

644-3861

ST. JOHN the BAPTIST Chestertown

Call 494-5229



GATHER

HAPPY 80TH, FATHER PAUL COX!!



How are we so lucky to have the BEST PRIEST in the WHOLE WORLD right here at St C's!?

GOD BLESS YOU, FATHER COX...

OVER AND OVER AND OVER!

AND THANK YOU FOR BEING OUR PRIEST!

WE LOVE YOU!

(and want you here for 80 more years!)

As we celebrate the Feasts of All Saints and All Souls, it is comforting to remember that all who have gone before us are actually with us around the Table of the Lord! We look at our windows and remember our fore mothers and fathers who sacrificed to build a home for our Church in Warrensburg. We see names like Ryan, Ashe, Connolly. We look at our name plates on our chairs and remember that our loved ones are with us as we Praise God! It is comforting to walk into St. Cecilia's Nave and know that we are surrounded by fellow disciples... some we see and some we do not! Seats most recently "saved" have been: a seat for Father Cox in honor of his 80th Birthday by Sisters Catherine, Mary, & Linda, as well as Dawn Brunner, Phyllis Welsh, and Judy Rozell; a seat is saved in memory of Margaret P. Clarke, one of our Summerites, saved by her husband Bill; and Barbara Ouellette has saved a seat for her mom, Marist J. Schlutow, who loved our little church! When we see the names, we can pray for them and ask them to pray for us!!

"Save a Seat at St. C's"

\$55 will "Save a Seat," in memory or honor of a Saint Cecilia worshipper!

♪♪ "AVON CALLING" ♪♪

Help us to sell \$2000 in Avon products - \$400 - \$800 profit can be ours!! Just 2 weeks - all orders and money due back to Richelene Morey no later than 11/23 - Information, Brochures and order blanks available in the Narthex next weekend, November 8-9. Christmas stocking stuffers ... beautiful inspirational gifts by Thomas Kinkade and others and of course, all of Avon's regular products! (All proceeds will go toward decreasing our debt.)

Four Fundraisers are in progress to help us reduce our debt on the renovation:

#1 The BOOTBENCH has just 10 tickets left. Only 50 will be sold, each for \$10 **#2 The DOLLHOUSE** tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5 **#3 NOTECARDS** are \$5 a pack. **#4 AVON** Stocking Stuff

Thank you to the folks who work so hard to reduce the debt. Since January, they have raised \$16,500!!!! At this writing, we owe \$11,384 for the Hall Renovation and \$93,976.69 on the Church. Mucho Gracias to those who have faithfully paid on their pledge!!

TEACH

ADULTS

Fall Course on Saint Paul at St Michael's in South Glens Falls Wed Nov 5 7P (\$5)

**6:30-7P, "Bible Basics", same venue

Many opportunities are available via the Priory in Chestertown. Go to their web site at www.prioryretreathouse.org or call 494-3733.

Would you like to be put on the emailing list for NC CAFÉ? (North Country Continuing Adult Faith Enrichment) Just email Nancy Normandin at grace2u@nycap.rr.com and ask her to put you on the list.

RCIA Two folks in "Inquiring" about joining the Catholic Church: Sherri Blydenburgh and John Cleveland. Our Thursday evening discussions are lively and full of questions, and even a few answers!

Not Catholic?

Catholic, but been away a long time?

Need catching up?

Baptized, maybe even First Communion, but never Confirmed? ☆

★ RITES OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

might be your answer! Inquire.

Contact either Gail DeMarsh (623-9457) or find her in the narthex at 10AM E..

"Get-Togethers" on Thursdays, 7pm

or contact Sister Linda (623-3021)

CONFIRMATION

Bianca Fuller, Nico Paniccea, and Hayley Correia are preparing to confirm their desire to be a disciple of Jesus through the Roman Catholic Church. They will meet three Sundays in November to continue their discernment..

YOUTH

Gr 7/8 Fall Classes, 11AM-Noon:

Nov 2,9,16,23

CHILDREN

Grades K-6

Today November 2 SUPER SUNDAY

Next Sunday: Regular Gathering

TODDLERS to GRADE 2

Each Sunday Eucharist at 10AM

Children's Liturgy of the Word

BABIES

November 3, Mon, 10A-Noon,

Church Hall Babies' Day Out

SERVE



ALL ARE WELCOME

Today, Sunday!

North Country Ministry is proud to announce the purchase of a house at 3933 Main Street, across from the Post Office. This will become a local site for information and outreach services. Please drop by for a look today, Sunday, November 2, 2-4 pm and find out about plans for its use and how you can be part of this exciting project.

This WEEKEND Food for the Pantry, Detergent for the AIDS Ministry, and extra cash for the North Country Ministry Emergency Fund. TY!!

Financial Stewardship Last weekend, the community offered \$1685.50 to support the ministry and maintenance of Saint Cecilia's. We were reimbursed \$247.05 for the returnables! Thank you

Stewardship of Time & Talent

West Wing: Thank you to Dick Heyer who checked on WW after a recent retreatant left; to Rich Morasse for preparing West Wing for the Winter

by draining the pipes; to Pete Wood for closing up the Screen House and checking the trails.. **Convent:**

Thank you to Dick Ouellette for fixing the faith formation chairs to insure that they do not scratch the wooden floors. and Dick Tennyson for trimming the tree. **Church:** Thank you to Deborah Stephenson

for typing up the new music menu and to Irene Harrison and Ellen Barlow for inserting them in the music books. **Fundraising:** Thank you to Richelene Morey, Gerri Howe, and Lynn Smith for planning and organizing the Fashion Show... And to the beautiful models: Gail Demarsh, Lynn Smith, Gerri Howe, Ruth Fruda, Nicole Newell, Erica Gundel, Davida Paniccia, and Jessica Ehle. The food was fabulous and fashions were just lovely! Thank you, as well, to the many wonderful folks who supported the event. **Garage:** Thank you to Joe Moran for fixing the Garage Doors, one more time!! **Ministry:** We thank Kathryn Frentzos for her many years of "collection counting." Kay has decided to take the winter off! At 97, she has that right! However, we expect her back when the snow stops flying!

Help is Needed....

(These count toward your five hours for the Parish!)

- ◆ Parts of a tree are lying behind the convent... there for the taking. It will be available until Tuesday.
- ◆ Tuesday or after, the remains of the tree in the backyard need to be brought to the landfill. "Got Truck?"
- ◆ The sink in the "runway room" at church has been leaking for years. Does anyone want to fix it?
- ◆ The bathroom sink in the convent leaks. It has been "babied along" for about six months. That didn't help. Can you?
- ◆ The old time crèche figures are in the garage attic. We would like to use them this year. Two people are needed to bring them down. (They are light... But awkward.)
- ◆ The air conditioner for the Hall is currently in the hall closet, and totally in the way! Using the dolly from the garage, two people could easily move it to the garage for the winter.
- ◆ Could someone rev up the snow blower just to make sure that it works? (You don't have to fix it ... Just see if it starts.)

(Sorry to be asking for the above help... It is just that we have no maintenance person and no organized team of helpers. The Parish Life Director has her wrist in a brace and is not supposed to even use it let alone lift air conditioners! There are a number of women who try to but shouldn't do the "heavy lifting." There are a few parishioners who seem to answer every plea for help. Maybe there are a few other folks who could help once in a while. You? Once?)

Kay Frentzos



WHY WOMEN SHOULD VOTE

This is the story of our grandmothers and great-grandmothers; they lived only 90 years ago.

Remember, it was not until 1920 that women were granted the right to go to the polls and vote.

The women were innocent and defenseless, but they were jailed nonetheless for picketing the White House, carrying signs asking for the vote.



Dora Lewis

They hurled Dora Lewis into a dark cell, smashed her head against an iron bed and knocked her out cold. Her cellmate, Alice Cosu, thought Lewis was dead and suffered a heart attack. Additional affidavits describe the guards grabbing, dragging, beating, choking, slamming, pinching, twisting and kicking the women.



Thus unfolded the Night of Terror on Nov. 15, 1917 when the warden at the Occoquan Workhouse in Virginia ordered his guards to teach a lesson to the suffragists imprisoned there because they dared to picket Woodrow Wilson's White House for the right to vote. For weeks, the women's only water came from an open pail. Their food, all of it colorless slop, was infested with worms.



Lucy Burns

By the end of the night, they were barely alive. Forty prison guards wielding clubs and their warden's blessing went on a rampage against the 33 women wrongly convicted of obstructing sidewalk traffic.

They beat Lucy Burns, chained her hands to the cell bars above her head and left her hanging for the night, bleeding and gasping for air.



Alice Paul

When one of the leaders, Alice Paul, embarked on a hunger strike, they tied her to a chair, forced a tube down her throat and poured liquid into her until she vomited. She was tortured like this for weeks until word was smuggled out to the press.

<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/collections/suffrage/nwp/prisoners.pdf>

So, PLEASE, get out to vote and use this right for which these very courageous women worked so hard!