

October 18, 2020 – The 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

# ***ST. ISAAC JOGUES***

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**THEME**

We want a just world. We cannot have one if we ourselves are unjust. Our God wields justice and mercy. We, then, learn to practice justice, mercifully.

Holy Mass Intentions

Saturday, October 17-St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop

8:00am Intentions of the Barba Family  
5:00pm †Mary Fogliano

Sunday, October 18-The 29<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am †Robert Keenan  
10:30am †Dave Smith  
12:00pm †Patty Ann Valle  
5:00pm People of St. Isaac Jogues

Monday, October 19-Sts. John de Brebeuf & Isaac Jogues  
Priests, Martyrs

8:00am †Beryle Shive  
12:05pm †L. A. O'Donnell

Tuesday, October 20-St. Paul of the Cross, Priest

8:00am †Michael Patrick Griffin  
12:05pm †Diana Chiacchiere

Wednesday, October 21

8:00am †Richard Ayrovainen  
12:05pm Living Members of the Walsh & Scheidel Families

Thursday, October 22-St. John Paul II, Pope

8:00am †Nicholas & Yolanda Fazzini  
12:05pm †Carmella, Bernard & Gina Guarascio

Friday, October 23-St. John of Capistrano, Priest

8:00am Intentions of Sister Eileen Tiernan  
12:05pm †Jimmy & Draga Miller

Saturday, October 24-St. Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop

8:00am Intentions of Anthony Prettitore  
5:00pm People of St. Isaac Jogues

Sunday, October 25-The 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

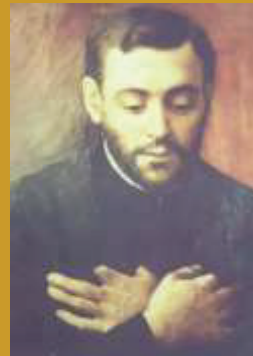
8:00am †Winifred & Logan Miller  
10:30am Intentions of Alexis Beck  
12:00pm Intentions of Peggy McCarty  
5:00pm †Deceased Members of the Aquilante & Hart Families

The Readings for the Weekend of October 24 & 25

First Reading – Isaiah 45:1, 4-6 (145A)  
Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10  
Second Reading – 1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b  
Gospel – Matthew 22:15-21



*You can easily judge the character of a man by how he treats those who can do nothing for him. (James Miles)*



St. Isaac Jogues was born in Orleans, France on January 10, 1607 and was ordained to the priesthood, July 2, 1636, as a member of the Society of Jesus.

On June 29, 1930, St. Isaac Jogues and his companion martyrs were enrolled among the saints by Pope Pius XI. St.

Isaac and his companions, “The North American Martyrs”. In 1636 he was sent to Quebec, Canada, as a missionary to the Huron Indians. He was tortured and imprisoned by the Iroquois in 1642. The Dutch at Fort Orange (Albany, New York) honored on October 19th, their feast.



PARISH REGISTRATION

A warm welcome to all who have recently moved into a home or apartment within our Parish neighborhood! We invite you to contact the Rectory office in order to register and to receive information about our Parish services.



**Drive Safely School Has Started!**

THIS WEEK AT ST. ISAAC'S



Anyone wishing to make a donation to keeping flowers in the Sanctuary every weekend please contact the Rectory Office.

**Second Collection** – The Second Collection this weekend will be for Mission Sunday.

**Adult Formation** - Why is the Eucharist so important to Catholics? Tuesday October 20<sup>th</sup>, in the Parish Hall 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm -- Bishop Barron will be talking about this most important sacrament and its spiritual effects. After the video there will be time for questions and discussion. All are welcome to join us for this adult faith formation series at St. Isaac Jogues. We will meet in the parish hall as usual, but due to Covid-19 restrictions, all are required to wear a mask and maintain social distancing. Pre-packaged refreshments will be available. Please contact Tony & Cathy Witzak for information or questions. [tony-cathy@comcast.net](mailto:tony-cathy@comcast.net)

**RE-OPENING** – In this time of covid, St. Isaac Jogues Parish Hall will re-open on a restricted basis for **parish groups** to meet, following public health guidelines and protocol. If your group is interested in scheduling the Church Hall, please contact the Parish Office. **Please note the kitchen will not be available.** Social gatherings (including birthday, shower celebrations, funeral luncheons etc.) will not be permitted until further notice.



The Youth Group will be selling pumpkins after all Masses this weekend and next weekend October 24 & 25.

**Stockings for Soldiers** - The Knights of Columbus are collecting items for the military at Christmas. This is the 17th year for this huge operation in Wilmington. We need the following: Trail Mix, Beef Slim Jims, Cracker Jacks, Flavored Drink Mix (singles) etc. Put your items in the bin in the Parish Hall. **Last Collection Date: Monday Nov. 2.**

**Prayer in Honor of St. Isaac Jogues**

Jesus, our Brother, you won the heart of St. Isaac Jogues and helped him grow as a caring courageous person. He dedicated his life to sharing his love for you by carrying the good news about love for all people to others. Remembering the spirit of St. Isaac Jogues, may we all grow in caring and courage. Help each of us, Jesus, to be strong and gentle messengers of your love. Amen



Behold the manner of love the Father hath bestowed upon us. (1 John 3:1)

**Pray for our Sick**

Roberta Adams, Bobbie Bauer, Bernie & Catherine Brill, David Rayl, Roger Burgess, Barry Church, John Deenis, Tahlia Fernandez, Bud Gosnell, Farzanh Hafezi, Pary Hafezi, Patricia Kaine, Francesca Monastero, Jeanette and Patrick Muldoon, Annette McCauley, Mary McNabb, Jacob Nichols, Steve Pannella, Elaine & Jim Pizzo, David Rothhaar, Bill Seeger, Elizabeth Spillane, Maureen Travagline, Kenneth Turley, Alicia Uribe, Joan Williams, Brian Wood and all our homebound, parishioners in nursing homes and hospitals.

**Remember the members of our Military:**

TSgt. Megan Burton, US Air Force  
Sgt. Ryan Burke, US Marine Corp  
Sgt. Bruno Sicilia, US Army, Iraq  
Capt. Adam Bouvier, US Army, Iraq/Kuwait  
Maj. Katherine L. DePaul JA, US Army  
Lt. Colonel Patrick Mulloney, US Army  
1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Joseph C. Toole, US Marine Corp  
Commander Brian M. Lauber, US Navy  
1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Daniel Door, US Army  
Pvt. 1<sup>st</sup> Class Travis Pannella, US Army



We know our prayers are heard and answered. Please call the Rectory when the individual's health improves or they have returned home from service duty so they can be removed from the list.

**Pray for our country and its leaders in this time of unrest.**

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SUNDAY FIRST COLLECTIONS

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Last Year:	\$ 472,280
Change:	\$ -60,396
% Change	-13%

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**Rachael's Vineyard Ministries** – Post-Abortion Healing Retreat – November 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>. For more information call/email: Lauren at 215-720-5828 or [RachelsVineyardGP@gmail.com](mailto:RachelsVineyardGP@gmail.com). All inquires are strictly confidential. Financial aid is offered if needed.

**Two Evening Virtual Retreat Option:** Malvern Retreat House has developed a series of modified special retreats for the remainder of 2020. These retreats are open to anyone. The theme of the Retreat is "In Challenging Times – Take Heart and Have Courage." Father Jim McGuinn will lead the group in this Retreat. The Upcoming Dates **Oct. 20/22; Nov. 16/17; Dec. 8/9**. Register at [malvernretreat.com/register](http://malvernretreat.com/register) or call 610-644-0400.

**One Day Retreat (on-site and virtual):** This retreat is open to anyone. We will continue with the theme of "In Challenging Times – Take Heart and Have Courage." Father Jim McGuinn will lead the group in this Retreat. The Upcoming Dates **October 21, November 10, and December 3**. Register at [malvernretreat.com/register](http://malvernretreat.com/register) or call 610-644-0400.

**The Brother House**, -a work of the Legion of Mary, takes care of approximately **40-50 homeless men** in the Norristown area on Wednesday and Sunday evenings. The men take showers, and need clean clothes to put on after the shower. T-shirts, underwear, white athletic socks and work pants are needed all year around. **No suits or dress clothes**. Please drop off **SEASONAL** donations of such items at the Rectory.



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If you, or someone you know, is interested in learning more about Catholic Faith and Worship contact Louis Valenti at 610-687-2481 or email [SIJDRE@gmail.com](mailto:SIJDRE@gmail.com).

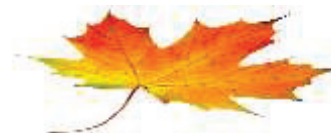
YOUTH MINISTRY

St. Isaac Jogues Youth Ministry offers the unique opportunity for youth, grades six through twelve, to fully immerse themselves in the Catholic Faith. Activities within the community, socials, spiritual and service events, worship services and athletics provide the means for the youth to establish and strengthen relationships with others. At the heart of this group is the mission of realizing God's significance in the world and to live as Christ in word and deed.

*"Youth Minister Getting the Youth's Attention"*



CHURCH HUMOR



Items for the Bulletin should be submitted in writing by noon on Thursday of the week before to the Parish Secretary, email [carol@stisaac.org](mailto:carol@stisaac.org), for approval by the Pastor.

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