

April 17, 2022 – The Resurrection of the Lord

# ST. ISAAC JOGUES

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass Mon-Fri 8 am & 12:05pm. in the Church.

The Chapel will open at 7:30am with Exposition from 8:30am to 8pm Seven days a week.

**Saturday:** 8am Daily & 5pm Vigil

**Sunday:** 8 & 10:30am, 12 Noon & 5pm

National Holidays: 9am

If the National Holiday falls on a week day there will be only one daily Mass at 12:05 pm the next day if it is a week day.

Holy Day: 8am, 12:05pm & 7:30pm

Christmas Day : 8am, 10:30am, & 12pm

New Years Day 8am & 12:05pm & 5pm

Night of Reparation – 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 7:30 pm

## SACRAMENTS

**Sacrament of Reconciliation:**

Saturday 3:45 to 4:45pm and after the 12:05pm Mass on First Friday only.

**Sacrament of Baptism:** Arrangements for the Sacrament of Baptism are to be made at the Rectory Office.

**Sacrament of Marriage:**

Arrangements for the Sacrament of marriage must be made at least six months before the intended wedding to allow time to gather the necessary documents and for Pre-Cana preparations.

**Sacrament of the Sick:** Please call the Office.

Rectory Office Hours-Mon. thru Thurs. 7:30am -2:30pm

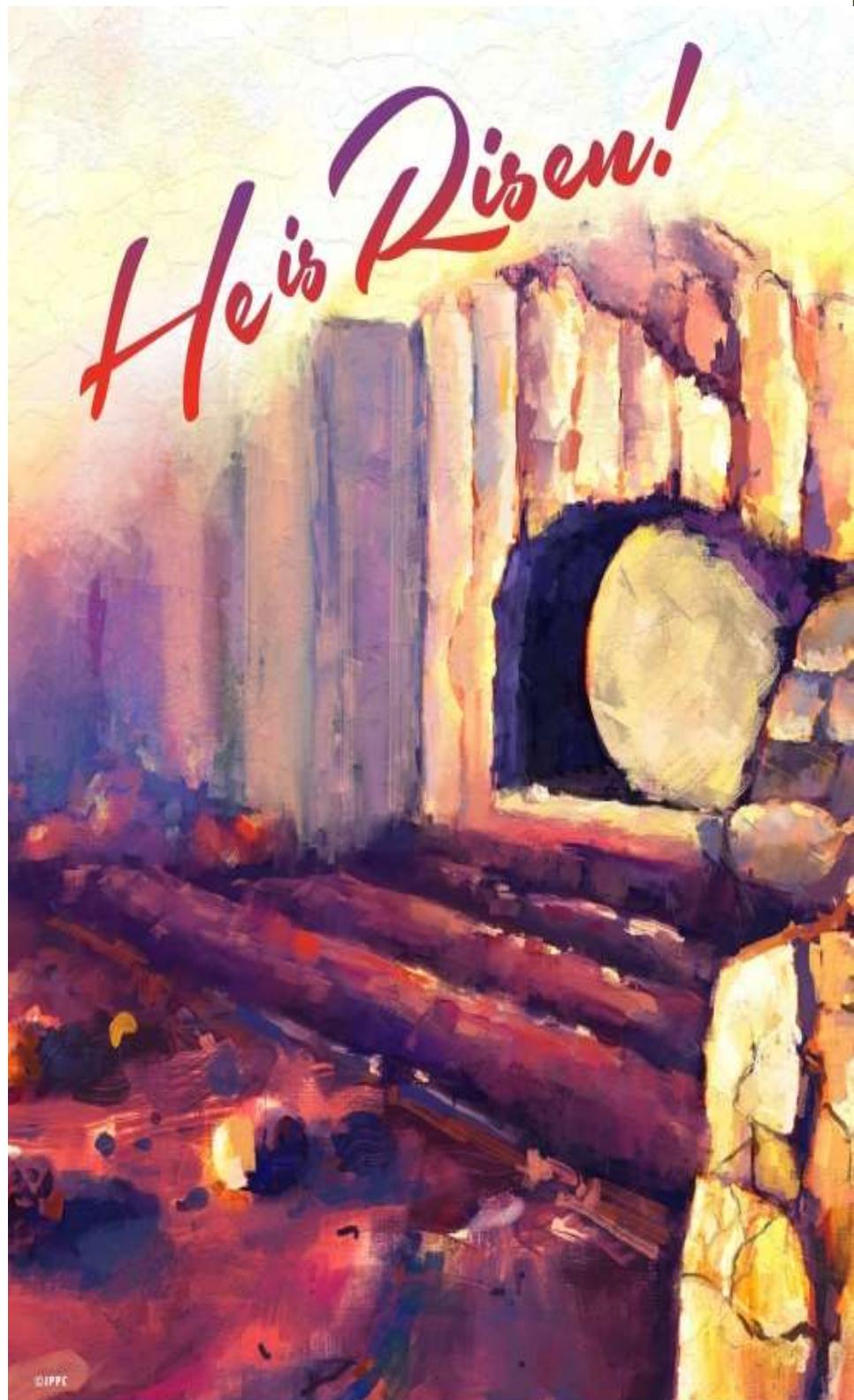
Office is Closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

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## THEME

Do we think that resurrection from death is far too strange to make sense of? We might consider how the forgiveness of our sins is our ongoing experience of being raised from influences which cause us to be less than alive.

### Holy Mass Intentions Saturday, April 16-Holy Saturday

7:30pm



### Sunday, April 17-The Resurrection of the Lord

8:00am †Jason Fahmy  
10:30am People of St. Isaac Jogues  
12:00pm People of St. Isaac Jogues  
**No 5 PM**

### Monday, April 18

12:05pm †Vincent Piazza Sr.

### Tuesday, April 19

8:00am †Frederick Thomas  
12:05pm 25<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Intentions of Terry & Maureen Scott

### Wednesday, April 20

8:00am †Rose Dolente  
12:05pm Intentions of Joe & Ruthie Scheidel

### Thursday, April 21

8:00am †Roseanna D'Alessandro  
12:05pm †Patricia M. Coll

### Friday, April 22

8:00am †Francis J. Downs  
12:05pm Intentions of Francesca Monastero

### The Readings for the Weekend of April 23 & 24

First Reading – Acts of the Apostles 5:12-16 (45C)  
Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24  
Second Reading – Revelation 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19  
Gospel – John 20:19-31

### Church Carpet Replacement Update

On Tuesday, March 15, we had an initial consultation with a company to discuss the replacement of the church flooring. The company took a copy of the church blueprints and will also come out to measure. After that, we expect to get a range of pricing based on various options. We will be required to obtain 3 estimates and then submit to the Archdiocese for approval. The process is longer than we first anticipated but I will update you with any new developments. Thank you for your contributions to this project. Fr. Moerman

### Dear Parishioners,

*The Paschal mystery is at the very heart of our Christian faith. The word of scripture and the life of Jesus on earth culminate in this unique event. Indeed, every Eucharist is a memorial of Christ's Death and Resurrection. Yet once each year the Church sets aside an entire week to commemorate the astonishing realities of that first Holy Week.*

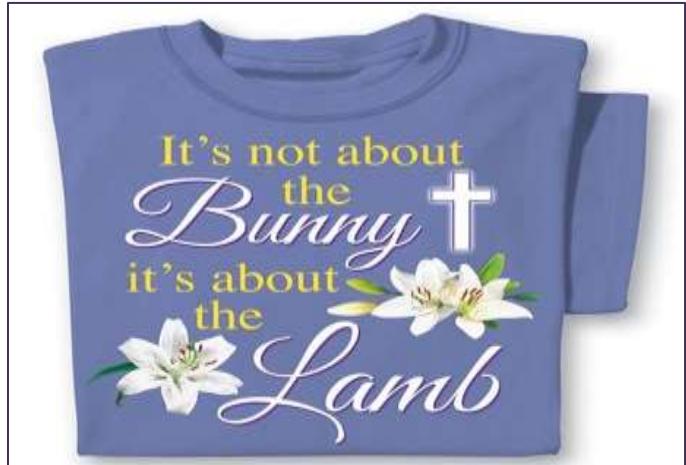
*May your loving participation in the week's liturgy enable you to live more deeply the Life emptied on Calvary and Risen on Easter Sunday. The growth of Christ's Life in His people is the vital element in His Father's design.*

*May the peace and joy of the Lord's Easter Life be with you and yours forever.*

*Sincerely in Christ,  
Father Moerman*

*The Easter Vigil is the "Mother of all Vigils" and Easter Sunday is the greatest of all Sundays. The season of Easter is the most important of all liturgical times, which Catholics celebrate as the Lord's resurrection from the dead, culminating in his Ascension to the Father and sending of the Holy Spirit upon the Church.*

*Eastertide ends on the 50<sup>th</sup> day after Easter, which is known as Pentecost Sunday.*



THIS WEEK AT ST. ISAAC'S



The Rectory Office is **closed** on Monday, April 18. The office will re-open on Tuesday, April 19, at 7:30 am.

**Holy Week Services**

**Holy Saturday, Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup>**  
**Easter Vigil Mass – 7:30 pm**

**Easter Sunday, April 17<sup>th</sup>**  
8 am, 10:30 am & 12 Noon **NO 5 PM**

**Easter Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup>**  
**One Daily Mass at 12:05 pm**

**Holy Hour for Life** – Every Monday the Legion of Mary will lead a Holy Hour for Life from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm in the Chapel. We will pray three mysteries of the Rosary for an overturn of abortion and for protection of life from conception to natural death.

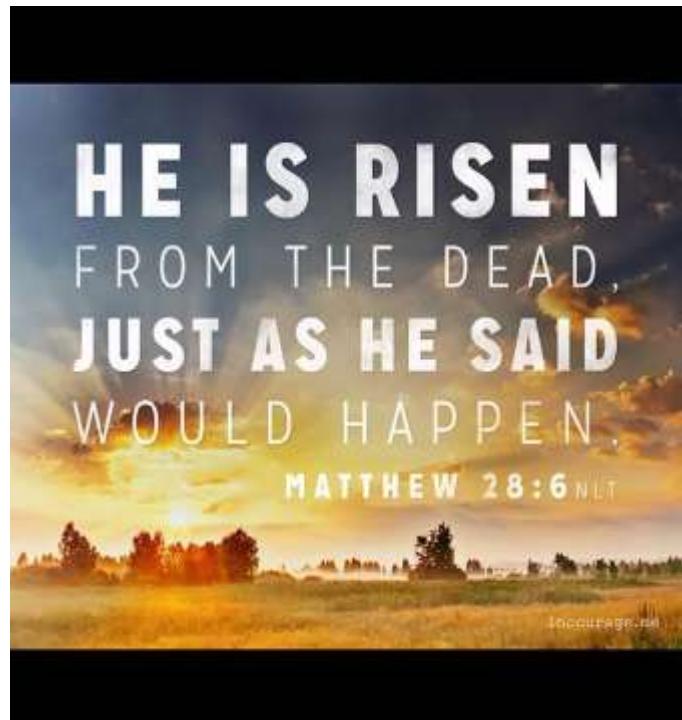
**St. Isaac Adult Choir** - Our adult choir rehearses on Sunday morning's beginning at 9:30 a.m. in preparation to sing for the 10:30 a.m. mass. All are welcome! Please contact Charles Paschall at [Chippy400@aol.com](mailto:Chippy400@aol.com) or call 484-919-9691.



**Walking with Purpose** – Our end of the year luncheon will take place **Wednesday, April 20<sup>th</sup>**, 12:45 to 2:15 pm in the Parish hall. We will watch the final video from Beholding Your King and discuss the questions for Lesson 9. Any interested ladies are welcome to attend to learn more about our program for Fall. Contact Meg at [gam6510@verizon.net](mailto:gam6510@verizon.net) for more information.

**The Brother House**, - a work of the Legion of Mary, takes care of approximately 30 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. ONLY T-shirts, underwear, white athletic socks and work pants will be accepted. **ALL OTHER CLOTHING WILL BE TURNED AWAY!** Please drop off donations of such items at the Rectory.

The Catholic Charities Appeal is the Archdiocese of Philadelphia's single most important annual fundraising initiative, and your support is greatly needed. Poverty, hunger and homelessness remain serious challenges in our community. Visit [catholiccharitiesappeal.org](http://catholiccharitiesappeal.org).



**Pray for the Sick**

Roberta Adams, Bobbie Bauer, Bernie & Catherine Brill, David Bucci, Roger Burgess, John Deenis, Tahlia Fernandez, Bud Gosnell, Farzanh Hafezi, Pary Hafezi, Patricia Iacovino, Patricia Kaine, Janet Lennon, Francesca Monastero, Jeanette and Patrick Muldoon, Annette McCauley, Mary McNabb, Jacob Nichols, Elaine & Jim Pizzo, David Rothhaar, Elizabeth Spillane, Maureen Travagline, Kenneth Turley, Alicia Uribe, Maura Waters, Michael Wusinich and 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. Daniel Door, US Army  
Sgt. Travis Pannella, US Army



*Wishing a very Happy Easter to all our military troops who spend their days and nights protecting the nation. May Jesus always keep you safe and protected. On the occasion of Easter, I pray to the Almighty to always shower all our military troops with the best of the blessings to keep our heroes protected and safe.*

## STEWARSHIP CORNER

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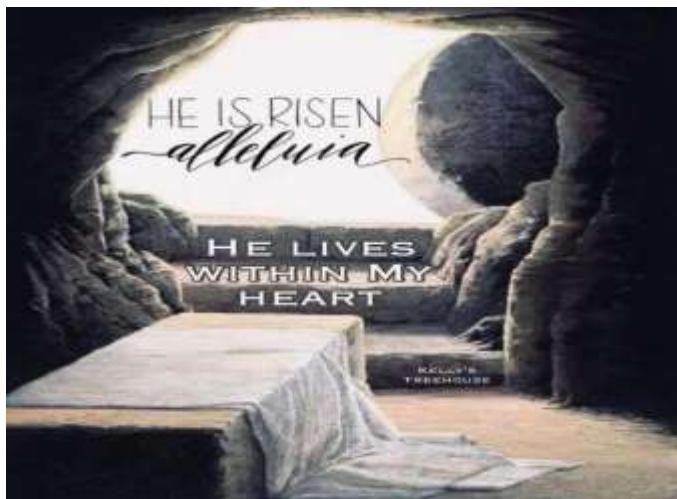
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LAST YEAR(2021) \$ 145,906  
PRIOR YEAR(2020) \$ 137,903

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## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

### WHAT DRAWS PEOPLE INTO THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

**FAITH?** While there are many different circumstances that lead a person in the direction of Catholicism, the simple answer is, "Because God has called them."

Most often, God calls to us through the people closest to us, through our families and friends. Most who have entered the Church have been influenced by a Catholic spouse, fiancé, or close friend. For many of these people, a desire to raise their children in the knowledge of God spurred them to action. What is this if not the action of the Holy Spirit?

*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

Youth Group that meets every Thursday from 6:30 pm – 9 pm. All youth from grades 7-12 are welcome to attend! Please sign up through the website under "Youth Ministry".

**NOTE:** Please take note that our Mass Schedule includes a weekly Youth Mass, every Sunday evening at 5:00 pm. Any youth interested in helping with the Youth Mass to lector, serve or with Music Ministry, please contact the Youth Ministry Office at 610-254-9106.

### Church Humor



"An Easter bonnet? I thought you were Lady Gaga."

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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