

April 9, 2023- 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 – 1st 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.

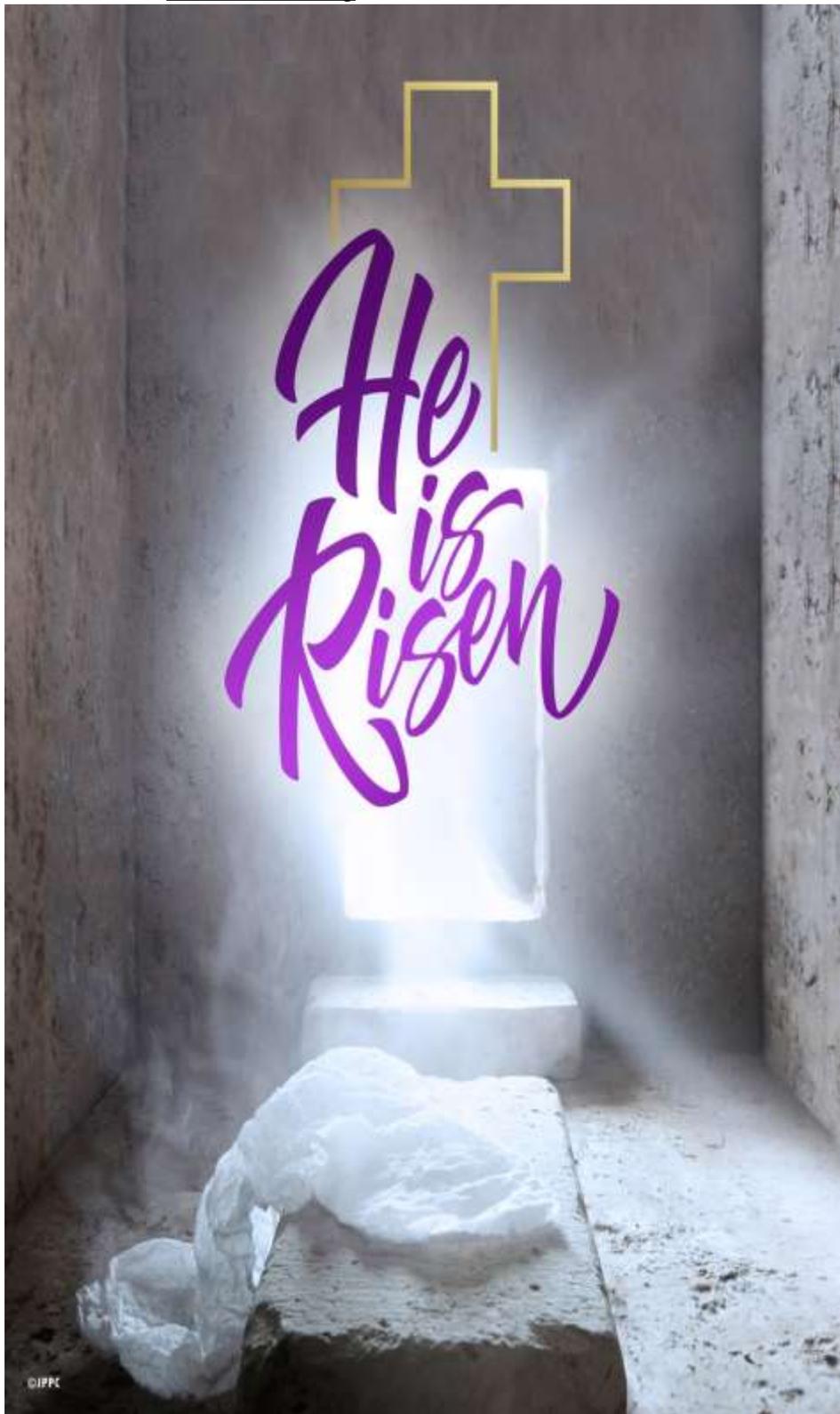
Rectory Office- Monday-Thursday- 7:30am - 2:30pm

Closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Youth Ministry – 610-687-3366 ext. 40 SIJYOUTH@gmail.com

Religious Ed -610-687-3366 ext.41

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THEME

It is difficult for us to look at our sins, our acts of rebellion against the love of God. We can be thankful that Jesus has looked directly and lovingly upon us and has done what is necessary to free us from sin and give us fullness of life.

Holy Mass Intentions

Saturday, April 8

7:30pm

Sunday, April 9-The Resurrection of the Lord

8:00am People of St. Isaac Jogues

10:30am People of St. Isaac Jogues

12:00pm People of St. Isaac Jogues

No 5 PM

Monday, April 10

8:00am Intentions of Sharon McNamara

12:05pm †Vincent M. Piazza, Sr.

Tuesday, April 11

8:00am Intentions of Anthony La Verghetta

12:05pm †David Setzler

Wednesday, April 12

8:00am Intentions of Martin Cosenza

12:05pm †Vincent Walters

Thursday, April 13

8:00am Deceased Members of the Concordia Family

12:05pm Deceased Members of the Pachella & Cottone Families

Friday, April 14

8:00am †Margaret Smith

12:05pm †Enrique Umana Cerritos

The Readings for the week April 15 & 16

First Reading – Acts of the Apostles 2:42-47 (43A)

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24

Second Reading – 1 Peter 1:3-9

Gospel – John 20:19-31



Please stop by the Rectory Office to register. Registration is required to receive the Sacraments or to be a baptismal or confirmation sponsor.

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 50th day after Easter, which is known as Pentecost Sunday.



ST. ISAAC'S NEWS



The Rectory Office is **closed** on Easter Monday, April 10. The office will re-open on Tuesday, April 11, at 7:30 am.

Holy Saturday, Saturday, April 8th
Easter Vigil Mass – 7:30 pm

Easter Sunday, April 9th
8 am, 10:30 am & 12 Noon, **NO** 5 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 Chipp400@aol.com or call 484-919-9691.

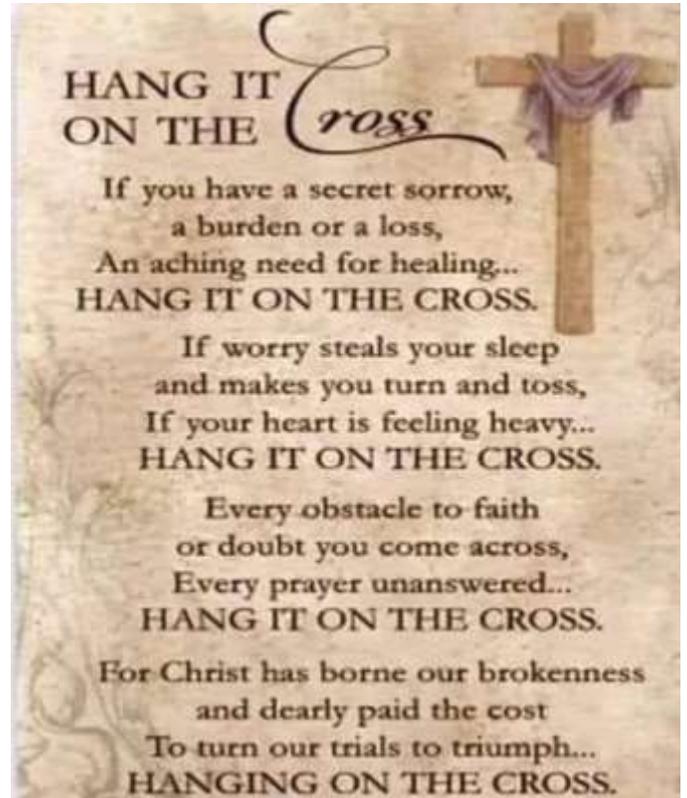
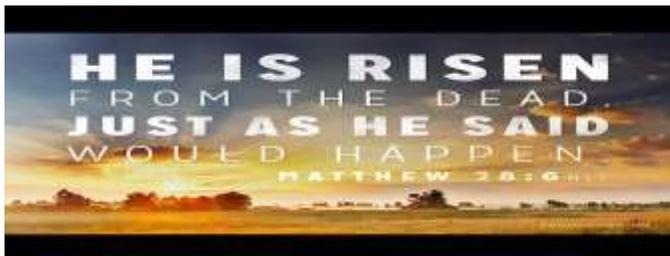


Walking with Purpose Walking with Purpose The Bible study **Rooted and Radiant** will conclude this Wednesday, April

12th 12:45 to 2:15 PM in the parish hall with a luncheon and the final video. Even if you have not participated in this study you are welcome to attend to see what Walking with Purpose is all about. Contact Cathy Witzczak at tony-cathy@comcast.net for more information about the program.



Join us **Sunday, April 23**, at 1:30 pm for **Designer Bag Bingo**. Proceeds benefit St. Isaac Jogues Parish. Please see the flyer at the church entrances for more details. Tell your family & friends!



PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Roberta Adams, Bobbie Bauer, Bernie & Catherine Brill, David Bucci, Roger Burgess, John Deenis, Tahlia Fernandez, Farzanh Hafezi, Pary Hafezi, Patricia Kaine, Janet Lennon, Francesca Monastero, Jeanette and Patrick Muldoon, Annette McCauley, Mary McNabb, Elaine & Jim Pizzo, David Rayl, David Rothhaar, Alfred Sama, Elizabeth Spillane, Treacy G. Sommer, Joseph Stellabotte, Maureen Travagline, Kenneth Turley, Alicia Uribe, Michael Wusinich and Brian Wood.

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
1st Lt. Daniel Door, 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.

STEWARDSHIP CORNER

No Finance information due to early transmission of the bulletin for the Easter Holiday.

Please refer the website www.stisaac.org if you are interested in electronic giving.

BEQUESTS TO OUR PARISH

You can make a bequest to St. Isaac Jogues Parish by having the following statement in your will: "I leave to St. Isaac Jogues Parish, Wayne, PA the sum of \$ _____ for its religious and charitable works." This is one way of insuring that our parish will be able to continue to do in the future the good it has done in the past. Thank you.

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Some Calls are Meant to be Answered! - Have you ever considered being a priest? What an awesome life it is! Do not be afraid to **HEED THE CALL** of Christ. For more information, please see our website www.HeedTheCall.org or call 610-667-5778.

The priests of tomorrow are in our midst. They are members of this parish. They are members of our own families. Encourage Vocations, pray for the gift.

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.

Advertising - Our parish benefits greatly from the ads you see in the bulletin. The revenue pays for its printing, which is an important means of communication for the parish. We thank the many local businesses that have renewed their ads, as well as the many new advertisers in our bulletin. If you would like to promote your business to the families of our parish, please call 1-800-333-3166.



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

WHAT DRAWS PEOPLE INTO THE CATHOLIC 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.*

YOUTH MINISTRY

All are welcome to St. Isaac's Youth Group! Meets on Thursday evenings, from 6-9 PM in the Parish Hall. Youth from grades 7-12 are welcome! Youth Group evenings consist of games, Scriptural Reading, small and large group discussion, a visit to the Chapel for Adoration, Reposition of the Blessed Sacrament, and food! If you have not already done so, please sign up for our Youth Group through our website under "Youth Ministry". Any questions, email Joe Aquilante at SIJYouth@gmail.com.

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, for **approval by the Pastor**.

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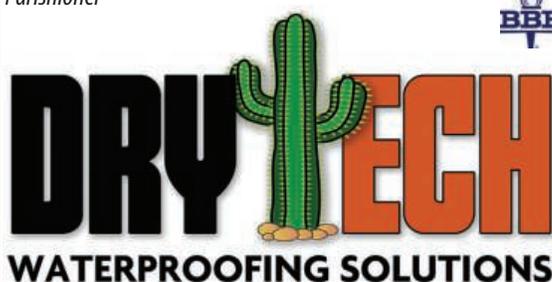
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