

August 15, 2021 – The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

# ST. ISAAC JOGUES

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## MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Summer Mass 12:05pm. (The Daily 8 am will return Monday, August 30) The Saturday 8 am Daily Mass will remain.

The Chapel will open at 8:00am with Exposition from 10am to 8pm on weekdays and from 9am to 8pm on Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday: 8am & 5pm

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

National Holidays: 9am

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 Rectory Office.

Rectory Office Hours

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

Office is Closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Youth Ministry – 610-254-9106.

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**THEME**

Mary, free from sin from the first moment of her existence, encourages all of us, who are freed from sin through the sacramental practice of the People of God. We welcome our liberation as our sins are forgiven.



**PRAYER**

*“All-powerful and ever-living God: You raised the sinless Virgin Mary, mother of your Son, body and soul, to the glory of heaven. May we see heaven as our final goal and come to share her glory.” In Jesus’ name we pray.*

*Mary did not ascend into heaven like her Son did under His own power, but was taken up to heaven by God. The Assumption completes God’s work in Mary since it was not fitting that the flesh that had given life to God himself should ever undergo corruption.*

*As hard as life in this world is, Mary’s Assumption into heaven is confirmation that our struggles are not in vain. Whenever **we** help lift people up in our sphere of influence we are also sharing in the grace of the Assumption. Wherever there is an out stretched hand in labor for others we are participating in the grace and mystery of Mary’s Assumption. God awaits those we lift and we, the lifters. Our heavenly home awaits!*

*The Assumption looks to eternity and gives us hope that we, too, will follow Our Lady when our life is ended. Mary’s assumption is proof of how profitable it is to make sacrifices here and now. Not the least of these sacrifices is the surrender of our bodily pleasures that are contrary to the will of God. The eternal reward is certainly worth the temporal price that we pay in self-control. By giving up now on earth what we like but what is sinful, and enduring what is painful to us but pleasing to God, we shall enjoy Heaven with Jesus and Mary – in body and soul – in the world to come.*

Holy Mass Intentions  
Saturday, August 14-St. Maximillian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr

8:00am †Catherine Neforas  
5:00pm †Janice Jong

Sunday, August 15-The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00am †Steven M. Pannella  
10:30am †Fred Schachinger  
12:00pm Birthday Intentions of Gene Robinson & Monica  
5:00pm People of St. Isaac Jogues

Monday, August 16-St. Stephen of Hungary  
12:05pm †Thomas & Mary McKee & family

Tuesday, August 17  
12:05pm †Erica & Yoksana

Wednesday, August 18  
12:05pm †Leo Moreno

Thursday, August 19-St. John Eudes, Priest  
12:05pm †Thomas J. Evans Jr.

Friday, August 20  
12:05pm Intentions of Dottie Mullane

**The Readings for the Weekend of August 21 & 22**  
**First Reading – Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b (122B)**  
**Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 34:2-3, 16-17, 18-19, 20-21**  
**Second Reading – Ephesians 5:21-32**  
**Gospel – John 6:60-69**



**THIS WEEK AT ST. ISAAC'S**



The Sanctuary flowers are in loving memory of Fred Schachinger by his wife Mary & his children and in Thanksgiving of forty nine years of marriage.

*The Second Collection this weekend will be for the Catholic University and the Assumption of Mary.*

*The 8:00 AM Daily Mass will return on Monday, August 30<sup>th</sup>, in the Main Church.*

**MARK YOUR CALENDAR!**

3 days in honor of St. Joseph  
**September 18-20.**  
Saturday-5pm mass  
Sunday - 12 noon outdoor Mass

and procession to St. Joseph Statue.  
Monday- 7pm Talk by Guest speaker, Dr. Antone Raymundo. The talk is based on book, "Consecration to St. Joseph" by Fr. Donald H. Calloway, MIC. Consider this book for your summer reading list.



**Walking with Purpose** -Our ladies Bible studies will be back this fall. If you are interested in growing closer to the Lord and getting to know other women in the parish, please check out the website <https://stisaac.org/walking-with-purpose> . It has details about our coming programs, and also a questionnaire that will allow you to offer input regarding the format for our sessions. The registration form will be posted by early September. Questions? Please call Cathy Witczak at 610-688-2389.

**SAVE THE DATE**

**Save the Date** – The 20th Anniversary of 9/11 Blue Mass and Ringing of the Bell Ceremony to be held on **Saturday,**

**September 11<sup>th</sup>**, at 10:00 am. All are welcome.



The St. Isaac Jogues Knights of Columbus Council is hosting a Football Mania Fundraising raffle. Tickets are \$20, and each ticket enters you into the sweepstakes for all 17 games of the 2021 NFL season. Tickets also give you access to the

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**Pray for the Sick**

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**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  
1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Daniel Door, US Army  
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**Pray for our troops in this time of unrest.**

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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 [SJJDR@gmail.com](mailto:SJJDR@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.

**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.



**World Wide Marriage Encounter** -Are you living your best life? Even when a marriage is going smoothly, there are always ways to make it work better. A **Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend** offers an opportunity for you to pause, reflect, and reconnect privately. The next in-person experience in this area will be held at Our Lady of Czestochowa **September 17-19**. Apply at <https://wwmephilly.org/applyWeekend.php>; call Al & Mary Liz Heumann for more information 610-449-1859. If you prefer the same experience in a virtual format, the next **Restore Rekindle Renew Experience** begins the evening of September 27 and continues on Monday and Thursday evenings for four weeks. Register <https://aweekendforyourmarriage.org/applyWeekend.php> or by calling Tom & Ruth DeFalco at 732-904-9636.

**Family Retreat – Labor Day Weekend - September 3 – September 5, 2021 – Malvern Retreat House** -Join families of all sizes and ages for a weekend of music, arts & crafts, outside games, Mass and Reconciliation services, and organized activities for families, toddlers, teens, and parents. Stay the weekend in the Malvern Retreat House's new Family Life Center - fully enclosed on a single floor, each room has two beds-shower-bathroom, meals are provided throughout the weekend :a picnic on Saturday and of snacks available. Call Nancy or Bill Hicks 610-220-5000. Website: <https://www.malvernretreat.com/events/family-labor-day-4/>



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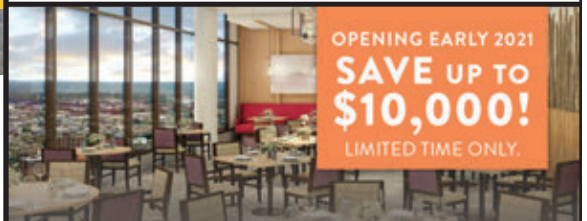
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