

February 27, 2022 – The Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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 Hours

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

Office is Closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Youth Ministry – 610-254-9106.

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Religious Ed -610-687-2481

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THEME

We depend greatly on the sense of sight. The Word of God looks beyond simple vision and calls us to develop insight into life. Our sinfulness demonstrates that there are many things we do not “see.” We rely on divine mercy to deepen our vision.

Holy Mass Intentions

Saturday, February 26

8:00am †Cecilia Carandang
5:00pm People of St. Isaac Jogues

Sunday, February 27-The Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am †Steven M. Pannella
10:30am Birthday Intentions of Christine Meyer
12:00pm †Julia & Frank Zeglin
5:00pm †Richard Hanratty, Jr.

Monday, February 28

8:00am †Ted Raymond
12:05pm Intentions of Joseph Erwin

Tuesday, March 1

8:00am Intentions of Janet Beckley & Family
12:05pm “Thankfulness”

Wednesday, March 2-Ash Wednesday

8:00am †Steven M. Pannella
12:05pm †Sister Joan Norita OLME
7:30am †Vince Mina

Thursday, March 3-St. Katharine Drexel, Virgin

8:00am †P.K. Worthington
12:05pm †Anthony S. Fogliano, Sr.

Friday, March 4-St. Casimir

8:00am †Belwood Shetterly
12:05pm †Christopher Kernozek

The Readings for the Weekend of March 5 & 6

First Reading – Deuteronomy 26:4-10 (24C)

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 91:1-2, 10-11, 12-13, 14-15

Second Reading – Romans 10:8-13

Gospel – Luke 4:1-13



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 Rectorate office in order to register and for information about our Parish services. Registration is required to be a sponsor of any kind.

Lent is a 40 day season of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving that begins on Ash Wednesday and ends at sundown on Holy Thursday. It's a period of preparation to celebrate the Lord's Resurrection at Easter. During Lent, we seek the Lord in prayer by reading Sacred Scripture; we serve by giving alms; and we practice self-control through fasting. We are called not only to abstain from luxuries during Lent, but to a true inner conversion of heart as we seek to follow Christ's will more faithfully. We recall the waters of baptism in which we were also baptized into Christ's death, died to sin and evil, and began new life in Christ. Many know of the tradition of abstaining from meat on Fridays during Lent, but we are also called to practice self-discipline and fast in other ways throughout the season. Contemplate the meaning and origins of the Lenten fasting tradition in this reflection. In addition, the giving of alms is one way to share God's gifts—not only through the distribution of money, but through the sharing of our time and talents. As St. John Chrysostom reminds us: "Not to enable the poor to share in our goods is to steal from them and deprive them of life. The goods we possess are not ours, but theirs." (Catechism of the Catholic Church, no. 2446).

In Lent, the baptized are called to renew their baptismal commitment as others prepare to be baptized through the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults, a period of learning and discernment for individuals who have declared their desire to become Catholics.

There are extra confessions after 12:05 pm Mass on Fridays during Lent, beginning on Friday, March 4 excluding Good Friday. Also on Monday March 4, and Tuesday March 5, 7:00 pm – 8:00 pm.

Lenten Soup (at home) and Stations (in church) 2022

The Parish Pastoral Council is suggesting that due to the Coronavirus restrictions, we make the following adaptations to our Soup and Stations Program:

Participants are encouraged to prepare and serve a meatless soup and bread supper at home and later join us at church as we walk the Way of the Cross. Deacon Dan Mazurek will lead us in Stations at 7:30pm every Friday in Lent (including Good Friday) We ask that money saved from the simple meal be donated to feed the poor through the Rice Bowl Program.

We will be providing a meatless soup recipe weekly to help our tireless cooks. As we sacrifice and walk with Christ, may God bless us!

Broccoli-Cheese Soup

2 - 16 oz. packages frozen chopped broccoli

2 – 10 3/4 oz. cans cheddar cheese soup

2 – 12 oz. cans evaporated milk

1/4 cup finely chopped onion

1/2 tsp. seasoned salt

1/4 tsp. pepper

Combine all ingredients in slow cooker. Cover. Cook on low 8-10 hours. Garnish with sunflower seeds (optional) serves 8.

THIS WEEK AT ST. ISAAC'S

There is an Easter Flower Envelope in your packet or at the doorways to help offset the cost of the Easter Flowers. Thank you.

Second Collection - The Second Collection next weekend will be for the Churches in Eastern Europe.

Church Carpet Replacement Update- There will be an initial consultation in mid-March with a local vendor to discuss our options regarding the replacement of the church carpet. The consultation is at no cost and no obligation. The results of the consultation will be shared with the Church Carpet Replacement Committee.

Time & Talent – We all have some talent to give. Our own growth and the growth of our church depend on the willingness of us all to invest that talent for others. As a member of the church, you are called to share in aspects of its life. Membership is responsibility – the response to the call to ministry, and service. Please join us **February 26th and 27th** for a Time & Talent Fair in the Parish Hall after Masses.

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 Chipps400@aol.com or call 484-919-9691 for more information.

Walking with Purpose - Wednesday 12:45 to 2:15 pm in the parish hall. We will be discussing Lesson 3 of *Beholding Your King*. Any interested ladies are welcome to join, the topic is Psalm 23. Contact Meg at gam6510@verizon.net for more information.



Life is Beautiful-The “40 Days for Life” started in 1999. The 40 Days formula has biblical roots. Noah endured the flood for 40 days, Moses spent 40 days on Mt. Sinai and Jesus fasted in the desert for 40 days. The “40 Days for Life” is a campaign with a mission of prayer and fasting and a constant peaceful vigil outside of Planned Parenthood. Since 2007 our national “40 Days for Life Spring and Fall Campaigns” have resulted in “ 20,368 lives spared from abortion, 229 abortion workers quit and 114 abortion facilities closed.” There have been over 1 million participants each year. The Spring 2022 Campaign will begin on Ash Wednesday March 2nd and ends on Palm Sunday, April 10th.



Pray for the Sick

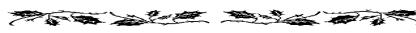
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Remember the members of our Military:

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
1st Lt. Daniel Door, US Army
Sgt. Travis Pannella, US Army



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Taize Prayer (Prayer Around the Cross)

*Tuesdays, March 8, 15, 22, 29 and April 5

7:00 – 8:00 p.m. Stipend: Donation- Based on the worship service of the community of Taize in France, this is contemplative prayer which includes scripture, readings, song, meditation, intercessory prayers and silence. It is an especially appropriate prayer form to use during the Lenten season when we reverence the cross of Christ, the key to our salvation. To register call [610-581-0120](tel:6105810120) or email ihmconferencecenter@gmail.com

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A SPECIAL INVITATION FOR MARRIED COUPLES – Resolve to "Live your best life in love" in 2022: Why not give yourselves some time together by making a *Worldwide Marriage Encounter* Experience in an easy virtual format. This involves Sunday and Wednesday evenings **beginning March 6 and concluding March 30**. Each session starts at 6:30 pm and runs approximately 2.5 hours with various breaks along the way. This is a great opportunity to spend time improving your communication in the comfort of your own home. No need to go away for a weekend, instead get the whole package in 8 evenings. Contact: Marge/Michael Walsh at 609-741-8012 wwmjerseylovers@gmail.com.

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 SLJDRE@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".

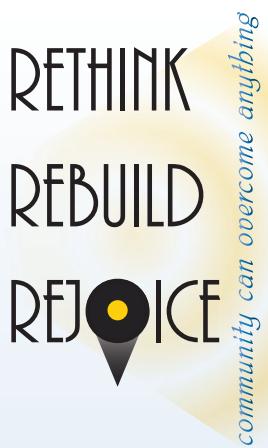
NOTE: Please take note that our Mass Schedule includes a weekly Youth Mass, every Sunday evening at 5:00 pm. Any youth interested in helping with the Youth Mass to lector, serve or with Music Ministry, please contact the Youth Ministry Office at 610-254-9106.

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.

GoodBye February



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