

January 21, 2024 – The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

# ST. ISAAC JOGUES

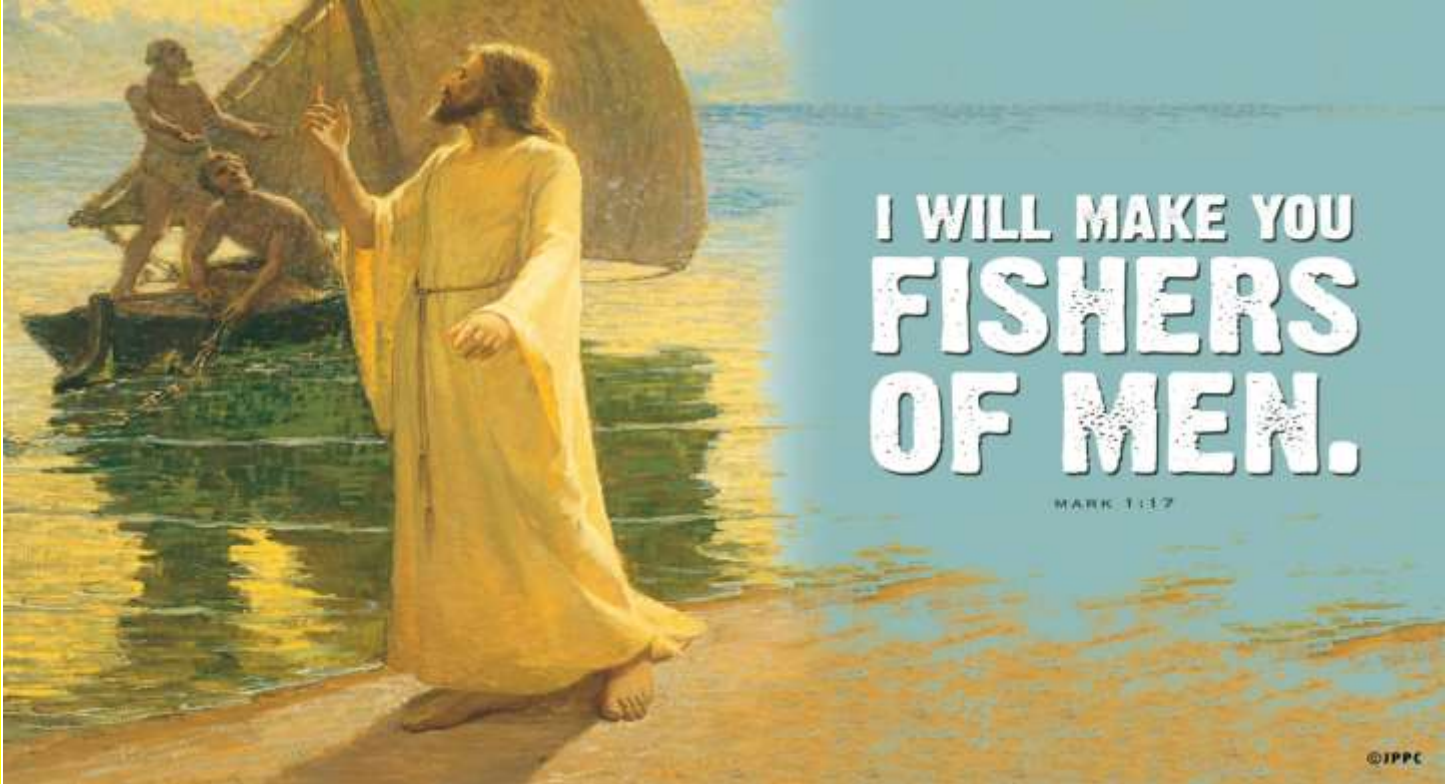
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## MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass Mon-Fri 8 am & 12:05pm.  
in the Church. The Chapel will open  
at 8:00am 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

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

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

New Years Day 8am & 12:05pm

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. 610-687-3366  
Rectory Office Hours-Mon. thru Thurs. 7:30am -2:30pm  
Office is Closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Youth Ministry– 610-687-3366 ext. 41. [SIJYOUTH@gmail.com](mailto:SIJYOUTH@gmail.com)

Religious Ed -610-687-3366 ext. 40

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**THEME**

The prophet Jonah proclaimed the need of the city of Nineveh (Nin-uh-vay) to repent. And they did so! Jonah was a far from perfect instrument of God. We trust that our repentance will help us manifest God’s mercy to the people in our life.

Holy Mass Intentions

Saturday, January 20-St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr

8:00am †Irene B. McCormick

5:00pm People of St. Isaac Jogues

Sunday, January 21 The 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am †Stanley & Sophie Kulpinski

10:30am †George Hegh

12:00pm Intentions of Daniel Patrick

5:00pm †Marylou McKeough

Monday, January 22

8:00am †Thomas Vesey

12:05pm †Deceased Members of the Fox Family

Tuesday, January 23-St. Vincent, Deacon & Martyr

8:00am †Joseph Parisi

12:05pm †Dorothy Johnson

Wednesday, January 24-St. Francis deSales, Bishop

8:00am Birthday Intentions of Carol Friel

12:05pm †Sister Joan Noreen OLME

Thursday, January 25-The Conversion of St. Paul, Apostle

8:00am Living & Deceased Members of the Concordia Family

12:05pm †John Beck

Friday, January 26-Sts. Timothy & Titus, Bishops

8:00am †Eileen Murphy

12:05pm †Joseph Iacovino

**The Readings for the week January 27 & 28**

**First Reading – Deuteronomy 18:15-20 (71B)**

**Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 95:1-2, 6-7, 7-9**

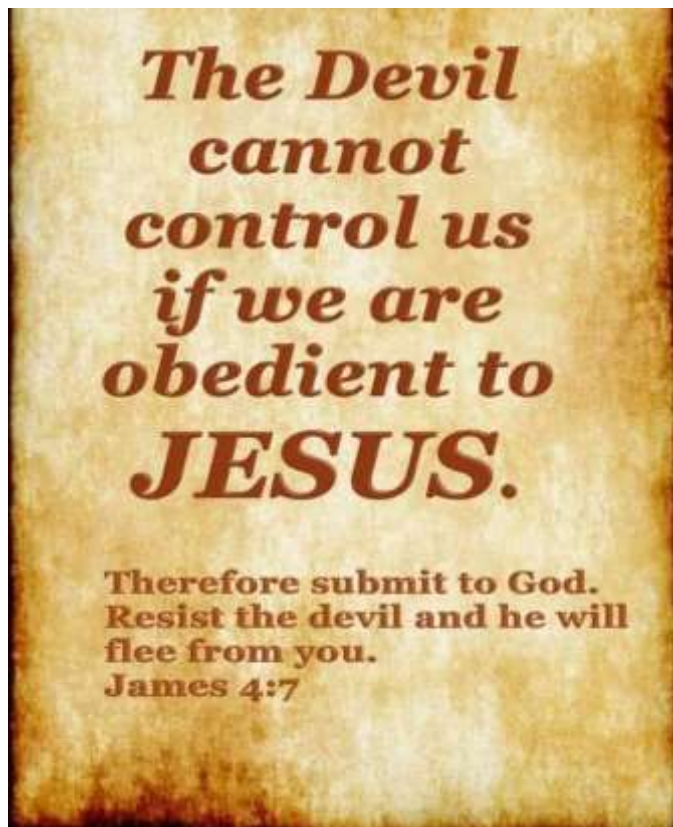
**Second Reading – 1 Corinthians 7:32-35**

**Gospel – Mark 1:21-28**



**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 for information about our Parish services. Also you must be registered to receive sponsor letters be a Godparent or Confirmation sponsor.

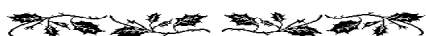


**Holy Hour for Life** – Every Monday the Legion of Mary will lead a Holy Hour for Life from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm in the Chapel. We will pray three mysteries of the Rosary for an overturn of abortion and for protection of life from conception to natural death.

*The Legion of Mary meets in Classroom 7/8 on Monday afternoon 12:45 to 2:45 pm and Wednesday evenings from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm.*



*Respect Life meets in Classroom 6 the second Sunday of every month at 11:00 AM.*





ST. ISAAC'S NEWS



The flowers this weekend are in loving memory of Stanley & Sophie Kulpinski.



Any Parish Organization or groups of people that are interested in hosting a Parish Coffee, please call Carol Friel at the Rectory Office.

**A Journey through Church History.** Come join our **Adult Faith Formation** group at St. Isaac Jogues from 7:00 - 8:30 pm on Tuesdays. In this study you will learn about the important people, places, and events in two thousand years of Church history. You will discover the true stories behind the Crusades, the Spanish Inquisition, and the Protestant Reformation. Each of the sessions includes a video presentation followed by a group discussion. For more information please contact: Bob Morris at [robertemorris50@gmail.com](mailto:robertemorris50@gmail.com).



**Walking with Purpose – Join us for the 2024 sessions** of this uplifting women's Bible study held Wednesday afternoons at St Isaac (now in its 13<sup>th</sup> year!). To register, visit <https://stisaac.org/walking-with-purpose> or select "Walking with Purpose" below "Organizations" from the main menu on the <https://stisaac.org> home page. Details regarding the cost and current study materials can be found there. If you prefer, please call Mary Selman at 610-322-3687.

Lent we will begin a new WWP Bible study entitled **Passionate Discipleship** by Lisa Brenninkmeyer and Mallory Smyth.

Isaiah 12:2



Behold, God is my salvation,  
I will Trust and not be afraid:  
For 'Yah, The Lord, is my strength and song;  
He also has become my salvation."



Num 6:24-26  
The Lord Bless thee, and keep thee:  
The Lord make His face shine upon thee and be gracious unto thee  
The Lord lift up His countenance upon thee and give thee peace

**REMEMBER 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
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**PRAY FOR OUR SICK**

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



Parishioners Charles and Marylou McKeough.

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THIS YEAR (2024): \$ 17,658
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PRIOR YEAR (2022) \$ 11,913

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2023 TAX RETURNS

Kindly call the rectory if you wish a copy of your 2023 church contributions which will be ready by January 31st. They are prepared upon request only. Pick up at the front office during regular business hours or mailed upon request.

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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Movie With Meaning: "The Miracle Club" Wednesday, February 7th, 1:00 p.m. (Lunch at 12:00 noon) Stipend: \$25 IHM Conference Center, 401 S. Bryn Mawr Avenue, Bryn Mawr, PA - Set in 1967, THE MIRACLE CLUB is a heartwarming film that follows the story of three generations of close friends, Lily, Eileen, and Dolly of Ballygar, a hard-knocks community in Dublin, who have one tantalizing dream: to win a pilgrimage to the sacred French town of Lourdes, that place of miracles that draws millions of visitors each year. When the chance to win presents itself, the women seize it. The women secure tickets and set out on the journey that they hope will change their lives. Events force the women to confront their pasts even as they travel in search of a miracle. Their shared traumas can only be healed by the curative power of love and friendship. Starring Maggie Smith, Kathy Bates and Agnes O'Casey

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.

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.

YOUTH MINISTRY

All are welcome to St. Isaac's Youth Group! We meet 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.

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.



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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