

March 6, 2022 – The First Sunday of Lent

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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THEME

Someone once said: “I can resist everything except temptation.” We may think of temptation as a private thing known only to ourselves. Jesus’ own temptations, as presented by Luke, are quite a public thing. We rejoice that his temptations, resisted, have led to our salvation.

Holy Mass Intentions

Saturday, March 5

8:00am Intentions of William Price
5:00pm †Salvatore Boccella IV

Sunday, March 6-The First Sunday in Lent

8:00am People of St. Isaac Jogues
10:30am †Nicholas Fazzino
12:00pm †John Robinson
5:00pm †Roslyn Puzio & Janet Yavener

Monday, March 7-Sts. Perpetua & Felicity, Martyrs

8:00am Birthday Intentions of James Avitabile
12:05pm †Bernie Parson

Tuesday, March 8-St. John of God, Religious

8:00am †Joseph Michael McGrath
12:05pm †Estelle Budzilowicz

Wednesday, March 9-St. Frances of Rome, Religious

8:00am †Joseph Michael McGrath
12:05pm †Sister Joan Noreen OLME

Thursday, March 10

8:00am †Joseph Michael McGrath
12:05pm Intentions of Budzilowicz & Family

Friday, March 11

8:00am †Ted Fetchko
12:05pm †Vincent Walters

The Readings for the Weekend of March 12 & 13

First Reading – Deuteronomy 26:4-10 (24)C
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 Rectory office in order to register and for information about our Parish services. Registration is required to be a sponsor of any kind.

Disciple Maker Survey - St. Isaac Jogues Parish will be participating in a parish-wide survey!

St. Isaac Jogues Parish will be participating in a parish survey about discipleship conducted by the Catholic Leadership Institute! We need your help!

Please help us by participating in a 10-15 minute survey online. The survey can be accessed through an online link from **March 2 thru April 4, 2022** and will ask you to reflect on your own spiritual growth and enable you to provide feedback on our parish’s efforts to help you grow. All responses will be confidential and the parish will only receive information about the community as whole. The link to the survey is: <https://portal.catholicleaders.org/d/y0kag3> .

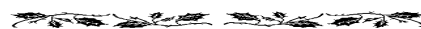
We are trying to get the highest response rate possible. This information will be invaluable to Fr. Moerman and our various ministries as we plan for the future and strive to be the best disciples we can be. We will receive the results this spring/summer at which time we will share what we have learned with the entire parish.

If you prefer a paper copy you may pick up a paper copy of the survey after daily and Sunday Masses. They will be located by the weekly bulletins at the entrances to the Church. Printable version of the survey will also be available. To submit the completed paper survey, please drop off **at the Rectory Office during normal rectory business hours**. To make special arrangements for getting a paper copy, please contact Carol Friel at (610)687-3366.

Thank you for helping with this important project!



*There are extra confessions after the 12:05 pm Mass on Fridays during Lent, **excluding Good Friday.***



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 Catholic Charities Appeal is the Archdiocese of Philadelphia's single most important annual fundraising initiative, and your supported is greatly needed. Poverty, hunger and homelessness remain serious challenges in our community. Visit catholiccharitiesappeal.org to make your donation today!

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* this weekend will be for the Churches in Eastern Europe.

The *Second Collection* next weekend will be for the Churches in Latin American.

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.

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 for more information.

Walking with Purpose - *Walking with Purpose* - Wednesday, March 9th, 12:45 to 2:15 pm in the parish hall. We will be discussing Lesson 4 of *Beholding Your King*. Any interested ladies are welcome to join. Contact Meg at gam6510@verizon.net for more information.

 **Life is Beautiful-Respect Life Ministry: SPRING 40 DAYS FOR LIFE** - The Spring 40 Days for Life Campaign began on Ash Wednesday, March 2nd and ends on Palm Sunday, April 10th. In Chester County each parish can be assigned a day during the 40 days, for a prayerful vigil in front of Planned Parenthood in West Chester. This year our parish day is Saturday, March 19th. "The foundation of the 40 Days for Life Campaign is focused on prayer from beginning to end". We would like to have 2 people for each of the 12 hours from 7AM to 7PM on Saturday, March 19th. To sign up for one hour please see the sign-up sheet in the Chapel or you can go on line at www.40daysforlife.com/chestercounty. For more information call Ann McCarthy #484-924-8308. Please join us for this important witness for life.

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.



Synod News – We would like to invite you, on behalf of Archbishop Perez to participate in an engagement session as part of the local synodal process in March and April. This is an unprecedented opportunity, so don't miss the chance to participate. Engagement sessions are being offered in English and Spanish throughout the Archdiocese. Participants can attend any of the 26 engagement sessions held at a variety of times and locations, including nine sessions offered virtually on Zoom and 16 sessions offered in-person at parishes throughout the greater five county area. Registration is required to ensure adequate space for in-person sessions or to receive a Zoom link or webinar information via email for the virtual sessions. For more information, go to the Archdiocesan synodal website: <https://archphila.org/synod>.

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, Jack Schrems, 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
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Sgt. Travis Pannella, US Army



Please pray for all soldiers and their families from all countries.



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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.

Lenten Soup (at home) and Stations (in church) 2021

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!

Heart Happy Tomato Soup

46 oz. can tomato juice
8 oz. can tomato sauce
½ cup water
1 tbsp. vegetable granules
1 sprig celery leaves, chopped
½ onion, thinly sliced
½ tsp. dried basil
2 tbsp. Sugar
1 bay leaf
½ tsp. whole cloves

Combine all ingredients in greased slow cooker. Stir well. Cover. Cook on low 5-8 hours. Remove bay leaf and cloves before serving.

If you prefer a thicker soup, add ¼ cup instant potato flakes. Stir well and cook 5 minutes longer. Serves 6.

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 SJJDR@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.

Bishop Shanahan High School is now hiring for several coaching positions! Join our winning teams and submit your resume to Paul Meyers at pmeyers@shanahan.org! Positions include:

- Head Field Hockey Coach
- Assistant Field Hockey Coach
- Head Boys Tennis Coach
- Head Boys and Girls Swim Coach
- Assistant Boys and Girls Swim Coach
- Assistant Track/Field Coaches (throwing and jumps)



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