

July 9 2023-The 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

ST. ISAAC JOGUES

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MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass Mon-Fri 12:05pm.
in the Church. No 8 Am until
August 28th.

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

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.

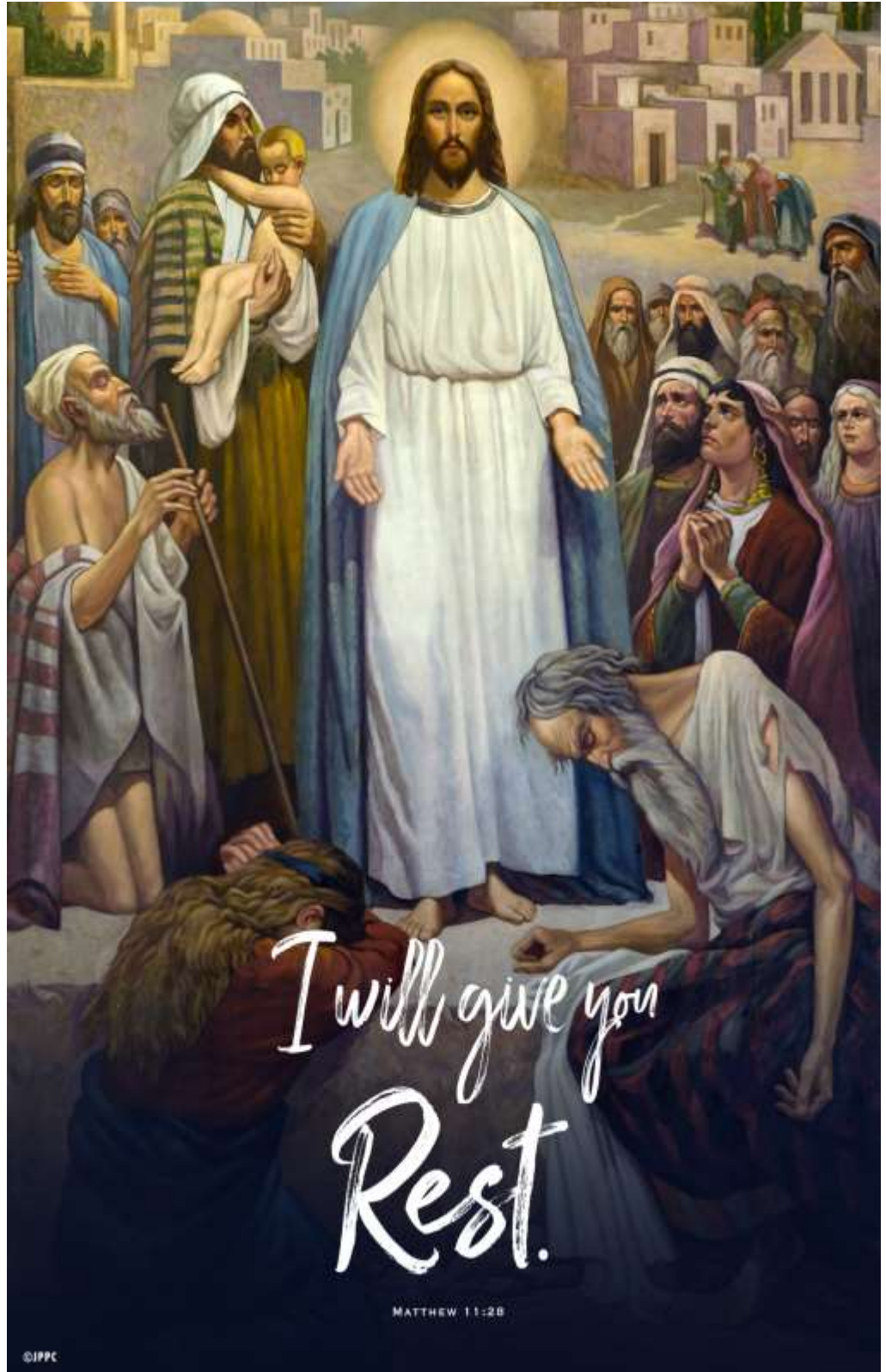
Rectory Office- Monday-
Thursday- 7:30am - 2:30pm
Closed Friday, Saturday and
Sunday

Youth Ministry – 610-687-3366
ext. 40

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THEME

We are very good at frustrating ourselves. We suppose that we are lacking in many desirable qualities. We can be thankful that our God does not see this way. His mercy moves us out of frustration and into peace.

Holy Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 8

8:00am Intentions of the Sisters of the Visitation
5:00pm †Julie & Frank Zeglin, Sr.

Sunday, July 9-The 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am Intentions of Mary Powers
10:30am †Bernie Parson
12:00pm People of St. Isaac Jogues
5:00pm †Margaret Trobovic

Monday, July 10

12:05pm †Joseph Parisi

Tuesday, July 11-St. Benedict, Abbot

12:05pm †Edward Birch

Wednesday, July 12

12:05pm †Deceased Members of the Walsh & Scheidel Families

Thursday, July 13-St. Henry

12:05pm Wedding Anniversary Intentions of Charles & Heather Erwin

Friday, July 14-St. Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

12:05pm Wedding Anniversary Intentions of Christian & Celestine Hagerty

The Readings for the week July 15 & 16

First Reading – Isaiah 55:10-11 (103A)

Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 65:10, 11, 12-13, 14

Second Reading – Romans 8:18-23

Gospel – Matthew 13:1-23

Legion of Mary - Pope John XXIII has called the Legion of Mary the “*True Face of the Catholic Church*”. If you think Our Blessed Mother might be calling you, please come to a meeting and see what it is all about. *We need members*. There is no obligation. We have a day and an evening group at St. Isaac’s. Please call *Ann McCarthy #484-924-8308 or Mary Zeglin #610-296-5012 for more information.*

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

Mission Co-Op

Pray and support Pallottine Fathers who bring the Gospel message of Jesus and serve the poor and needy in a Mission land. Learn about this group’s essential Mission work for the Church. Please pray for the work of this Missionary Group and please provide as you are able.

This weekend’s Second Collection is sponsored by the Pontifical Mission Societies. The Societies support the Mission diocese until they are self-sufficient. Contact us at pofaith@archphila.org for more information about your specific group for questions.

Pallottine Fathers

Inspired by St. Vincent Pallotti's motto, "The love of Christ impels us," the Society of the Catholic Apostolate (the Pallottines) works throughout the world to further the Catholic Church's mission to renew faith and rekindle charity. As part of the Union of Catholic Apostolate, the Society of the Catholic Apostolate is a group of priests and brothers known as the Pallottines. Pallottine priests and brothers are a group of men who share a life of community, prayer, and apostolic work. They follow the ideas of their founder, St. Vincent Pallotti, who wanted to reawaken faith and love among Catholics. Pallottines work to instill in others a deep conviction of their personal call to live the message of Jesus Christ.

To remain faithful to St. Vincent Pallotti's call to "revive faith and rekindle charity," Pallottine priests and brothers promise the Society consecrated celibacy, poverty, obedience, perseverance, the sharing of resources, and spirit of service. These promises are a sign of the desire to live in a community devoted to service to the people of God. St. Vincent Pallotti saw ministry as having two purposes: to love God and to shower God's love on others.



ST. ISAAC'S NEWS



Contact the office to make a donation to keep flowers in the sanctuary every week.

The Second Collection this weekend will be for Mission Co-Op.



Hot Weather is Upon Us – Please remember your donations to offset the cost of the Air Conditioning for the Summer months. Envelopes are at the church entrances. Thank you.

Saturday, September 9th, 2023

“Guys & Dolls” – Dutch Apple Dinner Theater in Lancaster

The deadline to sign up is Monday, July 24th.

Please see the flyers at the entrances or contact the Rectory Office for more details.

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.

The Brother House - 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. In need of sneakers, shorts, jeans, hoodies. Snacks, coffee, iced tea are greatly appreciated also. Please bring donations to the Rectory Office.

Bunco - Join us **Wednesday, July 19th**, in the Parish Hall. Bunco and the dollar game! \$5 to play. Doors open at 7:00 pm with the games beginning promptly at 7:30 pm. BYOB. Cash prizes! Snacks and drinks are available.

God being merciful basically means that, when we deserve punishment, He doesn't punish us, and in fact blesses us instead. Mercy is the withholding of a just condemnation. Throughout the Bible, God gives many illustrations of His mercy. God fully demonstrates His mercy in Jesus Christ. God was merciful to the wayward Solomon in 1 Kings 11:13.



REMEMBER OUR MILITARY

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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



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, Charles McKeough, Elaine & Jim Pizzo, David Rothhaar, Alfred Sama, Elizabeth Spillane, Treacy G. Sommer, Joseph Stellabotte, Maureen Travagline, Kenneth Turley, Alicia Uribe, Tony Witzcak, Michael Wusinich and Brian Wood.



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Please remember to use your envelopes. If you do not use them please call the Rectory Office so that we can discontinue them thus saving printing and postage.

Vacations will be beginning. Help us keep things running here at St. Isaac Jogues. Mail in your contributions or visit 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.

RETRouvaille: REDISCOVER THE LOVE IN YOUR MARRIAGE - Tens of thousands of couples have healed their marriages through Retrouvaille (pronounced Retro-vy). If you know anyone who could benefit from this program, please pass this on. Couples learn to build communication skills and to increase intimacy. It provides help for marriage problems, difficulties or crises. Upcoming programs will be held **August 18 - 20** and again **October 6 - 8**, at the Family Life Center in Malvern, PA. For more information, or to register, visit www.HelpOurMarriage.org or call 215-766-3944 or 800-470-2230. All inquiries are strictly confidential.

The Bonner-Prendie Class of 1973 celebrating 50 Year **Reunion!** Monsignor Bonner & Archbishop Prendergast High School Class of '73 are jointly celebrating their 50th High School Reunion with a 3-day Reunion Weekend this September 21 -23. Questions send to 73reunions@gmail.com.

Bishop Kenrick Class of 1973 Reunion—Bishop Kenrick high school class of 1973 is having a 50th year reunion on Saturday, October 21, 2023 at the Bay Pony Inn in Lederach PA. Event will have a full-course buffet dinner, cash bar, live music, and is guaranteed to be a great time. Cost is \$70 a person. For payment information please email sandy.lana@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 SJDRE@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.

NOTE: 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 610-687-3366 ext.41.



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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