

September 5, 2021 – The 23<sup>rd</sup> 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 7:30 am 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 Year's 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 Hours

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

Office is Closed Friday, Saturday and  
Sunday.

Youth Ministry – 610-254-9106.

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**THEME**

There are situations in which we unavoidably have a hard time hearing what someone is saying. On the other hand, there are times when we willfully fail to take in what someone is saying. We ask our God to give us the courage to listen.

Holy Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 4

8:00am †Thomas Shine

5:00pm Intentions of the Sermarini Family

Sunday, September 5-The 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am †John Roncase

10:30am People of St. Isaac Jogues

12:00pm Intentions of Marlene Concordia

5:00pm Intentions of Elizabeth Rand & Family

Monday, September 6

9:00am †Joseph Pagliaro

Tuesday, September 7

8:00am †Gerald Tomazin

12:05pm †Bernard Reilly III

Wednesday, September 8-The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

8:00am †Arlene Monti

12:05pm †L. A. McDonald

Thursday, September 9-St. Peter Claver, Priest

8:00am †Richard Birch

12:05pm †Joan Callahan

Friday, September 10

8:00am †Lawrence Kozal Sr.

12:05pm Birthday Intentions of Toni McCarthy

**The Readings for the Weekend of September 11 & 12**

**First Reading – Isaiah 50:4c-9a (131B)**

**Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9**

**Second Reading – James 2:14-18**

**Gospel – Mark 8:27-35**

**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.




**9/11 Blue Mass**  
Everyone is invited to join the Knights of Columbus to remember 9/11 and the sacrifices of our Police, Fire Fighters, and First Responders at a 10 a.m. Blue Mass on Saturday, Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>, along with a Ringing of the Bell Ceremony for those First Responders who have fallen. All are invited and welcome to participate in the Mass, the Ringing of the Bell Ceremony.

*Twenty years have passed since the devastating September 11<sup>th</sup>, attacks that shook the United States and communities around the globe. On the anniversary, we continue to honor the memories of those who died, their loved ones and the many first responders who risked their lives to bring healing to a fractured society.*

*A Christian Prayer*  
God of love, we remember the courage of the countless men and women who put their lives at risk in order to rescue, alleviate and bring solace to the afflicted.  
-Fr. Alberto Culvi




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THIS WEEK AT ST. ISAAC'S




Anyone wishing to donate towards keeping flowers in the Sanctuary every weekend please call the Rectory Office.

Second Collection – The Second Collection this weekend will be for the Black and Indian Missions.

St. Isaac Adult Choir - The Adult Choir will return to singing at the 10:30 Mass on Sunday, September 5<sup>th</sup>. Our choir rehearses on Sunday morning's beginning at 9:30 a.m. in preparation for Mass. If you enjoy singing and are interested in joining our choir, contact Charles Paschall at 484-919-9691 for more information. All are welcome!

Jesus: The Way, the Truth, and the Life - Tuesdays, September 28<sup>th</sup> - December 7<sup>th</sup>, in the Parish Hall 7-8:30 pm. Join us for this new and fresh look at Jesus—who he is, what he taught, and what he did for our salvation. The 10 video sessions are presented by Marcellino D'Ambrosio, Jeff Cavins, & Edward ri. Email [robertemorris50@gmail.com](mailto:robertemorris50@gmail.com) to register or inquire by **Sept 12** to receive the materials through the group order. The study set includes: Workbook, Book, Jesus Timeline Chart. Cost: \$30

 **Walking with Purpose** - Registration is now open for our 2021-2022 year. Please join us for this daytime Bible Study designed particularly for women. Visit the website at <https://stisaac.org/walking-with-purpose> to register. The first study is **Reclaiming Friendship**; in a world plagued by loneliness, you are invited to encounter God personally through Scripture and learn how to create lifelong bonds of true friendship. For more information email Meg Price at [gam6510@verizon.net](mailto:gam6510@verizon.net) or Cathy Witzcak [tony-cathy@comcast.net](mailto:tony-cathy@comcast.net).

**Temporary Rectory Office Hours  
For September 6<sup>th</sup> thru September 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Closed Monday, September 6<sup>th</sup> - Labor Day Holiday**  
**Tuesday, September 7<sup>th</sup> – Open 9 AM to 1PM**  
**Wednesday, September 8<sup>th</sup> – Open 9 AM to 1PM**  
**Thursday, September 9<sup>th</sup> - Open 9 AM to 1PM**  
**Regularly Closed on Fridays**  
**Monday, September 13<sup>th</sup> – 9 AM to 1PM**  
**\*Regular Hours return on Tuesday, September 14<sup>th</sup>**  
**Monday thru Thursday 7:30 AM to 2:30 PM**  
**Closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday**  
**In the event of an emergency **only** leave a message on ext. 22.**

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.



*Where love is, there is God Also.  
(Leo Tolstoy)*

**Pray for the Sick**

Roberta Adams, Bobbie Bauer, Bernie & Catherine Brill, David Bucci, Roger Burgess, John Deenis, Tahlia Fernandez, Bud Gosnell, Barbara Hedgecock, Farzanh Hafezi, Pary Hafezi, 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  
Lt. Colonel Patrick Mulloney, US Army  
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THIS YEAR(2021): \$ 390,378

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\*(The Church reopened after being closed due to COVID)

PRIOR YEAR(2019) \$ 428,341

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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://wwme-philly.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.

We at Chester County are so excited about participating in the PA March for Life coming up on September 27th. It is a first-time event for Pennsylvania, and we hope to have many people join us from our local community parishes. A chartered bus is provided by the PA March Life for our convenience. Jeannie Mancini, Pres. of National Right to Life and Abby Johnson, former Director of Planned Parenthood, are the featured speakers, along with many others participants. A cost-free chartered bus is provided by the PA March Life for our convenience, and all are served on a first come basis. We will board the bus at a local area with more details to follow. For more information, or to make reservations direct your calls to: SILVANA BYRNE 610 399 4315 or email: Byrnasilvana@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 SIJDRE@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.

CHURCH HUMOR



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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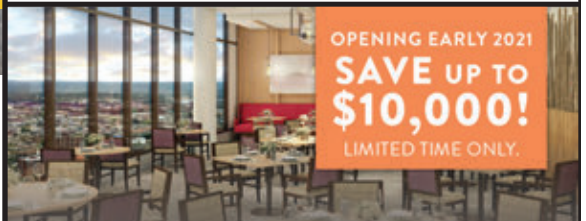
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