

October 30, 2022 – The Thirty-First 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 &

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. 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

Religious Ed -610-687-3366 ext. 40

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THEME

People were scandalized when Jesus expressed his desire to stay at the home of the tax collector who had harmed many people. If ever we have acted in a way which has harmed people, we accept the comfort of know that justice can in fact be restorative. God’s justice certainly is restorative.

Holy Mass Intentions

Saturday, Oct. 29

8:00am Birthday Intentions of Maria Avitabile
5:00pm †Matt & Ed McCarty

Sunday, Oct. 30-The 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00am People of St. Isaac Jogues
10:30am 57th Wedding Anniversary Intentions of Tom & Joanne Pietrocini
12:00pm †Cornelius Ryan
5:00pm †Deceased members of the Aquilante & Hart Families

Monday, Oct. 31

8:00am †Glenn & Gwen Madre
12:05pm †Angela LaMarca

Tuesday, November 1-All Saints

8:00am †Cornelius Shields
12:05pm †Helen Seibert
7:30pm †Jeanie Regn

Wednesday, November 2-The Commemoration of all The Faithful Departed

8:00am All the Faithful Departed
12:05pm All the faithful Departed

Thursday, November 3-St. Martin de Porres, Religious

8:00am †Emil Tofton
12:05pm Intentions of Mildred Walsh

Friday, November 4-St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

8:00am Birthday Intentions of Nicole Baker
12:05pm Intentions of Tom & Josephine Gudowicz

The Readings for the Weekend of Nov. 5 & 6

First Reading – 2 Maccabees 7:1-2, 9-14 (156C)
Responsorial Psalm – Psalm 17:1, 5-6, 8, 15
Second Reading – 2 Thessalonians 2:16-23
Gospel – Luke 20:27-38



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.

At a Glance

Tuesday, November 1st - *All Saints Day*, is a holy day of obligation this year. We will hold 3 Masses at 8 am , 1205 pm, and 7:30 pm.

Wednesday, November 2nd – *All Souls Day*, Masses are at 8 am and 12:05 pm. All Souls day is a holy day but never of obligation.

Adult Formation – **Tues. Nov. 1st** at 7 pm in the Parish Hall.

Walking with Purpose–**Wed. Nov. 2nd**, at 12:45 pm in the Parish Hall.

Respect Life Ministry-The Respect Life Ministry meets the second Wednesday of each month at 11AM in Classroom 6. Our meeting ends in time for the 12:05PM Mass. Everyone is welcome.

Follow the weekly bulletin for regular announcements and future dates.

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 overturn of abortion and for the protection of life from conception to natural death.



The Knights of Columbus are collecting items for Christmas to send to our troops around the world again this year. A list of items can be found on the flyers at the entrances. Please place your donated item in the barrel by the parish Hall exit. Sunday, November 6th, will be the last collection date.

"Let all bitterness, and wrath, and anger, and clamor, and blasphemy and all malice be put away from you, before seat to others, tenderhearted another, forgiving each other, just as god in christ forgave you." ephesians 4:31-32



ST. ISAAC'S NEWS



Please call the Rectory Office to make a donation to help keep flowers in the sanctuary every weekend.

St. Isaac Jogues Adult Faith Formation How can we respond to the gender confusion of today's world? Join us Tuesday, November 1st, 7-8:30 pm in the parish hall for **An Introduction to the Theology of the Body** with Christopher West. Come and learn how to reclaim the beauty of God's plan for our creation as male and female as developed by St. John Paul in his writings about the body. Questions Please email Karen Stellabotte stellabk@gmail.com or call 484-680-0225. Video presentation followed by small group discussion.



Walking with Purpose – Wednesday, November 2nd, afternoon Bible study for women 12:45- 2:15 pm in the parish hall. Our first series is **Ordering Your Priorities**, Lisa Brenninkmeyer's latest Bible Study. If you are interested in growing closer to the Lord and getting to know other women in the parish, please check out the website <https://stisaac.org/walking-with-purpose> where you will find details about the program and a registration form to sign up. Questions? Please call Cathy Witzzak at 610-688-2389.

Lectors Needed! We need lectors, especially for the **Sunday noon and 5:00 PM masses**. If you would like to be a lector and regularly attend one of the above masses, please call the parish office at 610 687 3366 or email carol@stisaac.org. Please leave your name, phone number and email address.

The Knights of Columbus will be volunteering at the Special Olympics event being held at Villanova during the weekend of **November 4-6**. All parishioners are welcome to volunteer. If interested please contact the Knights of Columbus at council13716@gmail.com, for additional information.

The Knights of Columbus meet the 1st Thursday of every month in classroom 7/8 at 7:00 pm.

Catholic Social Services - The need is great but we know that the response can be even greater. Please feel free to contact me at astoner@chs-adphila.org life-changing journey awaits you as a sponsor, and we are here to share in that journey with you every step of the way! Please continue to pray for all of the displaced Ukrainians and those left behind.



Have a heart that never hardens, and a temper that never tires, and a touch that never hurts. (Charles Dickens)

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Roberta Adams, Bobbie Bauer, Bernie & Catherine Brill, David Bucci, Roger Burgess, John Deenis, Tahlia Fernandez, Bud Gosnell, 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, Elizabeth Spillane, Treacy G. Sommer, 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
1st Lt. Daniel Door, US Army



We know our prayers are heard and answered. Please call the Rectory when the individual's health improves or they have returned home from service duty so they can be removed from the list.

Pray for our government leaders in this time of crisis.

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SUNDAY FIRST COLLECTIONS
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THIS YEAR(2022): \$ 478,588
LAST YEAR(2021) \$ 444,610
PRIOR YEAR(2020) \$ 411,884

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.

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.

The Brother House, - a work of St. Isaac Jogues, takes care of approximately 30 homeless men in the Norristown area on Wednesday and Sunday evening and put on clean clothes after the shower. ONLY T-shirts, underwear, white athletic socks and work pants will be accepted. **ALL OTHER CLOTHING WILL BE TURNED AWAY!** Please drop off donations of such items at the Rectory.

MARRIED COUPLES – "Live your best life in love" in 2022: Why not give yourselves some time together by making a Worldwide Marriage Encounter weekend? The next Autumn 2022 in-person experience **November 18-20**, at Our Lady of Czestochowa, Doylestown. For more info visit: <https://www.wwme-philly.org/>.

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Visit St. Norbert Catholic School in Paoli to see all it has to offer for Pre-Kindergarten to 8th grade students and their families during our Open Houses. They are being held on **Tuesday, November 8th**, from 9-11 am and on Wednesday, **November 16th**, from 6:00-7:30 pm. See our classrooms, meet current students and teachers, and find out about our 2 time winning nationally recognized Blue Ribbon academic program. We look forward to meeting you! Please contact Elizabeth Brady, Enrollment Coordinator, at 610-644-1670 or ebrazy@stnorbert.org for more information.

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

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 SIJYouth@gmail.com.

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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