

SAINT ISAAC JOGUES PARISH

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Mission: "A Catholic Parish sharing experiences of the Kingdom of God"

PASTOR: Rev. Mario Pereira, SFX
ASSOCIATE: Rev. Carlos Pereira, SFX

Pastoral Staff:

Deacon Paul M. Stanton (Dolores)
Lori Herbert, Business Manager
Dolores Stanton, Director of Religious Education
Lisa Hall, Music Director

Weekend Mass Celebrant:

Rev. Bernard Kennedy, O.F.M.

Eucharistic Celebrations:

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 a.m., 12:00 p.m.
Monday - Saturday - 8:00 AM

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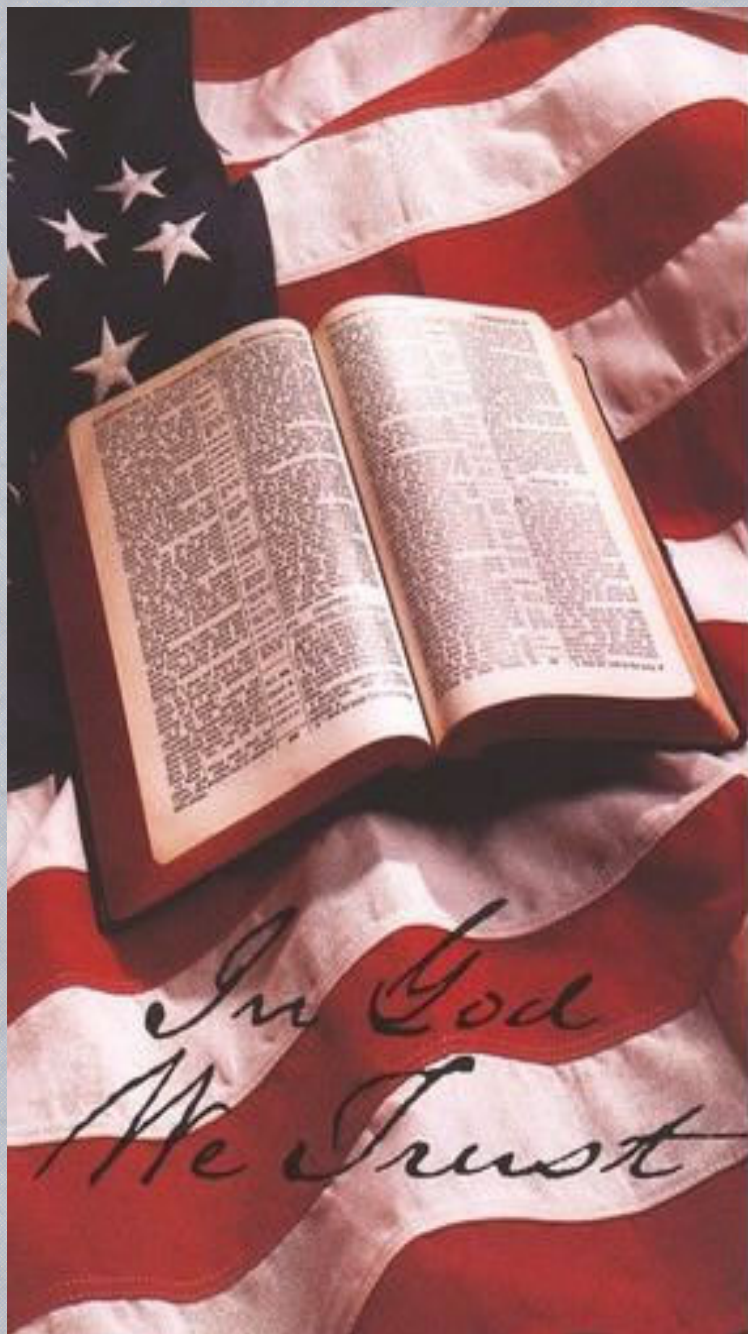
Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday, 11:00 - 12:00 Noon or anytime
by request.

Sacrament of Matrimony: Must be registered for six months prior to setting the wedding date with an additional six months for necessary preparation. Note: The following wedding times can be scheduled:

Friday at 5:00 p.m.;
Saturday at 1:00 and 3:00 p.m.;
Sunday at 3:00 p.m. (Ceremony only)

Sacrament of Baptism: Second and fourth Sunday of each month at 1:30 PM. Baptism Preparation Session must be completed before Baptism. Contact the Parish Office as soon as possible for details.



**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
JULY 2, 2017**



FROM THE
Pastor's Desk

IN GOD WE TRUST. DO YOU?

We cannot trust someone we don't know, and that is the secret of learning to trust God. When someone says, "Trust me," we have one of two reactions. Either we can say, "Yes, I'll trust you," or we can say, "Why should I?" In God's case, trusting Him naturally follows when we understand why we should.

The caption that appears on my Pastors Column "In God we trust" is the motto that we find on the US currency. It shows the trust that people have in God and the strength of the nation depends in its trust on God. American history clearly speaks about the Christian principles on which it was founded. This is evident from the demonstration on its currency, its official documents and historical speeches. I wish every citizen of the country a "Happy Independence Day." Continue to place your trust in God as you serve the nation with the motto "In God we Trust".

We find in the Bible "It is better to trust the LORD than to put confidence in man" (*Psalms 118:8*). The main reason we should trust God is that **He is worthy** of our trust. Unlike men, He never lies and never fails to fulfill His promises. We can learn to trust God as we see how He has proven Himself to be trustworthy in our lives and the lives of others. In *1 Kings 8:56* we read, "Praise be to the LORD, who has given rest to his people Israel just as he promised. Not one word has failed of all the good promises he gave through his servant Moses." The record of God's promises is there in His Word for all to see, as is the record of their fulfillment. Historical documents verify those events and speak of God's faithfulness to His people. Every Christian can give personal testimony to God's trustworthiness as we see His work in our lives, fulfilling His promises to save our souls and use us for His purposes.

Do I trust God? The choice should be obvious, but we fail to trust God because we don't know Him. As already stated, we cannot hope to trust in someone who is essentially a stranger to us. God makes Himself known to us through the Bible. To know God is to trust Him. There are times we don't trust ourselves. As a result we fail to trust God who has good intentions for us.

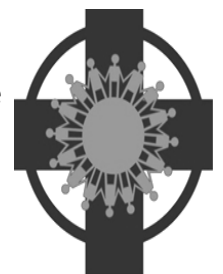
I was very pleased with the participation of the people for the Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon, and the way you placed your trust in me as your new pastor. Your coming together was an expression of your faithfulness in all the ways each of you perform your volunteer ministries in the parish of St. Isaac Jogues.

Let's march forth placing our trust in God to build a stronger bond of solidarity and trust so that we remain committed to the mission of Christ.

-Fr. Mario

A MESSAGE FROM THE PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

This has been a busy time for Saint Isaac Jogues Parish. The recent conclusion of the eight weeks of meetings for the Parish Transformation process has helped our parish better understand who we are and will help us begin the planning for our future. The Parish Meeting that was held back in March, where we discussed parish health and finances, was the first of others being planned to help improve communication about our parish life, challenges and future as we move forward in the Renew My Church initiative. For these reasons, we will not distribute the annual state of the Parish report this year. We do encourage you to make every effort to attend parish meetings as they are made known.



NINTH ANNUAL BUDDY CHARLES GRIES MEMORIAL SHOW

"Songs that Make Me Laugh, Songs that Make Me Cry, Songs that Make Me Feel ?"

is the theme of the **Ninth Annual Buddy Charles Gries Memorial Show** which will take place in the **Holy Family Room on Sunday, July 16th, at 3:00 p.m.** For \$20 you will be entertained for two hours plus with music, song, laughter, and fun by some of Chicago's top cabaret performers, all friends of our late parishioner and performer extraordinaire, Buddy Charles (entertainment world), Buddy Gries (how we best knew Buddy). **All of these friends' of Buddy are donating their time and talent so that all monies will go to the Roof Fund!** Scheduled to perform are Joel Barry, Anne Burnell, Mark Burnell, David Floodstrand, Steve Heliotés, Ernie Lane, Paul Marinaro, Gina Masland, Bob Moreen, Bob Solone, Scott Urban (show organizer) and our parishioner, Pat Gries (Mrs. Buddy Charles). **Please show your gratitude for their gift of this show by your presence and ticket purchase.**

Tickets will be on sale next weekend, July 8 – 9 and at the Rectory and RE Office. Early purchase will assist with our plans for set up. They will also be sold the day of the show when the doors open at 2 p.m. Invite your family members, friends and neighbors for a delightful afternoon and help the parish at the same time! It will be greatly appreciated!



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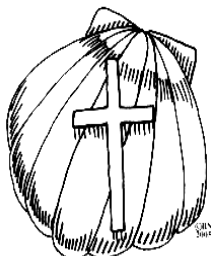
Are you or someone you know seeking a relationship with Christ? Are you or someone you know a baptized Christian interested in learning more about living the faith as a Catholic? Are you or someone you know a baptized Catholic who has not yet received First Communion nor been confirmed? If "yes" is your answer to any of the above, we invite you to contact Dolores Stanton, 847/966-1180 or sjre2004@yahoo.com to learn about the process which helps you discover more about Jesus, the Catholic Church and yourself. Inquiring does not mean you are making a commitment to become a Catholic. It's to provide you with information for yourself or for a loved one or friend and a chance to ask questions you might have. Please be sure to leave a message so Dolores can get back to you as soon as possible. Thank you!

SPRED is a process of sharing faith and growing in friendship with our brothers and sisters in Christ who have special needs that are best addressed through symbol, liturgy and community building. Here at St. Isaac Jogues we host a **SPRED** Community comprised of adults 22 years of age and older. The team meets 12 times a year and the community meets 14 times. We begin in September and end in late April or early May with a break at the holidays.

Our **SPRED** Team has very dedicated members, but we are seeking to expand the team by adding another person or two. If you would like to share the time and faith God has given you, participate in a small faith group experience, enjoy being with and have patience with people with disabilities, we invite you to give prayerful consideration to this opportunity that will touch you in many ways. To learn more contact Dee Stanton at 847/966-1180 or sjre2004@yahoo.com or speak with one of the current

SPRED Team members:

Zenie Benedicto, Mary Burke, Marie DeMeo, Julie Higgins,
Theresa Jedziniak, or Adriean Mikeska



Baptisms

Alejandra Ines Gutierrez

Amanda Brisa Gutierrez

Daughters of Horacio & Nathalia Gutierrez

Hayden Ever Lopez

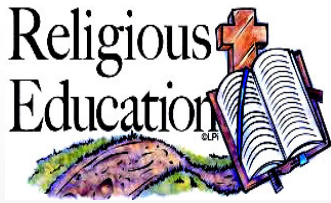
Daughter of Jonathan Lopez & Samantha Vathananand

Lexie Nicole Karlovits

Daughter of Leslie & Wanda Karlovits

Sophia Lee Diego

Daughter of Kenny & Patricia Lopez



Registration for the 2017-2018 Religious Education Program continues! If you have children who will be in Kindergarten – Gr. 8 in August and are attending public school, we invite and encourage your participation in the RE Program. Growing in faith is a life-long process and sacrament preparation is the immediate two years prior to reception of the sacrament. **Allow us the opportunity to help you help your child build a firm foundation in faith and send them each year for religious education!** If there is something keeping you from doing so (finances, etc.), please **contact Dolores Stanton, 847/966-**

1180 or sjre2004@yahoo.com. No one is denied because of financial difficulties. We want your family to participate!

New families are most welcome! Registration consists of a few forms as well as a copy of each child's baptismal certificate and the dates of any sacraments they have received so far.

Families with children who have special needs and/or older children who have not yet celebrated First Reconciliation or First Communion or Confirmation are encouraged to contact me (please see above) to discuss options for learning and preparation.

All families, new or returning, are asked to **please take care of this important task as soon as possible** so we order enough books and materials and have the catechists and assistants needed for a great year!



Altar Flowers

**"In Loving Memory on the
10th Anniversary of the death of
Edward Kuchowicz"**

Alfreda Kuchowicz & Hanna Ruszynska

Wedding Banns

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Stephanie Anne Galit Adaya
&
Joseph Kristian Vistan



LORD, WATCH OVER OUR LOVED ONES WHO SERVE IN THE MILITARY OR AS FIRST RESPONDERS...

First Responders
United States Air Force
United States Army
U.S. Army Reserves
United States Marines

United States Navy
U.S. Navy Reserves
Illinois National Guard

Shane Long, Brad Markovich, Greg Zalewski
Joshua Aujero, Mason Janzen
Brian Caplin, Gale Renner
Christopher Dexter
Patrick Edward Chavez, Joseph John Zimmerman III,
Lance Renner, Gian Patrick Reyes
Justin Pascoe, Timothy Kelly, David Perez
William B. Dexter
Nathaniel Janzen



To add a name to the prayer list please contact the RE Office at 847/966-1180 or sjre2004@yahoo.com.

"Dancing For The Rooftop"

St. Isaac Jogues Fundraiser

Dinner/Dance

Friday, July 21, 2017

Lone Tree Manor (847) 967-0966

7730 N. Milwaukee, Niles, 60714

\$50 Per Person - No Tickets will be sold at door

Live Music By: Bonjoc Band Attire: Casual "Cash Bar"

To purchase Dinner & Raffle Tickets - Please contact

Lorna Alba - 847 708-2944

Jelly Carandang - 847 679-7058

"Net proceeds benefit SIJ Parish"



Thanks to all for joining us for our Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon. We hope you enjoyed yourself and look forward to next year!



2017 Replace the Roof Raffle "Winners Corner"

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR WINNERS! (Corrected from the week of 6/18/17)

Monday, June 12	\$50	1265	Sr. Marita Zeller	Chicago, Il
Tuesday, June 13	\$50	1859	Pat Calcagno	St. Charles, Il
Wednesday, June 14	\$50	1127	Nora Hilliard	Morton Grove, Il
Thursday, June 15	\$50	1787	St. Isaac Jogues Outreach Ministry	Niles, Il
Friday, June 16	\$50	1831	Leonard Minelli	Niles, Il
Saturday, June 17	\$50	708	Rachel Seymour	Bartlett, Il
Sunday, June 18	\$100	785	Hilda Daly	Morton Grove, Il

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CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR CURRENT WEEKLY WINNERS!

Monday, June 26	\$50	937	Kate Napravnik	Des Plaines, Il
Tuesday, June 27	\$50	1867	Barbara Watson	Mt. Prospect, Il
Wednesday, June 28	\$50	1164	Alex Jalosjos	La Grange Park, Il
Thursday, June 29	\$50	2303	Lawrence Skaja	Park Ridge, Il
Friday, June 30	\$50	182	Audrey Jans	Mt. Prospect, Il
Saturday, July 1	\$100	587	Emily Tihinen	Hoffman Estates, Il
Sunday, July 2	\$100	72	Biju John	Morton Grove, Il



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Elisha promises a baby son to the hospitable woman (2 Kings 4:8-11, 14-16a).

Psalm — For ever I will sing the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 89).

Second Reading — We shall live in newness of life as Christ was raised from the dead (Romans 6:3-4, 8-11).

Gospel — Whoever gives but a cup of cold water to another will surely be rewarded (Matthew 10:37-42).

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

- Sunday: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday: St. Thomas
- Tuesday: Independence Day
- Wednesday: St. Anthony Zaccaria;
St. Elizabeth of Portugal
- Thursday: St. Maria Goretti
- Friday: First Friday
- Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

- Monday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29
- Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-12; Mt 8:23-27;
or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass "For the Country or a City," nos. 882-886, or "For Peace and Justice," nos. 887-891
- Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34
- Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8
- Friday: Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-5; Mt 9:9-13
- Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-17;
- Sunday: Zec 9:9-10; Ps 145:1-2, 8-11, 13-14; Rom 8:9, 11-13; Mt 11:25-30



In Memoriam

- Dina Volpe*
- Deanna Szorc*
- Mary Ann Conradi*
- Sarah Pernice*



St. Isaac Jogues would like to welcome our new Parishioner to the Parish.

Christine Ledesma



INDEPENDENCE DAY

PATRIOTIC ROSARY

The Patriotic Rosary will be prayed at 8 a.m. on Tuesday, July 4th. The Independence Day Mass will be at 9 a.m. All are welcome to come and pray in thanksgiving for our nation!

Parish offices will be closed that day.



- JIMMY RANCICH
- BERNARD KENNEDY, SR.
- MARCY SANTIAGO
- JAMES MAXWELL
- PASCALE
- MIA DOOLEY
- PASTOR LYNNE MORROW
- PASTOR MARK WIBERG
- JULIE HIGGINS
- WILLIAM PARRILLO
- ALDEN MALLARI
- ANNE MARAZZO
- VICTOR SKURAN
- JIMMY OHM
- MICHAEL BARON
- ANGELO MONTANILE
- TONY KOZA
- MARY BURKE
- SR. JOYCE ROEHL

Sunday, July 2, 2017

8:00 a.m. Bernice Dombrowski
 10:00 a.m. Marian Bragiel
 Stanislaw & Emilia Biernacki
 12:00 p.m. Mark Duval
 Edward Kuchowicz

Monday, July 3, 2017

8:00 a.m. Purgatorial Society
 Jacob Matthew

Tuesday, July 4, 2017

9:00 a.m. Mary Jane Polinski

Wednesday, July 5, 2017

8:00 a.m. Adam Antolak
 Merilou & Ronald Timko

Thursday, July 6, 2017

8:00 a.m. Jack & Ann Kessler

Friday, July 7, 2017

8:00 a.m. Marie Batson

Saturday, July 8, 2017

8:00 a.m. Krystyna Swidzinska -
 Special Intention
 5:00 p.m. Living & Deceased Members of SIJ
 Roy Breyer

Sunday, July 9, 2017

8:00 a.m. Living & Deceased Members of SIJ
 Mary Ellen Mc Nicholas & Family
 10:00 a.m. John & Ann Gilbert
 12:00 p.m. Mark Duval

Sacristans

Theresa Noble, Francis Martel, Arlene Turek

Liturgy Next Weekend July 8th & 9th

Confessions - 11:00 a.m. Fr. Mario
 5:00 p.m. Fr. Carlos/Deacon Paul
 8:00 a.m. Fr. Mario/Deacon Paul
 10:00 a.m. Fr. Mario/Deacon Paul
 12:00 p.m. Fr. Carlos/Deacon Paul
 Baptisms - 1:30 p.m. Fr. Mario



Altar Servers

5:00 p.m. Matthew Ledesma
 Nathan Ledesma
 Lawrence Escarez
 8:00 a.m. Michael Lucas
 Mark Lucas
 Eya Dalangin
 10:00 a.m. Maya Gherman
 Lawson Mathew
 Kevin Thomas
 12:00 p.m. Alfonso Hanson
 Lynelle Napata
 Red Reyes

YOUNG ADULT SERVICE EVENT

Hunger doesn't take a summer vacation!...The Young Adult Group invites other young adults and their families to make a difference and participate in a service event at the Schaumburg location of Feed My Starving Children on Thursday, July 13. We will leave SIJ parking lot at 5 p.m., work on making food packages from 6:00-7:30 p.m., stop for dinner (bring your money) and talk, and return to SIJ parking lot by 9:00 p.m.

Information fliers are at the doors of the church and permission slips can be picked up in the Holy Family Room or by contacting the RE Office, 847/966-1180 or sijre2004@yahoo.com. A completed permission form is needed for all who are under the age of 18 by Monday, July 10th. Come make a difference and share in the mission of Jesus with us!

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