

SAINT ISAAC JOGUES PARISH

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

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Pastoral Staff:

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

Weekend Mass Celebrant:

Rev. Bernard Kennedy, O.F.M.

Eucharistic Masses:

Monday - Saturday: 8:00 AM
Saturday: - 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM & 12:00 PM

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Parish Office Hours:

Mon. - Fri. 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Sat. 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday - Closed

Religious Education: 847-966-1180

Email: sijre2004@yahoo.com

Parish School: St. John Brebeuf School

847-966-3266 or sjschool.org

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.

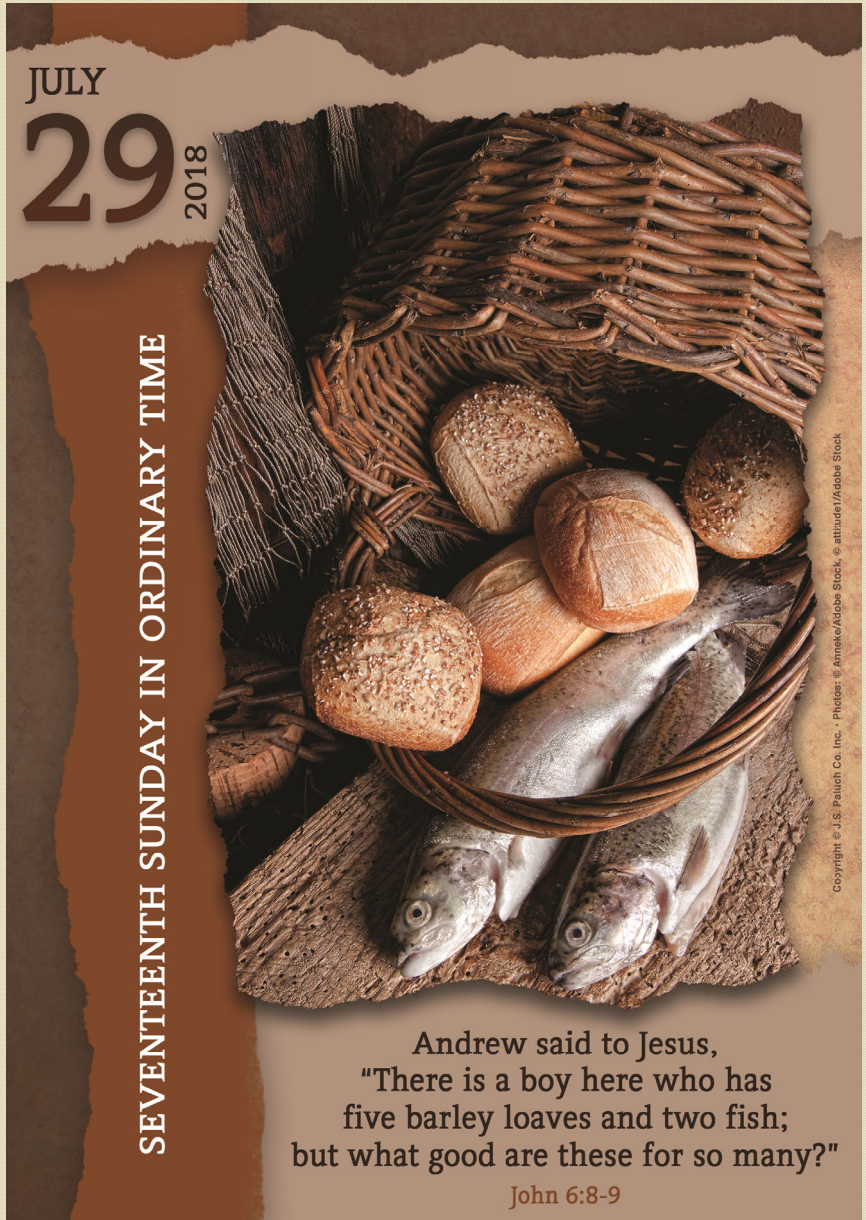
Sunday at 3:00 p.m. (Ceremony only)

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.



JULY

29 2018

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Andrew said to Jesus,
"There is a boy here who has
five barley loaves and two fish;
but what good are these for so many?"

John 6:8-9

ST ISAAC JOGUES - Parish Leaders

Parish Pastoral Council			Finance Committee Advisors	
Ted Lenart, Chairperson	Kathy Denning	Gerry Zeller	Kathy Denning	Barbara Watson
Kathy Lord, Vice Chairperson	Jerry Menezes	Dolores Stanton	Gerry Zeller	
Lorna Alba, Secretary	Debbie Dexter	Maria Swidzinski	Lori Ronczka	
Lori Ronczka	Barbara Napravnik			
Women's Club Chairperson – Louella Preston				
Men's Club Chairperson – Deacon Paul Stanton				
Fil-Am Chairperson – Lorna Alba				



FROM THE
Pastor's Desk

Feeding the Hungry

One of the basic requirements for a human being is food. In order to satisfy his/her hunger he/she would go to any extent to fulfill their need. That is what hunger does to a person, as they start craving for their food. Around 800 million people on the planet still go to bed hungry as per the statistics of the United Nation Food and Agriculture Organization's. We might not understand the problem of hunger as we have not faced it.

How do we solve our problems? Whether our problems are physical or spiritual, we need to go to Jesus. He is all we need. Jesus meets our every need - spiritual, physical, mental and social. We see this in the account of the feeding of the five thousand. This miracle is the only miracle of Jesus that is reported by all four evangelists, indicating that it is a very important miracle. Jesus seeing the crowd said to Philip "where can we buy enough food for them to eat?" Jesus wanted to test Philip for he knew what he was going to do. Philip could have gone back to Jesus and said to him, it is impossible to buy food for this vast crowd but for you it is possible as you are the Messiah, who was to come into the world. The disciples had witnessed his miracle of turning water into wine but till now they had not grasped who Jesus is, even after being witnesses to his miracles.

The people had been hungry, so He fed them; however, Jesus teaches that humanity's greater need is for spiritual food as he says in verse 27, "*Do not work for food that spoils, but for food that endures to eternal life, which the Son of Man will give you.*" We have a lot of scripture references both in the Old Testament as well as in the New Testament. Psalm 146:7 says "*If we are to be godly people, then we must also seek to feed the hungry.*" John the Baptist told the Jews who came to him, "*anyone who has two shirts should share with the one who has none, and anyone who has food should do the same.*" (Lk3/11)

The question that arises is "Do you want to feed the hungry"? We cannot excuse ourselves not to feed others and it is very obvious here that we must do it. So in order for us to feed others, we must feed our selves with Christ as we find in John 6/53. Jesus says "*Unless you eat my flesh and drink my blood, you have no life in you.*" In order to give, you need to have and that is where feeding on Christ's Body and Blood urges us to go forth to give what one has received. When you are feeding others you feed Christ. Nothing is too small for God to use - even a little boy's lunch. The disciples could not see how the child's lunch could be of help.

Who are we to feed then? We need to go to the ends of the world as Jesus commissioned his Apostles before Ascension. Trusting in Him we carry forth his mission. We are reminded of the words of our Savior "*It is more blessed to give than to receive.*" (Acts 20/35)

-Fr. Mario

ST ISAAC JOGUES UPCOMING EVENTS

+Wednesday
OLPH Novena after 8 a.m. Mass

+First Friday
Adoration of Blessed Sacrament from
end of Mass until 3 p.m. followed by
Divine Mercy Chaplet and Benediction.

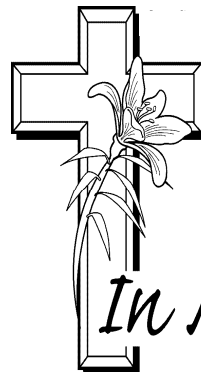
+Sunday,
Aug. 5: Bible Talk, 9 a.m., HFR

BUDDY CONCERT THANK YOU

What a show it was and the dinner was delicious! We thank all the performers for their gift of a great afternoon of music and laughter and memory. We also thank all who bought tickets for the concert, the dinner or both. The net amount from the Buddy Concert (including raffle baskets and drinks and dinner)

was \$6,439!

What a blessing!



Rodeo Maliwanag
Jean Minelli

In Memoriam

PLEASE HELP US!

A list is being compiled of **SIJ School Alum as well as SIJ Religious Education Program Alum**. If you or members of your family are alum of our parish school or religious education program, please email your name, class year, address, and phone number to sijre2004@yahoo.com, drop the info into the Sunday collection or call the RE Office at 847/966-1180.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

Are you seeking a new or deeper relationship with Jesus and with the Catholic Church? A baptized Christian seeking to learn more about the Catholic Church? A baptized Catholic who has not participated in religious education classes nor completed the sacraments of initiation (First Communion and Confirmation)? If you answer yes to any of these questions, please contact Dee Stanton, 847/966-1180 or sjre2004@yahoo.com to learn more about this process of prayer, study, and service.



HELPER CATECHIST FOR SPRED

SPRED is a faith formation and friendship process that uses symbols instead of text books for people who are challenged. We have an adult group here at St. Isaac Jogues and we are seeking an individual who would value being part of a small faith community, helping others grow in their faith and friendship with Jesus, is comfortable with adults with special needs, can make a commitment to attend team meetings and community sessions (12 of each on Wednesdays), along with a couple of Masses during the year. Training is provided for this role of helper catechist. To discuss your possible involvement please contact Dee Stanton, 847/966-1180 or sjre2004@yahoo.com.

Pray for

TONY KOZA
MICHAEL NOBLE
JULIE HIGGINS
JOSEPH WHITE
STAN ZABOROWSKI
PATRICIA CRESSY
JIM MC CABE
MARIA LADD
DIANNE SCHAAB

DEACON MEL STAZINSKI
DEAN JOHANSEN
HAN YI ZAHN
MARCY SANTIAGO
BERNARD KENNEDY, SR
JAMES MAXWELL PASCALE
JIMMY RANCICH
DIANE & GENE KUFFEL
STACI VINCENT
WILLIAM PARRILLO
VIRGINIA CINNICK
ANN LINDSTROM
JULIA HESS

SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE

The Annual School Supply Drive to help the children of families assisted by our Outreach Ministry and of our Sharing Parish, Maternity BVM, will be held the **weekend of August 4-5 in the Holy Family Room**. New supplies create excitement for a new year of learning and growth! We know we can count on each of you! Please start looking for those school supply sales! Every gift (school supplies or monetary donation) will be a blessing to the children and their families.

Thanks for your interest, prayers & support!

Large/XL book covers
encased pencil sharpeners
#2 pencils (Ticonderoga)
pencil top erasers
Crayola crayons (24)
disinfectant wipes
addition flash cards
multiplication flash cards
wide rule notebook paper
wide rule spiral notebooks
Crayola markers (8)
pens (black/blue/red)
colored pencils (12)
plastic compass
paperback dictionary
paperback thesaurus
hand sanitizer
construction/graph paper
3x5 lined index cards

soft pencil cases
2-pocket folders
pink erasers
boxes of tissues
4 oz. glue bottles
glue sticks
division flash card
rulers
highlighters
dry erase makers
3x3" Post it notes
1" & 2" binders
graph paper
plastic protractor
back packs
paper towel
glue sticks
reams/copy paper
scissors



***Have you registered your children for the 2018-2019 Religious Education Program?** If not, please take time now to complete this important task! If you have children who will be in Kindergarten – Gr. 8 in the coming school year and are attending public school, we invite and encourage your participation in the RE Program. Faith formation is a lifelong process! Allow us the blessing to help you help your child build a firm foundation in faith and send them each year for religious education!

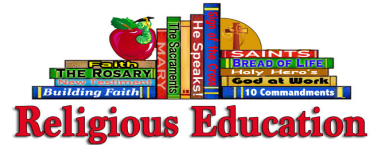
Please note that preparation for sacraments is a two- year process prior to each sacrament. If there is something keeping you from signing up for religious education, please **contact Dolores Stanton, 847/966-1180 or sijre2004@yahoo.com. No one is denied because of financial difficulties or if there is another reason we want to listen and try to be of support to you.**

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.**

Hope you're enjoying summer, but please register as soon as possible. We want your family to share this year with us and we begin on Monday, August 27!

***SAVE THE DATE: Confirmation Year I & II Candidates** (as of the end of August) are reminded of the **day-long Holy Fire Event on Saturday, October 27th**, at the UIC Pavilion. All are expected to attend as part of their Confirmation preparation.

***RE & SPRED Catechists/Assistants are to RSVP to the RE Office by July 30th regarding the August 25th Cluster Retreat, 8 a.m. – 1 p.m.**



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Members of the Chicago professional cabaret community return to help kick-off our 100th anniversary celebration.....IN SONG!

SUNDAY, JULY 29 • 7 p.m. • Large Church
No advance tickets/reservations required.
Suggested donation \$15 per person.



**"In Loving Memory of
Henry Gazdziak"**

Terry & Family



**WEDDING BANS
I**

Congratulations to
Katherine Marie Petersen & Edmond Hartnett
on their upcoming Marriage.

Saturday, August 18, 2018
3:00 PM

Do you have a big heart and helping hands? Come join us!

Rest in His Arms is hosting an angel gown workshop where you can learn to convert wedding dresses into "angel gowns." These angel gowns are given to grieving families when a baby does not make it home due to miscarriage, still-birth or infant death. They are sent to hospitals, funeral homes and individual families. You'll be shown the process and will work alongside veteran gown volunteers who can easily provide you with help, as needed. Unfinished projects can be completed at home and turned into a local area coordinator.



Wedding dresses, patterns and samples will be provided - along with lunch. A workshop will be held at **St. Isaac Jogues** in Niles on **Saturday, August 4th**, 9:30 AM - 2:30PM. Bring your sewing machine, scissors/rotary cutters, pins and seam rippers. Please contact nadineberczynski@gmail.com to RSVP. *Respectfully, we cannot accept wedding gown donations at this time. We have been blessed with an abundance of gowns and need to work through what we already have. Have a blessed day!*

Reminder: Women's Club fundraiser at Nancy's Pizzeria is on Wednesday, August 8th at 4:30 PM located at 8706 W. Golf Rd.

Parking is limited in front and back. Come hungry, have some yummy food and fun with family & friends. All proceeds go to St. Isaac Jogues.

Thanks for your support!

LAST CHANCE - GET YOUR TICKET FOR A CHANCE TO WIN!

A 1 WEEK TIME SHARE OPPORTUNITY AT THE SILVER LEAF FOX RIVER RESORT IN SHERIDAN, ILLINOIS **JUST 90 MINUTES SOUTH OF CHICAGO**. THE ACCOMMODATIONS (Valued at approximately \$1000) INCLUDE A 2 BEDROOM CONDO WITH A KITCHENETTE FROM OCTOBER 12TH - 19TH.



PURCHASE A \$20 RAFFLE TICKET FOR YOUR CHANCE TO WIN AFTER MASSES OR AT THE RECTORY UNTIL SUNDAY, JULY 29TH. WINNER WILL BE PULLED JULY 30TH AND ANNOUNCED IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN.



Some additional notes of interest:
You must be 21 or older to participate
The suite is a 3rd floor walk-up






ALTAR FLOWERS CAN BE A BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE

Parishioners are invited to decorate the altar with flowers in honor or memory of a loved one.

There can be two arrangements each week. Your name and intention is listed in the Bulletin. The cost of a flower arrangement is \$50. Altar flowers are available each weekend until the end of November.

Dates fill up quickly, so please book in advance by calling the rectory at 847-967-1060.

ST. ISAAC JOGUES PARISH CALENDAR – AUGUST 2018

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						
<p>5 School Supply Drive for Maternity BVM Sharing Parish - before/after Masses Bible Talk - 9:00 am - HFRM</p>	<p>6 Bible Study 7:00 pm - HFRM</p>	<p>7 Baptism Preparation - 7:00 pm Deacon Couple's Home</p>	<p>8 Women's Club Fundraiser Nancy's Restaurant and Pizzeria 8706 W. Golf Rd, Niles 4:30 pm - 8:00 pm</p>	<p>9</p>	<p>10 Holy Hour and Benediction 7:00 pm - Church</p>	<p>11 School Supply Drive for Maternity BVM Sharing Parish - before/after 5:00 pm Mass-HFRM SCHOOL DAYS</p>
<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15  ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY C.I.S. PARISH CO., INC. HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION Masses : 8:00 am and 7:00 pm-Church</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17 Holy Hour and Benediction following 8:00 am Mass</p>	<p>18 Summer Mission Appeal Missionary speaking at 5:00 pm Mass</p>
<p>19 Summer Mission Appeal Missionary speaking at all masses</p>	<p>20 RE Faculty Dinner Mtg. 6:30 pm - HFRM</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22 The Praise Singers - 6:00 pm SJJ Choir - 7:15 pm (both rehearsals in Church)</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24 Holy Hour and Benediction 7:00 pm - Church</p>	<p>25 Teen Group Barbeque 6:00 pm - HFRM</p>
<p>26</p>	<p>27  Religious Education Program Family Mass Open House and Classes 6:30 pm - 8:15 pm Church, HFRM, Hall, School</p>	<p>28 Small Faith Group 7:00 pm - Ministry Center</p>	<p>29 The Praise Singers - 6:00 pm SJJ Choir - 7:15 pm (both rehearsals in Church)</p>	<p>30</p>	<p>31 Holy Hour and Benediction 7:00 pm - Church</p>	

Mass Intentions

July 29, 2018	
8:00 a.m.	Candice General Kaczor Family (Special Intention) Domenic & Casilda Fernanco Lydia Reyes
10:00 a.m.	Benjamin Sr. & Irene Vioria
12:00 p.m.	Living & Deceased Members of SIJ William Brian Elliott and Joan Rita Schwander
July 30, 2018	
8:00 a.m.	Purgatorial Society Henry Gazdziak
July 31, 2018	
8:00 a.m.	Mary Cornwell
August 1, 2018	
8:00 a.m.	Tomy Mathai (Special Intention)
August 2, 2018	
8:00 a.m.	Raymond Koz
August 3, 2018	
8:00 a.m.	Helen Polinski Benjamin Sr. & Irene Vioria Jean Minelli
August 4, 2018	
8:00 a.m.	Helen and John Dendor
5:00 p.m.	Mary Jane Polinski
August 5, 2018	
8:00 a.m.	Harry E. Dombrowski Living & Deceased Members of SIJ
10:00 a.m.	Henry Gazdziak Emily Stachura Rose Nowak Savannah Rose Clark Andrzej Mlynarczyk
12:00 p.m.	David Olzeski

Liturgy Next Weekend August 4th and 5th

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



5:00 p.m.	Jonathan Magboo Lawrence Escarez
8:00 a.m.	Rhenz Mangurali Thomas Striblen
10:00 a.m.	Julia Jaroslowski Angelika Dacpano Maya Gherman
12:00 p.m.	Jude Jimmychan Alfonso Hanson

Hear our prayer, O Lord, for our military personnel and first responders. Embrace them and their families in your love and care and keep them safe. Amen

First Responders - Shane Long, Brad Markovich,
Greg Zalewski

United States Air Force - Joshua Aujero
Mason Janzen

United States Army - Brian Caplin, Gale Renner

U.S. Army Reserves - Christopher Dexter

United States Marines - Patrick Edward Echavez
Joseph John Zimmerman III
Lance Renner
Gian Patrick Reyes

United States Navy - Timothy Kelly, David Perez

U.S. Navy Reserves - William B. Dexter

Illinois National Guard - Nathaniel Janzen

To add a name to the prayer list please
contact the RE Office at 847/966-1180 or
sijre2004@yahoo.com.



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