



Sts. Martha & Isaac Jogues Parish

St. Isaac Jogues Church

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Dolores Stanton, Director of Religious Education
Lisa Hall, Director of Music

Weekend Mass Celebrant:

Rev. Bernard Kennedy, O.F.M.

Masses: Monday - Friday, 8AM
Saturday, 5PM
Sunday, 8AM & 10AM

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Parish Office Hours: Closed until further notice - please call the rectory number for assistance.

Religious Education: 847-966-1180

Email: sijre2004@yahoo.com

Parish School: St. John Brebeuf School

847-966-3266 or sjbschool.org

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturdays, 11AM - 12:00PM

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.

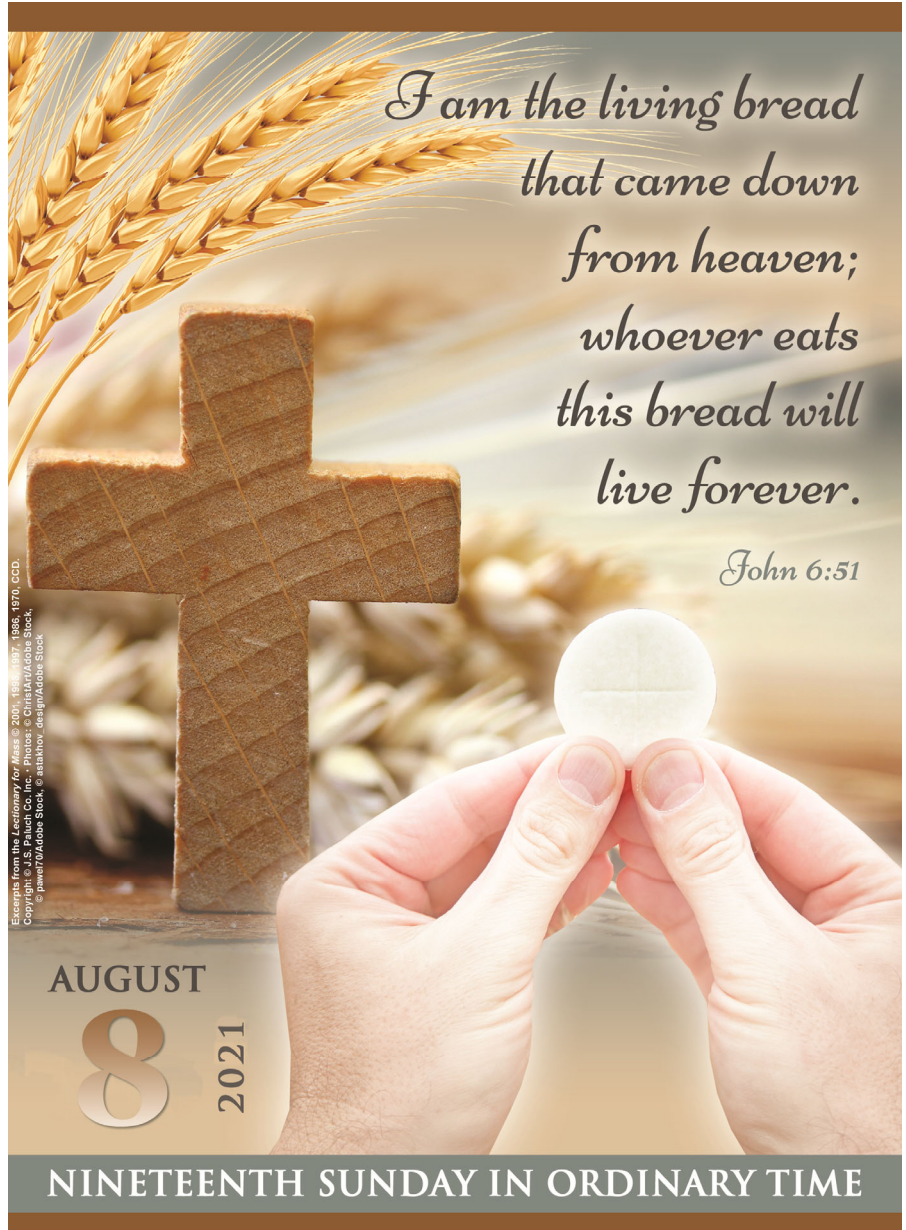
Sunday at 3:00 p.m. (Ceremony only)

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.



ST ISAAC JOGUES - Leaders

Parish Pastoral Council			Finance Committee Advisors	
Ted Lenart, Chairperson	Kathy Denning	Gerry Zeller	Kathy Denning	Barbara Watson
Kathy Lord, Vice Chairperson	Lori Ronczka	Dolores Stanton	Gerry Zeller	Irene Baron
Debbie Dexter	Fernando Bonto	Maria Swidzinski	Lori Ronczka	
John Kadiri	Irene Baron			
Women's Club Chairperson – Louella Preston				
Men's Club Chairperson – Don Baron				
Fil-Am Chairperson – Jelly Carandang (Interim)				

LITANY OF MISSIONARY SAINTS

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.** Christ have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.** Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.** Christ, hear us. **Christ, hear us.** Lord Jesus, hear our prayer. **Lord Jesus, hear our prayer.** God our Father, who desires all to be saved **Have mercy on us.** God the Son, Savior of the World, who died for us **Have mercy on us.** God the Spirit, who call us all to know the Truth **Have mercy on us.**

Response: Pray for the world.

Holy Mary, Queen of Missionaries... St. Joseph... Sts. Peter and Paul... St. Francis Xavier, Patron of the Missions... St. Therese of Lisieux, Patroness of the Missions...

Response: Pray for Africa.

St. Monica... St. Augustine of Hippo... Sts. Perpetual and Felicity... St. Charles Lwanga and the Ugandan Martyrs... St. Josephine Bakhita... Blessed Isidore Bakanja... Blessed Ghebre Mikha'el... Bl. Anuarite Nengapeta... St. Daniel Comboni... All holy men and women of Africa...

Response: Pray for Europe.

St. Francis of Assisi... St. Thomas More... St. Teresa of Avila... St. George... St. Joan of Arc... St. Elizabeth of Hungary... St. Stanislaus Kostka... St. Brigid... St. John Paul II... St. John XXIII... St. Patrick... All holy men and women of Europe...

Response: Pray for America.

St. Frances Xavier Cabrini... St. Elizabeth Ann Seton... St. Peter Claver... St. Katharine Drexel... St. Toribio Romo... St. Mother Theododre Guerin... St. Kateri Tekakwitha... St. Juan Diego... St. Rose of Lima... Sts. Rene Goupil, Isaac Jogues and Jean de Brebeuf... All holy men and women of the Americas...

Response: Pray for Asia.

Sainted Martyrs of Japan... St. John de Brito... Ss. Niokla Tavelic and companions... Sainted Martyrs of Korea... Sts. Lorenzo Ruiz and companions... Sainted Vietnamese Martyrs... St. John Gabriel Perboyre... Sainted Martyrs of China... St. Nimatullah Kassab... St. Kuriakose Elias Chavara... All holy men and women of Asia...

Response: Pray for Oceania.

St. Damien of Moloka'i... St. Peter Chanel... St. Mary MacKillop... St. Pedro Calungsod... St. Marianne Cope... All holy men and women of the Pacific Islands...

Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world; **Forgive us, O Lord.** Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world; **Graciously hear us, O Lord.** Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world; **Have mercy on us.** For the intentions of the Holy Father: **Our Father... Hail Mary... Glory be...**

O God, who desires all Your children to be loved and saved, grant that your holy servants continue to protect and care for the world. And give us the courage to preach Your Word to all the nations. We ask all this through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

The CDC is now recommending that masks be worn inside regardless of vaccination status. Following that guidance, while not mandated, the Archdiocese of Chicago is strongly recommending that all persons entering Archdiocesan facilities be masked regardless of their vaccination status. This applies to parish offices, schools, churches and other public spaces. Observance of this policy aligns us with public health officials mitigation strategies. We must work to take care of ourselves and each other. Further guidance on mask usage during liturgies will be forthcoming for clergy and lay ministers shortly.

2021 MISSIONARY COOPERATION PLAN

This weekend we hold the summer Missionary Cooperation Plan collection, a chance to offer prayer and financial support to missionaries who minister all over the globe. This summer, due to the pandemic, we again cannot have an in-person visitor, but have tried to highlight for you a few of the missionary causes. If you are able, please place a donation to support the 104 participating mission causes in today's second collection (with checks made payable to the parish and we'll send one total check). You can also donate online with a credit card at WeAreMissionary.org/give. In the end we are all called to be missionaries and share with others by our words, witness, prayers and financial support, the love, mercy and hope we have in Jesus Christ our Lord. Thank you for giving strength to our brothers and sisters who go to other parts of the world to do that in our name.

*ACT OF SPIRITUAL
COMMUNION*

Even if we are unable to physically receive Holy Communion at times we can enter into spiritual Communion with the Lord by praying:



My Jesus, I believe that You are truly present in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

I love You above all things, and I desire to possess You within my soul. I am sorry for ever having offended you.

Since I am unable now to receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart.

I embrace You as being already there, and unite myself wholly to You.

Never, never permit me to be separated from You.

Amen.

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Upcoming Events**--Sunday, September 12**

Concert in Honor of the 20th Anniversary of the events of 9/11/2001 at the St. Martha Campus (with opportunity to tour the campus before the concert if you have not been there before).

--Weekend of September 18 – 19

Oscosco Flu Shot Clinic, 4:00-6:15 p.m. on Saturday and 8:30-11:30 a.m. on Sunday; Holy Family Room and Room 6 of the school. Pharmacist administering the flu shots is our parishioner, Blandina Brisku.

--Sunday, September 26

Feast of San Lorenzo Ruiz Mass at Noon, followed by reception (reservations will be necessary for the reception) here at the SIJ Campus hosted by the SIJ Fil-Am Group. For those who have not been here before we will offer the opportunity to tour the campus.

--Sunday, October 24

Annual Buddy Concert Fundraiser, 3 p.m. at SIJ Campus featuring wonderful artists performing in memory of SIJ parishioner Buddy Charles Gries. Tickets on sale mid-September, \$25 per person.



Outreach Pantry wish list

The following items would be helpful for the Outreach Ministry Pantry: canned soups that eat like meals, pork and beans, canned stews and hash, canned vegetables, shampoo, deodorant (that can be used by a man or a woman). Please remember that we do not have the capacity to store fresh foods or meat or bread. Thank you for your generosity those who come to the church in their need.



Come one and all! We can have choirs again at our Masses. Hallelujah! Have you thought about joining one of the choirs? It's a great way to meet people, have fun and worship together.

The adult choir meets on Wednesdays from 7:15 until 9:00pm and we sing at the 8:00am Mass. Our first rehearsal is on August 25 at 7:15pm. Look forward to singing some familiar songs, some new songs, and yes indeed, some Christmas songs. See you there!

Praise singers meet on Wednesdays from 6:00-7:15pm. High school and college students are invited to join. We will have a meeting on Wednesday, Aug. 25

at 6:00pm to discuss which rehearsal days and times will work best for your schedules. Praise Singers will sing every other Sunday at the 10:00am Mass. Come to the meeting and be ready to sing. Bring a friend!



News From the St Martha's Seniors Group

"Today is a day that we have all been looking forward to, as we can safely get back to our senior activities and put this covid -19 pandemic behind us"

The purpose of St. Martha Seniors is to provide a welcoming place where seniors, can meet old friends, acquire new friendships, and discuss current events. Guest speakers keep our members informed of the latest developments relative to senior issues. Socializing, singing and laughing all help to keep our members healthy and energized. Two scheduled community projects allow our members to "give back" to the community and allows them to feel that even though they are older they still are

Calling All Seniors!

useful and can make a difference to others less fortunate.

The Senor's Group at St Martha Church will resume bi-monthly meetings on the first and third Tuesdays beginning September 7 from Noon – 2pm in the Café at 8523 Georgiana Ave, Morton Grove. The café is in the Auditorium/Shrine building.

All Seniors are invited to come together who have been vaccinated against the Covid-19 virus. Since we have not eradicated Covid-19 the following restrictions will be still in effect: We will not be able to serve food or drink during our meetings It is perfectly alright if you want to bring a snack or a drink, but sorry, no sharing! We are asking if you have not been vaccinated against Covid-19 virus, please stay home until you have been fully vaccinated. If you need help getting vaccinated, please call Bob Roman, we can help. Please keep in mind that additional Covid restrictions may be implemented over time as required based on guidance from the CDC and Archdiocese of Chicago.

Since we will not be serving food or drinks at our meetings, the \$20.00 annual dues payment for 2021 will be waived for all new and current members.

If you have any questions, please call the Seniors Group President, Bob Roman at 847-533-9314.



Religious Education

2021 – 2022 RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM REGISTRATION

Religious Education classes begin with a Family Event on **Monday, August 30th, at 6:30 p.m.!** Calendars and class assignments are going out this week. If you have not yet registered your children (Grs. 1 – Confirmation Year II (8th Grade & older) or have questions or concerns you want to discuss, please contact the RE Office this week, 847/966-1180 or sijre2004@yahoo.com. Everyone is welcome!

At this time the program will be in person with masks, assigned seating, and at least 3 ft. apart. If there are changes, we will keep you informed. **Please note** that students must participate in religious education the immediate two years prior to receiving any sacraments (First Communion, Confirmation). If you have friends or neighbors seeking faith formation and religious education for their children, please invite them to consider the SIJ Church Religious Education Program.



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

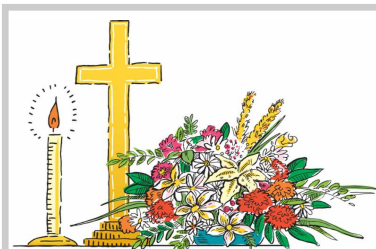
RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a process of prayer, study, and service for those who have never been baptized, are baptized Christian but wanting to learn more about the Catholic Church and how she lives her faith in Jesus or are baptized Catholic but have not received the other sacraments of initiation (First Communion and Confirmation). If you would like to ask some questions or discuss your possible participation, please contact Dee Stanton, 847/966-1180 or sijre2004@yahoo.com. If you know someone with whom you'd like to share this invitation, please do so. All are welcome!



SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE

Our annual School Supplies Drive to benefit local families and Maryville continues through Monday morning! Please bring your donations to church when you come for Mass or bring them to the HFR by 10:30 a.m. Monday. Monetary donations are also appreciated and we will do the shopping. Your support will allow us to help local families and the children at Maryville. Please pray for the students also for a healthy, safe and year full of new learning and skills. Thank you!



Altar Flowers

Lent and again after Pentecost. Your intention and name will be placed in the bulletin each weekend. If you would like to purchase an arrangement, please call the rectory. Available dates go quickly, so you may want to reserve your date soon.

Altar flowers are a lovely way to remember a loved one or a special occasion. Flower arrangements are \$55 each and two can be purchased each weekend before



Pray for

KERMIT TURNER	TONY LIVORSI
MICHAEL NOBLE	JOHN ROMANO
JULIE HIGGINS	AUDREY JANS
CARL AFFATATI	DAVID FORST
EMILY SITKOWSKI	KIMBERLY KNOX
CYNTHIA MELNICK	NONA YOAKUM
MICHAEL FOLISI	ROBERT STEPHENSON
DOROTHY BEZDON	LAURA HALL - SCHORDJE
LORNA ALBA	HENRIETTA SAGARIO
SUSAN ARENDT	MATTHEW PONDER
CINDY NOLAN	MARY SUNSHINE PONDER
MARTHA DEMKO	LAURA & DANNY MORA
REMEDIOS MAGPANTAY	SHARON KILIKEVICE
TIM DENDOR	PELAGIA SAJULGA
CAROLYN BEIL	PATTY ZEMAN
ZENAIDA VENTURA	ALEXANDRA LAQUAGWA
NELSON PETINES	NORBERT FLOREK
TERRY GAZDZIAK	IRENE LINGAYA
	CATHY FORST
	BERNITA DEL ROSARIO

Father of grace and mercy, be with our loved ones and friends as they serve and protect our nation and communities. Bless them and fill them with newness of life. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. Amen.

First Responders - Shane Long, Brad Markovich,
Greg Zalewski

United States Air Force - Joshua Aujero
Mason Janzen

United States Army - Brian Caplin, Gale Renner,
Jordan Irving, Violet Ennis

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

United States Navy - David Perez,
Paul Matthew Ledesma

Illinois National Guard - Nathaniel Janzen

To add a name to the prayer list please
contact the RE Office at 847/966-1180 or
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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — After resting and taking nourishment twice, Elijah is strengthened to walk to the mountain of God, Horeb (1 Kings 19:4-8).

Psalm — Taste and see the goodness of the Lord (Psalm 34).

Second Reading — Be sealed by the Holy Spirit of God so as to be imitators of God and live in love (Ephesians 4:30 — 5:2).

Gospel — Jesus professes that he is the living bread and whoever eats this bread will live forever (John 6:41-51).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Ps 112:1-2, 5-9; Jn 12:24-26

Wednesday: Dt 34:1-2; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20

Thursday: Jos 3:7-10a, 11, 13-17; Ps 114:1-6; Mt 18:21 — 19:1

Friday: Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24; Mt 19:3-12

Saturday: Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15

Sunday: Vigil: 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7,
9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28

Day: Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab;

Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56



*Reuben Benedict Nakar
Mary Ann Hoffman*

In Memoriam

Mass Intentions

Sunday - August 8, 2021

8:00 a.m.	Deceased Members of the Dexter & Minkel Families
10:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of SIJ Fr. Alfredo - Special Intention Walter Postelnick
12:00 p.m.	Roza Jankovic

Monday - August 9, 2021

8:00 a.m.	Purgatorial Society Stanley Jezior
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Tuesday - August 10, 2021

8:00 a.m.	John Affatati
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Wednesday - August 11, 2021

8:00 a.m.	Bernadette Albers
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Thursday - August 12, 2021

8:00 a.m.	Egidio Aranas
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Friday - August 13, 2021

8:00 a.m.	Purificacion & Serafin Rodriguez Christine Uba Dombrowski
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Saturday - August 14, 2021

8:00 a.m.	Treasa Little
5:00 p.m.	John Areno

Sunday - August 15, 2021

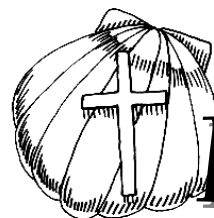
8:00 a.m.	Richard Banner
10:00 a.m.	Helma Drag
12:00 p.m.	John Affatati Tony Irmen Gary Aiello Merilou & Ronald Timko

Next Week Liturgy Schedule August 14th & 15th

Confession - 11:00 a.m.	Fr. Carlos
5:00 p.m.	Fr. Carlos
8:00 a.m.	Fr. Carlos/Deacon Paul
10:00 a.m.	Fr. Bernard



Mrs. Zenaida Sulit



Baptisms

Kai Joseph Greco

Son of Mark & Sharon (Mallari) Greco

Zia Adalee Alianza

Daughter of Ruben & Ma Grace (Seballos) Alianza

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