

# SAINT ISAAC JOGUES PARISH

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

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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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847-966-3266 or [sjbschool.org](http://sjbschool.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.



Stay awake!

You know neither the day nor the hour.

Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 12, 2017

ST ISAAC JOGUES - Parish Leaders

Parish Pastoral Council			Finance Committee Advisors	
Ted Lenart, Chairperson	Kathy Denning	Gerry Zeller	Kathy Denning	Barbara Watson
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<b>Women's Club Chairperson</b> – Kathy Denning				
<b>Men's Club Chairperson</b> – John Affatati				
<b>Fil-Am Chairperson</b> – Lorna Alba				



FROM THE  
Pastor's Desk

## Stay Awake

We have to be alert and awake in our life lest we invite disaster or put our life in danger. A fraction of a second can even cause great harm. To understand it better, I would like to narrate an anecdote that will help us understand the meaning of staying awake. A German bank employee was in the middle of transferring 62.40 euros from a customer's bank account when he suddenly nodded off. His "power-nap" took place while his finger was still on the "2" key, resulting in 222-million euro (300 million dollars US) transfer into the customer's account. The sleepy state of the worker nearly became a nightmare for the bank, all because he wasn't being alert.

By advising his disciples to stay awake, meaning be prepared, vigilant, on guard, fully aware even in the time of the unknown, and if they didn't remain alert, they too would make a costly mistake. Being awake here would be equated to righteousness, doing God's will, walking the path of truth and life.

Life is time and to waste time is to waste life. Many people lazily waste a significant amount of time on the trivial, temporal and on materialistic things. Many squander hours vegetating in front of their TV or computer seeking only to be entertained. To be awake, one needs to be physically healthy, eating the right type of food, getting the required hours of sleep; and knowing to relax in the right manner. Once the physical needs are taken care of then the spiritual requirement follows.

Jesus was very much aware of the weakness of humans. God has given us marvelous minds to use, study, learn, observe, analyze, judge and think. Knowing our nature well, Jesus cautions us to use all the things that God has given us in the right manner. That way we are putting to good use those things by which we can identify as good from bad and thus be alert in serving and doing God's will.

Today more than anything else Jesus is asking us to live out the vigilance that He desired from the first disciples, by staying awake and avoiding the most costly mistake of denying Him. Stay awake at all times lest we indulge in sinful acts.

-Fr. Mario

## St. Isaac Jogues News

**All Altar Servers Meeting,**  
Nov. 13, 6 p.m., HFR

**Spiritual Life Commission,**  
Nov. 14, 7 p.m., RE Office

**Interreligious Thanksgiving Service,**  
Nov. 22, 7:30 p.m.,  
Muslim Community Center, Morton Grove,  
all are welcome.

**Patriotic Rosary, 8 a.m., and Thanksgiving Day  
Mass, 9 a.m., Nov. 23, church**

**Women's Center  
Christmas Wreath & Greenery Sale,**  
HFR, all Masses, 11/25-26



*Harold J. Park*

*In Memoriam*

*THE WILD GOOSE IS LOOSE:*  
Series on the Holy Spirit

*"The **Wild Goose** was a term that the ancient Celts had for the **Holy Spirit**....The Wild Goose Project is a simple attempt to invite Catholic Christians into a more profound life giving relationship with the Holy Spirit...a relationship that will take us on the greatest adventure imaginable; a journey to the very Heart of God."*

All are invited to participate in the next two sessions of this **faith formation series** that can help you experience a deeper relationship with the Person of the Holy Spirit. The sessions include viewing a dvd and discussion. They are on **Mondays at 8:30 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.** Each session lasts **an hour**. Light refreshments will be served. Freewill offerings appreciated. Dates are: **Nov. 13 – The Breath of God; and Nov. 27 – Baptism in the Spirit & Fire.** If you have questions, please contact the RE Office at 847/966-1180 or [sjire2004@yahoo.com](mailto:sjire2004@yahoo.com).

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November 1, 2017

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

When Pope Francis announced that the First World Day of the Poor would take place on November 19, 2017, he stated that, "Whenever we set out to love as Jesus loved, we have to take the Lord as our example; especially when it comes to loving the poor," reminding us once again that we should always care for our brothers and sisters affected by poverty.

The Catholic Campaign for Human Development answers Christ's call to action by addressing the root causes of poverty and injustice in low-income communities through financial support of grassroots initiatives and transformative educational efforts. One such organization is the South Side Community Federal Credit Union. With the support of a CCHD grant, the SSCFCU has saved over 875 families from foreclosure through housing and credit counseling and has reinvested over \$1 million in assets in the local economy through interest rate loans in neighborhoods that are otherwise vulnerable to high rates of poverty, unemployment, and financial instability.

By emphasizing self-help, participation, and cooperation, the Catholic Campaign for Human Development's holistic approach leads to increased human dignity and stronger, more economically viable communities. To learn more about CCHD's impact in our communities or to donate online, please visit [www.CCHDChicago.org](http://www.CCHDChicago.org).

Your generous support of the CCHD Annual Collection, which will take place on Saturday, November 18 and Sunday, November 19, is the primary source of funding for over twenty organizations working to combat poverty and injustice in Cook and Lake Counties. It is my prayer that, as we prepare for the annual celebration of Thanksgiving Day, you consider contributing to CCHD through this secondary collection and keep its efforts in your thoughts and prayers. With every good wish, I remain,

Sincerely yours in Christ,

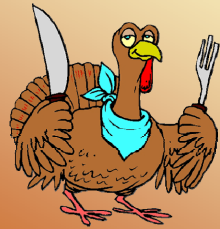
  
Cardinal Blase J. Cupich  
Archbishop of Chicago

**CATHOLIC FUNERAL RITES: WHAT TO DO WHEN A LOVED ONE DIES, Today in the Holy Family Room at 1:15 p.m.**

When a loved one dies, how do we start the process of planning for their funeral? What are options? What happens during the Wake Service? At the cemetery? How involved can the family be with planning the Funeral Mass? What music is appropriate for the Mass and how do we go about choosing it? What does the Church say about cremation? How do we plan with faith, hope, and respect all while beginning the process of grieving? Join us **for a workshop on our Catholic Funeral Rites on Sunday, November 12<sup>th</sup>, 1:15 p.m. in the Holy Family Room to explore and discuss these questions and more.**



Thanks to everyone who helped with the Carson's Community Days Event this past week including those who purchased the booklets and shopped and those that sold and worked to make this event successful. Carson's Days was a huge success! Thanks for your generous support. Watch for the next major sale at Carsons next year.



Still time!  
 SIJ Outreach Ministry is preparing for our Thanksgiving Baskets. Your donations of the following will help complete a Thanksgiving Basket for our most needy families with food for the holiday and a few additional days.  
 Please consider - stuffing, potatoes, rice, tuna, cereal

**Attention ...COOKIE BAKERS**

We are planning our 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Christmas Cookie Sale  
 Saturday and Sunday , December 9 – 10

Please remember our cookie sale when you are baking your Christmas Cookies and plan to share a few of your favorite cookies. Your cookies will be greatly appreciated.



Members of the John 17 Fellowship at Holy Name Cathedral Oct. 31st for the Renewal of the Covenant between the Archdiocese of Chicago and the Metropolitan Chicago Synod (ELCA). The John 17 Fellowship is comprised of St. Isaac Jogues Church, Messiah Lutheran in Park Ridge and Holy Trinity Lutheran in Glenview.

**Clothing Drive**

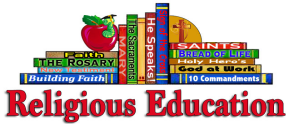


Time to clean out the closets and help those in need. Cornerstone Community Outreach provides shelter to homeless and feeds people in the neighborhood who need assistance. Please bring your clean usable items before noon on Sun. 11/19. At this time of year, they especially need coats, gloves, hats & scarves along with blankets, pillows, sheets and towels.



**2017 Replace the Roof Raffle "Winners Corner"**  
**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF OUR WINNERS!**


Monday, November 6	\$50	337	Rose Martello	Niles, Il
Tuesday, November 7	\$50	2076	Elizabeth Koziol	Chicago, Il
Wednesday, November 8	\$50	560	Pat Grant	Arlington Hts, Il
Thursday, November 9	\$50	155	Lisa Lisowski	Chicago, Il
Friday, November 10	\$50	674	Michael Baron	South Elgin, Il
Saturday, November 11	\$50	371	Thomas Dobrino	Escondido, Ca
Sunday, November 12	\$100	80	Daryl Bellissimo	Mission Viejo, Ca



+Food and monetary donations for our Thanksgiving Project should be sent to class this Monday night if you have not already done so. Please see the newsletter for requests.

+First Reconciliation permission slips and Dinner/Presentation at St. Martha permission slips will be given out in class Monday night.

+Our first **RE Families Event is next Sunday, Nov. 19<sup>th</sup>**, beginning with the Noon Mass followed by lunch and activities about the liturgical year. We will be done by 2:30 p.m. This is part of your commitment in the RE Program this year. **Third Grade families** are asked to bring **desserts** and **Sixth Grade families** are to asked to bring **side dishes**. **If your family is assisting at the Mass, please check in with Mrs. Stanton by 11:45 a.m.**

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**Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD)**

*"Learn to do good; seek justice, rescue the oppressed, defend the orphan, plead for the widow." —Isaiah 1:17*


CCHD empowers the poor by funding organizations that:

- Equip residents to address violence in their neighborhoods
- Secure protections for vulnerable workers
- Defend the rights of seniors, immigrants, and those with disabilities

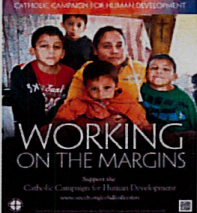
**Please support the CCHD collection on November 18 & 19**

To learn more and donate online, visit [www.CCHDchicago.org](http://www.CCHDchicago.org)

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CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT




**WEDDING BANS II**

Lemuel Loquellano & Glenne Gamber  
Sunday, November 19, 2017



**SHOUT OUT TO ALL TEENS!**


Don't forget there's a **TEEN GROUP MEETING TODAY**, 11 a.m., Holy Family Room!

\*Like our Facebook page - St. Isaac Jogues Teens - so you can find out what's going on.

**LET US PRAY...**

O God, our help and our hope, bless and protect our loved ones and all others who serve our communities and our nation in the Armed Forces and as First Responders. Watch over them and their families through Christ our 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
U.S. Army Reserves	Christopher Dexter
United States Marines	Patrick Edward Echavez, Joseph John Zimmerman III,
	Lance Renner, Gian Patrick Reyes
United States Navy	Justin Pascoe, 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](mailto:sijre2004@yahoo.com).

**TODAY'S READINGS**

**First Reading** — Wisdom is easily discerned by those who love her (Wisdom 6:12-16).

**Psalm** — My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God (Psalm 63).

**Second Reading** — Since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have died (1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 [13-14]).

**Gospel** — Stay awake! You know neither the day nor the hour (Matthew 25:1)

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 Monday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini  
 Wednesday: St. Albert the Great  
 Thursday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude  
 Friday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary  
 Saturday: The Dedication of the Basilicas of Ss. Peter and Paul; St. Rose Philippine Duchesne; Blessed Virgin Mary



**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Monday: Wis 1:1-7; Ps 139:1b-10; Lk 17:1-6  
 Tuesday: Wis 2:23 — 3:9; Ps 34:2-3, 16-19; Lk 17:7-10  
 Wednesday: Wis 6:1-11; Ps 82:3-4, 6-7; Lk 17:11-19  
 Thursday: Wis 7:22b — 8:1; Ps 119:89-91, 130, 135, 175; Lk 17:20-25  
 Friday: Wis 13:1-9; Ps 19:2-5ab; Lk 17:26-37  
 Saturday: Wis 18:14-16; 19:6-9; Ps 105:2-3, 36-37, 42-43; Lk 18:1-8 or (for the memorial of the Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31; Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33  
 Sunday: Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31; Ps 128:1-5; 1 Thes 5:1-6; Mt 25:14-30 [14-15, 19-21]



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 JAMES MAXWELL PASCALE  
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 ELAINE ZOURKAS  
 SHARON MC CANN

**AN INVITATION TO JOIN MINISTRY OF PRAISE**

Do you miss participating in parish life? Want to be involved but can't handle a lot of meetings or get around like you want? Feel the need to do more? Well, you're invited to join with others in the **MINISTRY OF PRAISE** to pray each day and to support, embrace, lift up and strengthen our parish, Church and world. You are asked to commit at least 30 minutes a day (spread out or all at one time) to pray for special intentions of the parish, Church and world. There are no meetings or committees...just prayer in your own time and place. A prayer book is provided to use as you choose. You can continue to pray in your own way with your own spiritual exercises and devotions. If you would like to share in this ministry, please fill out the form below or call Dee Stanton at 847/966-1180. Thank you!

**MINISTRY OF PRAISE RESPONSE FORM**

Yes, I want to be a Minister of Praise and support the parish's spiritual life through daily prayer.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday (Month & day) \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

## Mass Intentions

November 12, 2017	
8:00 a.m.	Arlene Forneck
10:00 a.m.	Adam & Nellie Skworch Edward J. O'Keefe Robert Ladlad Lucien Baros Daniel O'Keefe
12:00 p.m.	Living & Deceased members of SIJ Jeffrey Musni Eduardo Rodriguez
November 13, 2017	
8:00 a.m.	Purgatorial Society Andrzej Mlynarczyk
November 14, 2017	
8:00 a.m.	Joseph Putherickal
November 15, 2017	
8:00 a.m.	Joseph Dipietro Constantine Karamitsos Kevin Kenney
November 16, 2017	
8:00 a.m.	Marian Bragiel Stanislaw & Emilia Biernacki
November 17, 2017	
8:00 a.m.	Jack Sanfilipo
November 18, 2017	
8:00 a.m.	Jenny Plocharczyk - Special Intention
5:00 p.m.	Lisa Garber
November 19, 2017	
8:00 a.m.	Richard M. Arendt
10:00 a.m.	Deacon Robert O'Keefe
12:00 p.m.	Carlo Lambo Kluadia Fic

## Liturgy Next Weekend November 18th & 19th

Confessions - 11:00 a.m.	Fr. Mario
5:00 p.m.	Fr. Mario
8:00 a.m.	Fr. Carlos/Deacon Paul
10:00 a.m.	Fr. Bernard
12:00 p.m.	Fr. Carlos/Deacon Paul
3:00 p.m. Convalidation Mass	Fr. Mario



5:00 p.m.	Trisha Bonto Matthew Bonto Kristine Roque
8:00 a.m.	Rhenz Mangurali Steve Livingston Khayla Santiago
10:00 a.m.	Maya Gherman Julia Jaroslawski Rafael Cedric Ortin, Jr.
12:00 p.m.	Alec Sayson Abby Sayson Lynelle Napata

## Sacristans

Theresa Noble, Francis Martel,  
Arlene Turek, Nina Nissan, Louise Burdi

We are required to keep the fire lanes open at all times. If you see someone parking illegally, please ask them to move. It could save YOUR life! If YOU continue to park illegally, you can be ticketed and towed!



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