



All Saints Parish

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You have approached
Mount Zion and the city
of the living God,
the heavenly Jerusalem,
and countless angels
in festal gathering.

Hebrews 12:22

AUGUST 28, 2022

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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.



The following items are needed for the Outreach Ministry Pantry: **bottles of Boost or Ensure (nutrition supplement), canned soups that eat like meals, canned stews, hash, and chicken, peanut butter, jelly, canned vegetables (other than green beans), canned fruit, crackers, pancake mix and syrup, small cans of deviled ham, granola bars and other individually wrapped items for homeless bags, laundry detergent, shampoo, deodorant** (that can be used by a man or a woman). Thank you, but we have plenty, plenty of tuna fish at this time. Please remember there is no capacity to store fresh foods, meat or bread and we cannot accept outdated items. The pantry is running low and the above items will be greatly appreciated!



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 after Pentecost until Thanksgiving. 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.

SPIRITUAL READING -- From the Confessions of St. Augustine, bishop (Memorial is today, 8/28)

"Urged to reflect upon myself, I entered under your guidance into the inmost depth of my soul. I was able to do so because you were my helper. On entering into myself I saw, as it were with the eyes of the soul, what was beyond the eye of the soul, beyond my spirit; you immutable light. It was not the ordinary light perceptible to all flesh, nor was it merely something of greater magnitude but still essentially akin, shining more clearly and diffusing itself everywhere by its intensity. No, it was something entirely distinct, something altogether different from all these things; and it did not rest above my mind as oil on the surface of water, nor was it above me as heaven is above earth. This light was above me because it had made me; I was below it because I was created by it. He who has come to know the truth knows this light.

O eternal truth, true love and beloved eternity. You are my God. To you do I sigh day and night. When I first came to know you, you drew me to yourself so that I might see that there were things for me to see, but that I myself was not yet ready to see them. Meanwhile you overcame the weakness of my vision, sending forth most strongly the beams of your light, and I trembled at once with love and dread. I learned that I was in a region unlike yours and far distant from you, and I thought I heard your voice from on high: "I am the food of grown men; grown then, and you will feed on me. Nor will you change me into yourself like bodily food, but you will be changed into me."

I sought a way to gain the strength which I needed to enjoy you. But I did not find it until I embraced the *mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus, who is above all, God blessed for ever*. He was calling me and saying: *I am the way of truth, I am the life*. He was offering the food which I lacked the strength to take, the food he had mingled with our flesh. For the Word became flesh, that your wisdom, by which you created all things, might provide milk for us children.

Late have I loved you, O Beauty ever ancient, ever new, late have I loved you! You were within me, but I was outside and it was there that I searched for you. In my unloveliness I plunged into the lovely things which you created. You were with me, but I was not with you. Created things kept me from you; yet if they had not been in you they would not have been at all. You called, you shouted, and you broke through my deafness. You flashed, you shone, and you dispelled my blindness. You breathed your fragrance on me; I drew in breath and now I pant for you. I have tasted you, now I hunger and thirst for more. You touched me, and I burned for your peace."



Serve the Lord with Gladness

LITURGICAL MINISTERS

If you would like to share your faith, time and energy with our parish in one of our liturgical ministries -- Usher, Eucharistic Minister, Sacristan, Altar Server (Gr. 4 – Adult), Liturgy Planner or Lector – and would like to discuss your possible involvement, please contact the Rectory, 847/967-1060, or the SIJ RE Office, 847/966-1180 this week. Training is provided

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.

St. Isaac Jogues
Upcoming Events

Monday – RE Ice Cream Social, 6 p.m. at St. Martha in parking lot; 6:30 – RE Classes for students and meeting for parents/guardians in big church.

First Friday – Adoration and Benediction from end of 8 a.m. Mass to 9:30 a.m., HFR at SIJ.

Saturday -- Sacrament of Reconciliation, **11:00 a.m.**

Weekend of Sept. 3 – 4 – Second Collection to help reduce parish deficit.

Monday, Sept. 5 – Parish Labor Day Mass at St. Martha Church, 9 a.m. This is the only Mass of the day.

Wednesday, Sept. 7 – OLPH Novena after 8 a.m. Mass at SIJ; Morning Bible Study Group, 9:30 a.m.



Wedding Banns

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Dominick M. Burdi, Jr. &
Karolina Gajek

September 10, 2022

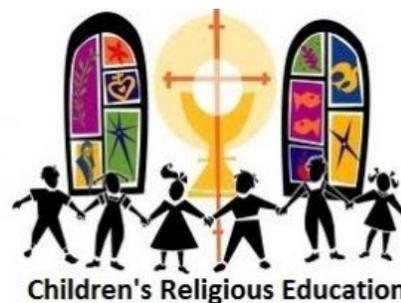


Sending thanks to everyone after our 2nd Annual All Saints Parish Picnic. God provided glorious weather for our more than 200 adults & children who ate hot dogs, played games, danced and took time to get to know each other. Thanks to all of the volunteers who helped with everything from set up to clean up. Without all of your help a large picnic would not be possible. Our Religious Education raffle raised over \$1100 to help support program activities and expenses. Thanks to our DJ, Joe Delfin, past St. Martha parishioner for jumping in at the last moment to provide music after our original DJ had to cancel due to a family emergency. Hope to see you all at the next picnic!



SPRED

At least **two helper Catechists** are being sought for the **Parish SPRED Community** (comprised of SIJ and SM friends) which works with adults 22+ to share faith and friendship. Training is provided. We are still working out day and time but are considering Monday or Tuesday, 3:30-5:00 p.m. The sessions will be held at St. Isaac Jogues. If you have a big heart, patience with people with special needs, a desire to share your time, faith and friendship, we would very much like to talk with you. Please call 847/966-1180 or email sijre2004@yahoo.com.

**+The 2022-23**

Religious Education Program for children in Grs. 1 - 8 begins Monday with an ice cream social at 6 p.m. in St. Martha's parking lot, followed by class for the children and a meeting in the big church for the parents/guardians at 6:30 p.m. Classes will be on Monday evenings at St. Martha, 6:30-7:45 p.m. Please note that registrations will not be accepted Monday. For registration information please contact Liz Frake, liz@saintmarthachurch.org.
+We are seeking Catechist Assistants for the RE Program on Monday evenings. For more information contact Liz Frake, liz@saintmarthachurch.org
+Monthly Family Mass and Formation begins in September 18th. **Former or new catechists** to assist with teaching, activities, etc. are needed once a month on a Sunday. These Family Events will alternate between St. Isaac Jogues & St. Martha Churches. To discuss your possible involvement with this monthly ministry opportunity (Sept. - May) please call Dee Stanton, 847/966-1180 or email her at sijre2004@yahoo.com.

BIBLE STUDY GROUPS

It is so important to our spiritual lives to study and understand the Word of God as well as it helping us with our prayer and worship. A Wednesday Morning Bible Study will begin on September 7th at 9:30 a.m. in Rm. 8 of the school at St. Isaac Jogues (please enter building by outside door #12). We are also planning on an evening Bible Study to be held at St. Martha's either on Tuesdays or Thursdays (depending on some other meetings). More info about the evening Bible Study at St. Martha's will be available soon. All are welcome to one or the other or both no matter how much or how little experience you have with Bible Study. There will be a fee for the materials but if you have a financial concern, come anyway and we'll work something out. For more information please contact Dee Stanton, 847-966-180 or sijre2004@yahoo.com.

**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!



Pray for

KERMIT TURNER	TONY LIVORSI
MICHAEL NOBLE	JOHN ROMANO
CARL AFFATATI	AUDREY JANS
EMILY SITKOWSKI	DAVID FORST
CYNTHIA MELNICK	KIMBERLY KNOX
MICHAEL FOLISI	NONA YOAKUM
DOROTHY BEZDON	ROBERT STEPHENSON
LORNA ALBA	HENRIETTA SAGARIO
CINDY NOLAN	MATTHEW PONDER
MARTHA DEMKO	MARY SUNSHINE PONDER
REMEDIOS MAGPANTAY	LAURA & DANNY MORA
TIM DENDOR	CHRISTINE L. L. BOWER
CAROLYN BEIL	SHARON KILIKEVICE
FRANK BEIL	PELAGIA SAJULGA
NELSON PETINES	PATTY ZEMAN
TERRY GAZDZIAK	ALEXANDRA LAQUAGWA
FR. DAN FALLON	IRENE LINGAYA
CURT NAPRAVNIK	CATHY FORST
JOHN FOLISI	BERNITA DEL ROSARIO
DAVID NUCCIO	ROSE SIMPSON
ALISON TOLSON LORD	KATHY EGLOFF
GARZA	JOSEPH WHITE
VICENTE F. CASTILLO	CORNELIO NATIFIDAD II
MELISSA MCKNIGHT	BRENDA WHITEHEAD
DIANE AHMEND-MULROE	CHERYL HEYDENBURG
MAUREEN KOSCIELNIAK	FR BERNARD KENNEDY
	OLIVIA TARSNEY
	JIMMY RANCICH
	PATRICIA DRABEK

NO SURPRISES

We are told by all spiritual writers that one important point to bear in mind, as we seek to attain humility, is not to be surprised by our own faults and failures.

—François Fénelon, archbishop of Cambrai

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, Elena McGannon

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, Kyle Franklin
Gian Patrick Reyes
Christopher Pruden

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
sijre2004@yahoo.com.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Conduct your affairs with humility and God will favor you (Sirach 3:17-18, 20, 28-29).

Psalm — God, in your goodness, you have made a home for the poor (Psalm 68).

Second Reading — You have approached Jesus, the mediator of a new covenant (Hebrews 12:18-19, 22-24a).

Gospel — When invited to dine, take the lowest place. Those who humble themselves will be exalted (Luke 14:1, 7-14).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: 1 Cor 2:1-5; Ps 119:97-102; Mk 6:17-29

Tuesday: 1 Cor 2:10b-16; Ps 145:8-14; Lk 4:31-37

Wednesday: 1 Cor 3:1-9; Ps 33:12-15, 20-21;
Lk 4:38-44

Thursday: 1 Cor 3:18-23; Ps 24:1bc-4ab, 5-6;
Lk 5:1-11

Friday: 1 Cor 4:1-5; Ps 37:3-6, 27-28, 39-40;
Lk 5:33-39

Saturday: 1 Cor 4:6b-15; Ps 145:17-21; Lk 6:1-5

Sunday: Wis 9:13-18b; Ps 90:3-6, 12-17;
Phlm 9-10, 12-17; Lk 14:25-33

Mass Intentions

Sunday - August 28, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of SIJ Ofelia Valencia
10:00 a.m.	Edward Puisis Mary Dijitha Chrystal & Tony Timko

Monday - August 29, 2022

9:00 a.m.	Purgatorial Society Vareed Kannampuzha
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Tuesday - August 30, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Lisa Garber & Josephine Martocci
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Wednesday - August 31, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Joe De Sario Thresiamma Putherickal Joseph Thuruthikara Egidio Aranas Sylwia & Ryan Murphy & Family - Special Intentions
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Thursday - September 1, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Mercedes Donato
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Friday - September 2, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Kunjuamma Job
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Saturday - September 3, 2022

5:00 p.m.	Paul Chirayath Theresa Brady John Areno Dan Sobieski
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Sunday - September 4, 2022

8:00 a.m.	Living & Deceased Members of SIJ Ofelia Valencia
10:00 a.m.	Edward Pui8sis Mary Dijitha Chrystal & Tony Timko

Next Week's Liturgy Schedule September 3rd & 4th

Reconciliation 11:00 a.m.	Fr. Carlos
5:00 p.m.	Fr. Carlos/Deacon Leke
8:00 a.m.	Fr. Carlos
10:00 a.m.	Fr. Tom/Deacon Leke

PRAYER OF THE WEEK Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

God of might, giver of every good gift,
put into our hearts the love of your name,
so that, by deepening our sense of
reverence,
you may nurture in us what is good
and, by your watchful care,
keep safe what you have nurtured.
Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
who lives and reigns with you
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
God, for ever and ever.

Reflection question:

Toward what or whom should I have a
sense of reverence?

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