



# SAINT ISAAC JOGUES PARISH

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*The just shall shine  
like the stars*



**Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
November 15, 2009**

From the Pastor

## THE PARISH FINANCIAL REPORT

### *The Short Fall and the Long Haul*

#### THE NEGATIVE

Bob Kerls is an excellent business manager. Carefully read his annual Financial Report in today's bulletin. St. Isaac Jogues Parish Mission Statement challenges and encourages us

*to help bring about and experience the Kingdom of God through active involvement, evangelization, and stewardship.*

I am proud of our history and I believe in our future. Still, like you, I am disturbed by our unexpected deficit. My gut reaction is right out of Charles Dickens. I hear Mr. Micawber pronounce:



*Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure nineteen nineteen six, result happiness. Annual income twenty annual expenditure twenty pounds ought and six, result misery.*

I am not an economist, accountant, or a financial analyst. I do not have to be to recognize that even the best budgetary forecast is subject to the **UNEXPECTED** - stormy weather, flooding, the high cost of snow removal. Nor are budget forecasts immune to changing trends in private school enrollment. Our tenant, **Children's Learning World**, had fewer students, needed fewer classrooms, and paid us less rent. Bingo also brought in a lower profit. Weather was partially responsible for that too. While we depend on our tenants and **Bingo**, our deficit was also the result of **a decline in weekend contributions.**

Extraordinary expense for necessary repairs to the Rectory has been an ongoing concern. Special

collections for parish needs have been kept to a minimum. Rectory replacement of porous brick, plastered walls and part of the roof could hardly have been anticipated fully in last year's budget! When special parish collections occur, please try to understand and be generous.

#### PICTURE IN PROGRESS

Some time ago, Bob Kerls proposed a simple solution to our deficit problems. In his bulletin updates and "financial snapshots," there is a record of the "ups and downs" of parish giving. Bob has suggested that if everyone gives \$2 more in his or her weekend envelope, the deficit will no longer be a problem. We are grateful that many parishioners have responded to Bob's appeal. But sometimes we recognize that God is giving us a preview of the "hundredfold..." something beyond **our** efforts and expectations.

There is a kind of "in joke" in most rectories. When we tell people to find information in the Bulletin, the customary retort is,

#### **"BUT NOBODY READS THE BULLETIN!"**

If you have read thus far, congratulations! But I can honestly say that a recent experience convinces me that people not only read the Bulletin, they really care about their parish!

I received a telephone call from a parishioner about an appointment. In the course of our conversation, he told me he read about the deficit and wanted to do something about it. Soon after the call, the parishioner came in to the Rectory and handed me an envelope. He said little, But made me promise to keep the gift anonymous. When I opened the envelope, I found a check for \$3,000. Extraordinary? Perhaps, but whether it is \$2 or \$3,000 ... it can be like a "negative" transformed-- a "picture in progress." If you have not already done so, please add \$ 2 or more to your regular weekend offering. Help us to eliminate the shortfall, and for the "long haul."

- Fr. Luczak



## St. Isaac Jogues Financial Results for Fiscal Year 2009 (July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009)

Each Parish in the Archdiocese of Chicago is required annually to publish its financial results. This is an important requirement to ensure oversight, transparency and good stewardship.

This has been a very difficult year for our nation and our community! The financial problems which have hit many of our parishioners are reflected in the Parish's financial results. As you will see in the following tables the Parish incurred a deficit for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009. Factors which contributed to this deficit are detailed on the following pages.

For Fiscal Year 2010 a balanced budget was submitted to the Archdiocese. This budget is based upon a pay freeze for all parish employees, reduced spending and an increase in Sunday Collections.

The following table provides an overview of St. Isaac's Fiscal Year 2009 results compared to Fiscal year 2008. Additional detailed information is provided on the following pages.

<b>St. Isaac Jogues Parish</b>			
<b>Results for Fiscal Year 2009</b>			
<b>INCOME</b>	2009	2008	Inc(Dec)
SUNDAY	\$559,620	\$565,023	\$(5,403)
CHRISTMAS	42,661	43,712	(1,051)
EASTER	21,369	20,046	1,323
REL. ED. TUITION & FEES	34,932	33,630	1,302
LEASE INCOME	129,680	166,466	(36,786)
INTEREST	4,607	12,156	(7,549)
BINGO INCOME	30,275	35,347	(5,072)
STIPENDS	25,028	28,616	(3,588)
PARISH SOCIETIES	14,686	31,749	(17,063)
OTHER INCOME	15,207	16,141	(934)
<b>TOTAL RECEIPTS</b>	<b>\$878,065</b>	<b>\$952,886</b>	<b>\$(74,821)</b>
<b>ORDINARY EXPENSES:</b>			
SALARIES	\$431,693	\$405,636	\$26,057
PAYROLL TAXES & BENEFITS	80,289	80,332	(43)
UTILITIES	100,359	86,936	13,423
LITURGY & MUSIC	21,967	23,511	(1,544)
REL. ED. BOOKS & SUPPLIES	5,931	5,874	57
ADMIN EXPENSES	42,780	46,158	(3,378)
RECTORY EXPENSES	14,858	21,295	(6,437)
MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	47,014	55,645	(8,631)
ALL OTHER	52,652	56,454	(3,802)
SCHOOL SUBSIDY	32,000	25,000	7,000
DIOCESAN CHARGES	123,022	126,155	(3,133)
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$952,565</b>	<b>\$932,996</b>	<b>\$19,569</b>
<b>OPERATING INCOME</b>	<b>\$(74,500)</b>	<b>\$19,890</b>	<b>\$(94,390)</b>

### Financial Highlights FY 2009

- **Operating Expenses exceeded Income by \$74,500.**
- **Actual Sunday Collections declined by \$5,403 from Fiscal Year 2008.**
- **Sunday Collections dropped by \$23,000 over the last six months of the fiscal year (January to June 2009).**
- **Actual Sunday collections were \$34,000 less than the 2009 Fiscal Year Budget.**
- **Christmas and Easter Collections remained flat year over year.**
- **Lease income decreased by \$36,786.**
- **Bingo attendance and income decreased by \$5,000 when compared to Fiscal Year 2008.**
- **Operating Expenses increased by only 2% .**



## St. Isaac Jogues Financial Results for Fiscal Year 2009 (July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009)

### Now for the details ... Let's start with Income.

**Income decreased by 7.9% in Fiscal Year 2009!** Sunday Collections lagged behind Fiscal Year 2008 by \$5,403. It is imperative for our Parish's health that collections are increased. Each week an average of over 1,470 persons attend Mass at St. Isaacs. An increase of \$2 per week by each person would help to ensure the financial health of the Parish.

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We depend upon Sunday, Christmas and Easter Collections for the majority of our income. Sunday collections dropped dramatically in the last six months of the fiscal year (January to June 2009). This was a decline of almost \$34,000 from budget projections.

A significant portion of Parish revenues comes from the leasing of classrooms. The economic downturn has had a dramatic impact upon our prime renter, Children's Learning World. Decreases in enrollment led to fewer rooms rented and a decline of almost \$37,000 in rental income.

This line shows the net results of Bingo. Revenue for the year amounted to \$46,592. Expenses were \$16,317. Bingo is an important source of funds for the parish. But we are running short of volunteers to run this operation!!!  
**We desperately need volunteers to continue!!!**

The support of the parish provided by organizations continued to be a bright spot! We are indebted to the Men's Club, Women's Club, and Filipino Parishioners, for their hard work in raising funds. Note that results for 2008 include the net proceeds of that year's Parish Raffle.

### Expenditures - Salaries & Benefits

Salaries and benefits represent the cost of six full time staff, six part time staff and teenagers who work as part time receptionists. Full time staff members include the Pastor, Business Administrator, Director of Religious Education/Liturgy Coordinator, Music Director and our two person Maintenance Staff.

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TAXES & BENEFITS	80,289	80,332	( 43)



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**Expenditures - Utilities, Maintenance & Repairs.**

The cost of electricity and natural gas increased by \$11,450 and \$4,100 respectively. These increases were partially offset by reduced charges for Water and Telephone. The good news is that natural gas and electricity rates have dropped in FY 2010. Pray for a mild winter this year!!

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UTILITIES	100,359	86,936	13,423
MAINTENANCE & REPAIRS	47,014	55,645	( 8,631)

We have an excellent Maintenance Manager in Jerzy Sokolowski. His expertise and diligence has helped to minimize our maintenance and repair costs. But, maintaining and repairing our buildings is expensive. Included in this number is \$15,313 for snow removal. Pray for a mild winter this year!!

**Expenditures - Liturgy, Admin, Rectory, Diocesan & Other**

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Administration expenses include the cost of office supplies, copy machines, postage, collection envelopes, computer equipment and software.

Diocesan charges include the Parish's portion of property insurance, payroll taxes, benefits and the mandatory assessment for support of the Archdiocese.

All Other includes the cost of the Ministry Center, Parish Nurse program and the school subsidy paid to St. John Brebeuf. The subsidy increased from \$25,000 in FY 08 to \$32,000 in FY 09.



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**Archdiocesan Sponsored Collections**

The following amounts were donated by parishioners and remitted for the benefit of the individual agency or organization.

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
Propagation of the Faith	\$3,709	\$2,980
Catholic Charities	3,676	3,314
Almsgiving - Lent	6,045	3,434
Eastern/Central Europe	2,471	2,472
Holy Land	1,267	1,666
Seminary Collection	2,178	2,862
Peters Pence	2,754	2,509
Campaign for Human Development	2,671	3,788
Religious Retirement	3,071	4,487
Annual Catholic Appeal	8,645	10,045
Mission Appeal	4,685	4,506
Women's Center	3,422	3,362
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$44,594</b>	<b>\$45,425</b>

**Rectory Repair Collection**

During the year significant repairs were needed to the exterior brickwork of the Rectory/Parish Office Building. Water damage caused by faulty brickwork resulted in extensive internal damage to the building. Phase One of this Project replaced brickwork on the southern and eastern exposures and repaired or replaced damaged interior walls, ceiling joists and electrical outlets. Phase II work on the northern exposure was completed in the current Fiscal Year 2010.

Phase I	
Replacement of Exterior Brickwork	\$35,550
Interior Repairs	7,732
Insurance Recovery	( 3,825)
Net Cost of Phase I	\$39,457
Less Special Collections for Phase I	(\$37,712)
Balance Collected in FY 2010	\$ 1,745

Financial Snapshot  
Second Sunday of November 2009

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Last Yr</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Sunday Collection	\$10,400	\$10,300	\$100	\$10,400	\$10,032	\$368
Month to Date	\$28,319	\$28,000	\$319	\$28,319	\$26,466	\$1,853
Year to Date	\$204,716	\$204,375	\$341	\$204,716	\$204,242	\$474

Again this week there is good financial news! Last weeks Sunday collection exceeded our budgeted target. But please don't become complacent. We need everyone who attends mass to contribute \$2.00 more so that we can meet this years budget.

Our thanks to everyone who has contributed to the Parish's support.

## Time is Running Out to Purchase Your Raffle Tickets!

### Have you turned in YOUR WINNING tickets?

Support you Parish! Take a Chance & Buy a Ticket!



## \$5,000 GRAND PRIZE

PLUS

Two \$1,000 Prizes  
Three \$ 500 Prizes  
Five \$ 100 Prizes



ALL PROCEEDS WILL REMAIN IN THE PARISH!!

DRAWING OF PRIZES WILL BE SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6TH 2009

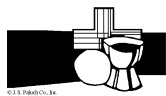
Tickets can be mailed, brought to the Rectory or dropped in the Sunday Collection

Donation for individual tickets is \$10

Or You can receive 7 tickets for \$50

Or 20 tickets for \$100

*Must be 18 years of age to win*



SPIRITUAL LIFE



## ALTAR SERVERS

- +Training for NEW ALTAR SERVERS continues this Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup>, at 5:30 p.m. .
- +There is a **meeting for ALL Altar Servers on Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup>, at 6:00 p.m.** in church. We will finish in time for those who need to attend RE Class. New and holiday schedules will be passed out as part of the meeting.

## TO COMFORT AND REMEMBER

Parishioners who have experienced the death of a family member or friend in the past year or who are observing the death anniversary of someone dear to them are invited to the **annual Bereavement Prayer Service next Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 11:00 a.m. in Church.** The service will include an honoring of the memory of those who have died with a calling of their names and the giving of a small remembrance to those who grieve their passing.

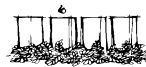
If you plan on attending the Prayer Service and would like your spouse, family member or friend's name called, please contact the RE office, 847/966-1180, by **this Wednesday, November 18<sup>th</sup>,** and give the name and its spelling. These names will also be included in the Prayer Service booklet. After that date you may still call in the name and participate in the service, **but we will be unable to include it in the booklet.** You are also welcome to **bring a photo of your loved one** to be placed on a table during the service. **All are welcome** to be part of this time of prayer as we comfort, support, and encourage one another in the sure and certain hope Christ's Resurrection gives. Hospitality will follow in the Holy Family Room.

## CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN DEVELOPMENT

This weekend Jennifer Gonzalez of the Lakeview Action Coalition spoke to us about how her grass roots organization helps address poverty in America. It is one of the organizations/projects funded by the Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), which is the social justice program of the US Catholic Bishops. Please read the insert in today's bulletin and generously support next weekend's second collection for CCHD. Thank you!

## CATHOLICS COME HOME

The Archdiocese of Chicago, with the Dioceses of Rockford and Joliet, are undertaking the "Catholics Come Home" initiative beginning with a media campaign from mid-December to mid-January. In preparation for the invitation, welcome and accompaniment phases of the initiative, we are seeking members of the parish to be part of a Catholics Come Home committee. Perhaps you yourself were away from Church for a while and came back home and now would like to help others do the same or you would just like to help welcome others back in this particular way. **If you are willing to listen to the stories of those who have been away from us, offer a warm welcome and help assist them in their return to the sacraments and the life of the Church, please call Deacon Paul or Dee Stanton, 847/966-1180.** We would like to hold a first planning meeting very soon. In the meantime all are asked to pray for this endeavor and for our brothers and sisters whose return we await.



## ADVENT WREATH LIGHTERS

**Advent is coming and families and individuals are invited to participate in the lighting of the Advent Wreath the four weeks of the season.** It will be lit at the beginning of each Mass (except the 5 p.m. Mass the First Sunday of Advent, when it will be blessed and lit after the Prayer of the Faithful). **Please sign up in the Holy Family Room today, next weekend or contact the RE Office, 847/966-1180.** Arrive about ten



minutes before Mass to find places to sit and to go to the sacristy to look over the simple instructions. It's a special way to call our community to prayer as we await the coming of the Lord in this season of quiet anticipation and hope-filled preparation.

**READINGS FOR THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING**

Daniel 7:13-14

Psalms 93:1-2, 5

Revelation 1:5-8

John 18:33b-37



named Daniel who lived many centuries earlier. Today's reading describes his vision of heaven, and is written in symbolic language—similar to the book of Revelation. The term 'Son of Man' indicated a human chosen by God for a special purpose. Christians have applied this vision to Jesus."

**ABOUT NEXT WEEK'S READINGS**

DANIEL: "The book of Daniel was written 150 years before Christ, when the Jews were experiencing fierce persecution. The author wanted to encourage the people by telling heroic stories about a person

REVELATION: "The book of Revelation was not intended to predict actual people and events in later times. It was rather intended to be a source of hope for Christians toward the end of the first century who were suffering persecution. Today's passage is from the very beginning of the book and is part of a greeting from God the persecuted people."

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**EDUCATION**

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS**

\*The RE Program's Thanksgiving Service Project is collecting food to make boxes for two families, which will be delivered by members of the St. Vincent DePaul Society. We would appreciate it if you would have your child bring at least one of the food item listed or a monetary donation that your child earned by doing an extra chore or sacrificing part of his/her allowance or giving up a snack, etc. Students in Grs. 1-Confirmation Year II are asked to bring their donations on Monday, November 16<sup>th</sup>. If you can support the project with just one item or with just prayer, great! If you can do more, great! No matter what your sacrifice, please support the project! Thank you!

\*RE and SPRED Catechists and Assistants will have a formation evening on Tuesday, November 17<sup>th</sup>, 7-9 p.m. in the Holy Family Room. Sister Kathleen Skrocki, CR, will lead our reflection on "Renewing Your Call." Interested parishioners are welcome to join us.

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**HUMAN CONCERNS**

**American Diabetes Month**

Diabetes is a chronic, progressive disease that impacts the body's ability to "produce or respond properly to insulin, a hormone produced in the pancreas, "that allows blood glucose (sugar) to enter the cells of the body and be used for energy." (About American Diabetes Month," pg. 5, Daily Herald, American Diabetes Month, Wed. Nov 4, 2009) Without insulin, the body's cells don't work right & they "starve for energy." ("Children & Diabetes", pg. 2) It is a condition that affects almost 24 million Americans – both adults & children – & is "the sixth leading cause of death by disease in the US." (pg. 5)

There are two forms of diabetes – Type 1 & Type 2. In Type 1, the pancreas no longer manufactures insulin. Those affected must rely on insulin shots so their cells can be properly nourished. Without insulin, glucose in the blood increases & causes symptoms such as excess thirst, weight loss, increased urination, blurred vision, as well as fatigue and weakness. (“Symptoms” pg. 7) In Type 2, the pancreas may not be producing enough insulin or the body doesn’t utilize it properly. Weight loss, a prescribed diet, exercise & medication (if indicated) can help.

Although lifestyle changes (diet, exercise, controlling stress, not smoking & limiting alcohol intake), insulin & oral hypoglycemic medications can help a diabetic lead a long & healthy life, even with the best control may not prevent complications. Long term effects – related to age at onset, poor control, & non-compliance – include heart disease, kidney disease, nerve damage in the feet, and blindness.

In the next weeks, I’ll write more – about risks, facts & stats & diet. Meanwhile, be well!

Pat Kellen, Parish Nurse – Advocate Health Care/ St. Isaac Jogues

**Great American Smoke-out**

Thursday, Nov. 19 is the American Heart Association’s annual effort to get Americans who smoke to quit for one day. Why? Because “smoking is dangerous.” “...it is responsible for almost 90% of lung cancer deaths... & “causes most cancers of the bladder, larynx, and esophagus.” Smoke from tobacco “contains 4,000 chemicals...over 60 known to be cancer causing. Among the dangerous chemicals are “carbon monoxide, arsenic & lead.” Smoking can lead to or impact heart & vascular diseases as well lung disorders such as emphysema. In addition, there’s the issue of secondhand smoke that can affect children & the unborn. The results of exposure can mean smaller babies, infants with weaker lungs, SIDS, bronchitis, pneumonia, more frequent asthma attacks & more ear infections. To learn more/ find out how to stop, contact [advocatehealth.org](http://advocatehealth.org), [cancer.org](http://cancer.org), [americanheart.org](http://americanheart.org), [nicotine-anonymous.org](http://nicotine-anonymous.org)

**Wrapped in His Love: St. Isaac’s Prayer Shawl Ministry**

Members of Wrapped in His Love will meet Thurs. Nov 19 at 10AM in Room 6. Newcomers are welcome. Patterns & kits await. Just bring your hooks (M, N or P) or needles 13 or larger). For further information, contact Pat Kellen at 967-1094.

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PARISH LIFE

**DECORATE FOR THE HOLIDAYS**



Fill your home with the spirit and love of the Christmas season. Fresh balsam and mixed wreaths and other holiday decorations will be available for purchase after all Masses on the weekend of November 28 & 29. Proceeds from the sale help support the work of The Woman’s Center of Greater Chicagoland.



INTERFAITH THANKSGIVING SERVICE

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25  
AT 7PM

ST. LUKE CHRISTIAN COMMUNITY CHURCH  
9233 SHERMER ROAD  
MORTON GROVE, IL 60053

Thanks to everyone who helped to make the Horseshoe Casino trip a success including those that planned and put the event together and EVERYONE WHO ATTENDED. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT !

### Are We There Yet?

Don't wait for the sun to darken  
Or the moon to lose its shine  
The stars may not be falling  
And the heavens seem alright  
Yet at an unknown day and time  
The Lord will return as promised  
And the angels would be there  
To greet those who live God's love

Look with joy to the prophecy  
About the new and holy city  
And while we're not quite there yet  
Offer a sincere prayer for people  
Who, like us, might ignore  
The end of time, and choose to  
"Eat, drink, and be merry  
For tomorrow we die"

For who would eat the bread  
That makes one more hungry?  
Who would drink the water  
That makes one more thirsty?  
Why waste our time and money  
On what doesn't fully satisfy?  
Stay true to God and His Church  
A new, holy city awaits us!

- Deacon Rod

### From The St. Vincent De Paul Society



Dear Parishioners:

Due to tough economic times, this has been an unusual year in terms of straining our resources. Our food pantry was depleted by August causing us to hold a food drive in September rather than the usual Thanksgiving drive. Our finances have also been strained. This year, we ask that you who are able, to consider making a monetary donation this Thanksgiving in lieu of our normal food drive. Collection boxes will be placed at the entrances of the Church for that purpose.

Peace be with all of you!

The St. Vincent De Paul Membership

### GOOD HEARING

Faith is the ear of the soul.

St. Clement of Alexandra



*Santa is coming ...*

to the Holy Family Room on Sunday, Dec. 6, 2009. The young and the young at heart are all welcome to visit with Santa after the Masses. Help a needy child by bringing an unwrapped new toy to Santa's sleigh. The gifts will be donated to Maternity B.V.M., our sharing parish. You can also drop off an unwrapped new toy after the 5:00 Mass on Saturday, Dec. 5th. Come and join the holiday fun.

### THE FUTURE

The future starts today,  
not tomorrow.

- Pope John Paul II



PARISH LIFE COMMISSION

The Parish Life Commission will meet on Tuesday, November 17th, at 7:30 p.m. in Room 6 of the school. Please enter the building by the Holy Family Room, and please be aware there will be a presentation being given in the HFR. Agendas were mailed out with October minutes.

SIJ WOMEN'S CLUB BAKE SALE



SATURDAY & SUNDAY--NOVEMBER 21st & 22nd AFTER ALL MASSES

HOLY FAMILY ROOM

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT: PAT ZYGMUNT: 847-998-8928



BAKERY DONATIONS APPRECIATED

ST. ISAAC JOGUES MEN'S CLUB

ANNUAL MEMORIAL MASS FOR DEPARTED MEMBERS THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19 AT 7 PM CELEBRANT—FATHER LUCZAK



A TURKEY DINNER WILL FOLLOW



TURKEY SWEET POTATOES BREAD STUFFING DESSERT

DINNER \$5 ANNUAL DUES \$25



TURKEY DRAWING 8 LUCKY WINNERS

ALL MEN OF THE PARISH ARE INVITED

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR A GOOD TIME WITH OLD FRIEND - MEET NEW FRIENDS

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION LET'S MAKE THIS ONE OUR LARGEST

STOCKING STUFFER ?



ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS ARE STILL AVAILABLE FOR \$20

HUMAN CONCERNS



Pregnancy can be a time of mixed emotion. If you need support or assistance, call HOPE.

(847) 832-HOPE

www.hopeline.wordpress.com

**ALTAR FLOWERS  
CAN BE A  
BEAUTIFUL TRIBUTE**



From now through Thanksgiving Day, **November 26th, 2009**, parishioners are invited to donate altar flowers memory of a loved one or in honor of a special occasion. There will be two arrangements each week. Your name and intention will be listed in the Bulletin.

The cost of a flower arrangement will be **\$50.00**.

Dates fill up quickly, so please book well in advance. Please call the Rectory at 847-967-1060 to arrange the date to make your remembrance special!

The flowers on the altar this weekend are from:

Marlene Garber

“In Memory of Lisa Garber”

Helma Drag

“In Memory Gerard Drag”

**THE 2010 ENTERTAINMENT BOOK  
IS HERE**

**FOR \$20.00 THE BOOK OFFERS OVER  
1000 COUPONS AND DISCOUNTS**

Lincolnshire Marriott  
Medival Times  
McDonald’s, Culvers, Domino’s,  
Subway, KFC, Brown’s Chicken,  
Baskin Robbins, Nancy’s, Café Prague,  
Barnaby’s, Spirit of Chicago,  
China North,  
Allgauer’s  
Dover Straits  
India Garden  
and many more!

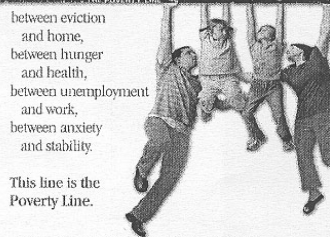
The Entertainment Books are available at the  
Rectory and from Men’s Club Members  
Chuck Napravnik 847. 699. 7445

&  
Jim Capek 847. 966. 7721

**CATHOLIC CAMPAIGN FOR HUMAN  
DEVELOPMENT (CCHD)**

**“Thus says  
the Lord God:  
Put away  
violence and  
oppression,  
and do what  
is right and  
just!”  
Ezekiel 45:9**

For 37 million Americans, there is a thin line:



This line is the  
Poverty Line.



You can help strengthen families and communities.  
Support the Catholic Campaign for Human Development  
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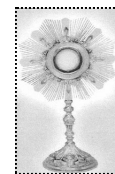
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**How Do YOU Spend YOUR Thursday Evenings?**

Our Lord said to St. Margaret Mary, *“Behold this heart, which has so loved men that it has spared nothing, even to exhausting and consuming itself, in order to give them proofs of its love; and in return receive from the greater number of them nothing but ingratitude.”*

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT  
THURSDAY EVENINGS  
7:00 - 8:00 P.M.**

**Sunday, November 15**

7:30 am Richard M. Arendt  
 9:00 am Adam & Nellie Skworch  
 10:30 am Felipe Manzano  
 12:00 pm Edward Rodriguez & Jeffrey Musni

**Monday, November 16**

8:00 am Purgatorial Society;  
 Joseph Vanacora

**Tuesday, November 17**

8:00 am Jack Sanfilippo

**Wednesday, November 18**

8:00 am Lisa Garber

**Thursday, November 19**

8:00 am 55th Wedding Anniversary of  
 Abundio & Florita Garcia

**Friday, November 20**

8:00 am Bridget Burke

**Saturday, November 21**

8:00 am Communion Service-No Intentions  
 5:00 pm Jim Rutter

**Sunday, November 22**

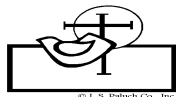
7:30 am For the Living & Deceased Members of  
 St. Isaac Jogues & their Families;  
 Anthony J. Angello Family  
 9:00 am Franzie Bleischiefer  
 10:30 am Nick Wolf  
 12:00 pm Mr. & Mrs. Jose & Marcionilla Donor

**Sacristy Committee**

Diana Korman, Kathy Zacharia

**Reconciliation**

Fr. McGlynn



**Liturgies next weekend**  
**November 21—November 22**  
**Presider**



5:00 pm Fr. Janas  
 7:30 am Fr. McGlynn  
 9:00 am Fr. Luczak/Deacon Paul  
 10:30 am Fr Kalas  
 12:00 pm Fr. Stagaman

**Altar Servers**

5:00 pm Anna Koziol, Christian Manaio,  
 Christy Manaio  
 7:30 am Cassie Baloue, Bryan Roque,  
 Rachel Nieva  
 9:00 am Nelson Perimpel, Sandra Kietlinska,  
 Rene Dumayas  
 10:30 am Justin Thomas, Samuel Ratner,  
 Olivia Ellsworth  
 12:00 pm Marco Lambo, Carlo Lasco,  
 Athena Lasco

**Relatives & Friends****Please remember the sick and hospitalized:**

Dan Anfuso, Bob Arns, Shirley Arns, John Arns, Jr.,  
 Andre Baros, Noah Baros, Shawn Bong,  
 Genevieve Conway, Mary Cornwell, Marylou Czarnik,  
 Ed D'Souza, Edward Gaske, Shirley Klein, Maria Ladd,  
 Gailmarie Mattison, Laura Maya, Lillian McCloud,  
 Marilyn Michaels, Tammy Heffernan Propst,  
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 John Terzakis, Pat Terzakis, Alec Upshaw,  
 Megan Zimniewicz Upshaw,  
 Chuck Watson, Mary Zimniewicz.

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude

Tuesday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary

Wednesday: Dedication of the Basilicas of St. Peter  
 and St. Paul in Rome;  
 St. Rose Philippine Duchesne

Saturday: Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

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**Eucharistic Celebrations:**

Sunday: 7:30, 9:00, 10:30, & 12:00 Noon  
Monday - Friday: 8:00 AM  
Saturday: 8:00 AM & 5:00 PM

**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.

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**ADDING NAMES TO THE PARISH SICK LIST**

It has always been the policy of St. Isaac Jogues to offer our parish community an opportunity to pray for those parishioners who are ill and in need of our prayers. We have tried to keep close track of these names for our Bulletin as they are made available to us.

However, now we face an important privacy issue, very much like the issues faced by hospitals, health institutions, and certainly by other parishes.

**We cannot (by law) publicly let our parish community know the health status of any of our members without their permission.**

We appreciate the fact that often friends, neighbors, and acquaintances wish to do something special for a person who is ill, and ask to place their name on the list to be prayed for. While their intentions are surely good, we simply can no longer accept names in this manner.

We will institute a new process regarding calling in names for the Bulletin list.

**Names for the sick list placed in the Bulletin have to be called in by the person who is ill, or by a member of their family.** At the time they call in the name, they will be asked whether they are the sick person him/ herself, or a member of their family, and if they give permission for the name to be placed on the list. They will be asked for the **correct spelling** of the sick person's name. If a **family member**, they will be required to give **their** name for our records.

Thank you for your patience regarding this new process. We wish to do all we can to offer our parish community the opportunity to offer prayers for those who are ill — but we must also be cognizant of the fact that all members of our congregation are entitled to their privacy in this regard.

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