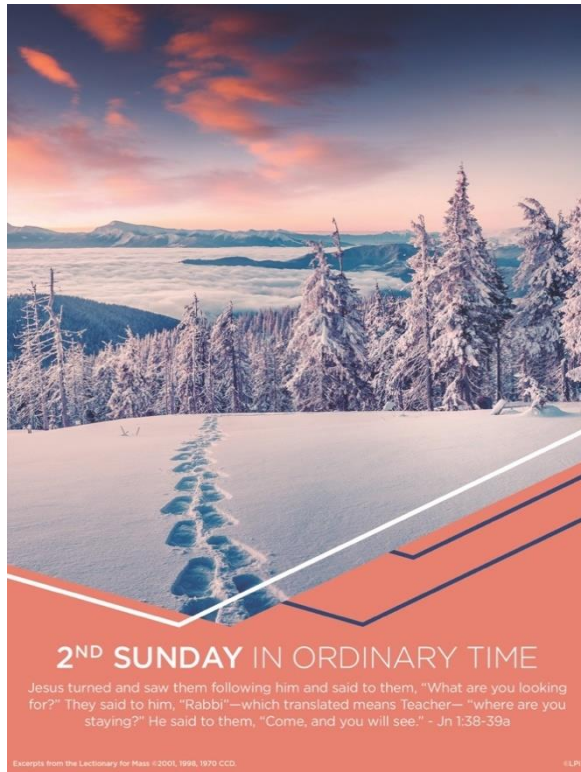


2nd Sunday Ordinary Time January 14, 2024



New Mass Schedule to further notice:

Saturday 4:00 pm—St. Isaac Jogues

Saturday 5:30 pm—St. James

Sunday 8:30 am—St. Isaac Jogues

Sunday 10:00 am—Blessed Sacrament

This is due to County Route 11 being closed.

Fr. John will switch with Fr. Joseph Busch, Fr. John will say Mass in Warrensburg and Fr. Joe Busch will say Mass in Bolton Landing. It is much easier to get to Bolton Landing from the south.

FlockNote: Please send us your email or mobile number, so that we may keep you updated in case of emergency. It is so important!

Please leave message: Messages left on the machine are seen via email even if we are not in the office!

When School is delayed
or cancelled, weekday morning,
Mass is CANCELLED!
Rosary & Holy Hour.
We will notify you through FlockNote.
Please check even if there is a little bit of snow.

Blessed Sacrament

Pastoral Council Meeting: Wednesday, February 7th at 6:00 pm at St. Isaac Jogues Parish Center.

Intentions: Please call Rita Whitney at 518-338-6858.

1/14 10:30 For the Intention of the Lanning Family Living & Decease *Req. Ellie & Tom Torebka*

1/14 10:30 Theresa O’Kane *Req. Al & Suellan Franz*

1/14 10:30 Rita Faller *Req. Dawn Faller*

1/21 10:30 Andrew Rohs *Req. Henry Rohs*

1/21 Rosemary & Nick Rausch *Req. Dawn Faller*

Prayer Intentions: Please call Pat Nugent 518-668-2765

Offertory: to be announced next week.

St. Anne’s Society: (Patron Saint of Grandmothers): The next package will go out February 7th. Please let us know if your young adult or someone you know would like to receive a care package from this Ministry. Anne Marie Bell 518-644-3051

Lake George Catholic Outreach: For ages 18-39 will meet Friday, January 26th @ 6 pm in the Community Room. Speaker to be announced.

Friday, February 23rd, 6-8 pm Canvas & Cocoa.

Cost is \$12. Pizza will be served at both events.

See Flyer

Envelopes: Unfortunately, they will not be shipped till January 12th. Please use the generic envelopes that have been provided at all the exits.

2nd Collection: for this weekend is for insurance.

Coffee Hour: will be Sunday, January 21st after Mass.

St. James

Intentions & Mass Cards:

Please call Kathy DeBartolo at 518-494-7873

Offertory: To be announced next week.

Town Wide Meeting: Sunday, January 14th at 2 pm in the church. At that meeting our Episcopal Vicar, Fr. Joe Bush, the director of Pastoral Planning, Tom Cronin, and Fr. John will be there to answer any questions you might have.

2nd Collections: on January 20th is for The Evangelist.

Shelf Stable Food Donations: We will continue to collect for our food insecure friends and neighbors for *Adirondack Community Outreach*. A check/cash donation box is also available. Thank you again for your generosity.

St. Isaac Jogues

Intentions & Mass Cards: Please call Kathy DeBartolo at 518-494-7873

1/13 4 pm Andy McTague *Req. Kathy DeBartolo*

1/20 4 pm Theresa O’Kane

Req. Hal & Norma Pennistan

1/20 4 pm Rory DeCristoforo *Req. Tim Kelly*

Offertory: To be announced next week.

Italian Night: Saturday, January 27th after the 4:00 pm Mass. Sign up for your favorite Italian dish or dessert in the Narthex. All those who would like to help please join us for a committee meeting, Tuesday, January 16th at 4:30 pm in the parish center.

2nd Collection: on January 21st will be for The Evangelist.

Recognizing God in our Ordinary Moments

Have you ever been somewhere public and days later others said they saw you there? You can find yourself surprised that they saw you and didn’t say hello. However, at least they saw you. You, on the other hand, didn’t even have any idea they were around you. You may have been oblivious to what was going on or those crossing your path on that day. You may have been forsaking that moment thinking about another time to come down the road.

Imagine being one of those who first encountered Jesus as he began his ministry. Would you have noticed? I would like to think that I would have rushed over to him to introduce myself. But on that day when he passed by I just might have been caught up in life, unaware of all that was intersecting with my place in the world.

An everyday steward strives to live mindfully. The more mindful we are of all that is around us, the more grateful we find ourselves because we take things less for granted and the more open, we are to the call of Jesus Christ. Every day Jesus crosses our path in the form of others. They may be in need, or they may have a gift to offer us. Either way, without living in the present and taking in all that God has provided for us in the day, we can miss it. I would not want to hear afterwards that Jesus saw me, and I was not paying attention enough to what was around me to notice.

—Tracy Earl Welliver,

Diocesan Assessment Appeal

The Diocesan Appeal has begun! Why should you contribute?

Support of the parish and the greater Church is the responsibility of ALL of us, not just a few.

- Support of the Diocesan Appeal is not for the benefit of the Diocese as an entity itself – rather it is a key mission and logistics partner/resource for our parish allowing us to focus on ministry.
- It’s the expectation that the church is here to serve you and your family in your everyday and milestone moments. Unfortunately, there are costs associated with that, but if we ALL share the costs, the individual burden is less AND we are more likely to be able to fund the church beyond its needs and toward our wants.
- It is gratifying to know that support of the Diocesan Appeal impacts ALL 126 parishes in the Diocese – that is powerful!

The active practice of religion is in jeopardy and the impact on society is evident. It is not enough to quietly attend Mass and privately practice. If not us, who? We need to be Jesus’ witnesses, showing people the joy that Jesus brings to us in our life and bringing others to follow him in this beautiful way of life. Let us join together and rebuild our local and regional Catholic Church – support our parish offertory and Diocesan Appeal goal!

To make your gift:

- Please reply to the Appeal mailing you received at home;
- Make your gift online at www.thediocesanappeal.org;
- Or mail a check payable to “Diocesan Appeal” to 40 N. Main Avenue, Albany, NY 12203.

TIP: Have you decided you are going to make a gift but you’re not ready to make the payment now?

Consider a pledge! You can spread out your payments through June 30, 2024, or delay payments until 2024 (payable by 6/30/2024 *and* you avoid multiple solicitations! You allow us to then focus on those who have not yet made a commitment to supporting our Diocesan Appeal Goal!

St. James’ Assessment is \$5,000

St. Isaac Jogues’ Assessment is \$18,357

Bl. Sacraments’ Assessment is \$31,043