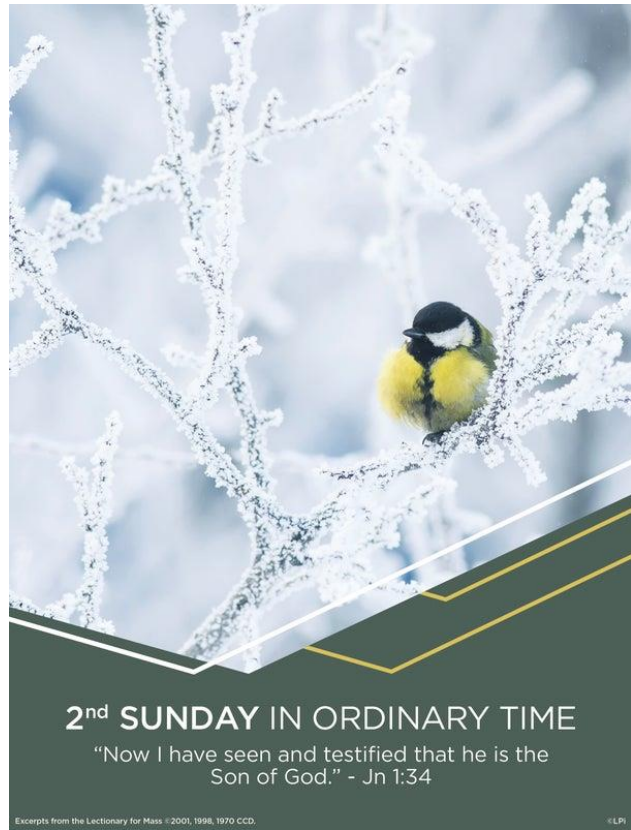


January 18, 2026
2nd Sunday of Ordinary Time



ASH WEDNESDAY SCHEDULE

February 18, 2026
St. Isaac Jogues, 4:00 pm
Blessed Sacrament, 5:30 pm

Weekend	Bl. Sac	St. Isaac
1/4/26	\$905	\$1,948

Reconciliation Available

3:30 pm Saturday's St. Isaac Jogues
11:30 am Sunday's Blessed Sacrament
or by appointment

When either North Warren or Bolton Central school is delayed or cancelled, weekday morning Mass, the Rosary & Holy Hour are also CANCELLED!

If you know someone who is hospitalized, please contact the parish office. Fr. John is always grateful for the opportunity to visit, offer the Sacrament of the Sick, and provide spiritual support.

Blessed Sacrament

Intentions & Mass Cards: Please call Rita Whitney at 518-338-6858
1/18 Tom Mihalics *Req. Maureen Milhalics*
1/18 Taylor Woodworth *Req. Ellie & Tom Torebka*
1/18 All Souls *Req. The Schuster Family*
1/25 Taylor Woodworth *Req. Kathy Zarcone*
1/25 Margaret W. McDermott
Req. Blessed Sacrament Parish Family
1/25 All Souls *Req. The Schuster Family*
Prayer Intentions: call Pat Nugent 518-668-2765
Rosary: Tuesdays at 9:00 am.
Daily Mass: will be on Thursday, January 22nd, at 9:30 am.

St. Isaac Jogues

Intentions & Mass Cards: Please call the office 518-824-1176.
1/17 Kathy Barlow McCann *Req. Bernie McCann*
1/17 Jerry Merkel *Req. Janet Early*
1/18 Sr. Fran Husselbeck *Req. Camille Dougan*
1/18 Carol Schuerlein *Req. Paul Schuerlein*
1/25 Wiktoria Zoltobrzuch
Req. Mariann Monahan & Mike Dolan
Daily Mass: will be in the Parish Center on Wednesday, January 21st at 9:30 am.

What Makes a Church Vibrant

More Practical Steps Toward Vibrancy
Invest in Youth & Children: Vibrancy often comes from young voices. Strong youth programs, mentorship, and intergenerational activities keep the church future-focused.
Serve the Community Consistently: Move beyond one-off charity events. Partner with local schools, shelters, or nonprofits to make service a rhythm of church life.



VITA - Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (Free Tax Return Preparation for Qualifying Taxpayers) in Warren, Washington, & Northern Saratoga counties (January – April). This is free tax assistance for families and individuals whose household income is \$70,000 or less per year. This service will be available at St. Cecilia's every Friday and Saturday in February and March. St. Isaac Jogues will host VITA on Thursday, February 26th, from 8 am to 4 pm. Call 1-800-211-5128 to schedule an appointment.

Contribution Statements

Please call the office if you would like to receive your Contribution Statement. If no one answers, please leave a message. We will mail it out to you!
518-824-1176



Diocesan Appeal

The Diocesan Appeal supports many vital ministries, including the education and formation of clergy, deacons, and seminarians, as well as chaplaincy programs in hospitals and colleges, and other essential Diocesan Services that help our parishes thrive.

Opening the appeal early allows you to spread your gift over a longer period of time.

Parish Goals & Progress:

St. Isaac Jogues—Assessment: Wow, we have reached our assessment! Thank you!

Blessed Sacrament—Assessment: \$18,895 (a decrease of \$2,147 from last year). Raised to date \$14,585 with 24 gifts (77.1% of goal) Getting there! Awesome! Only \$4,310 left to go.

“With the light and strength of the Holy Spirit, let us build a Church founded on God’s love that proclaims the Word and becomes a leaven of harmony for humanity.” --Pope Leo

Cluster Information

RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults If you, or someone you know, has been away from the Church, desires to complete the Sacraments of Initiation—especially Confirmation—or feels called to learn more about the Catholic faith, we invite you to reach out to the parish office.

A special **Evening of Inquiry** will be arranged for those who wish to explore the beauty of the Catholic Church in a prayerful and welcoming setting. All are encouraged to come and see what the Lord may be stirring in their hearts.

Christmas Cards

PLEASE DON'T THROW OUT YOUR RELIGIOUS CHRISTMAS CARDS!

If the back of the picture is blank, simply trim the image off the card and place it in the narthex. We have an excellent way to give these beautiful images a second life, making our Giving Tree even more meaningful.

Thank you for helping us recycle with purpose and care!



Monday, January 19th The office is closed.

North Country Ministry

NCM is seeking donations of men’s casual clothes. (jeans, flannel shirts & hoodies). In addition, children’s clothes and shoes! Women’s clothing is currently not needed. If you would like to donate clothes to NCM, please drop them off Monday & Tuesday from 9 am- Noon at the front Building located at 3933 Main Street, Warrensburg, NY 12885.
No Volunteers Needed

Recognizing God in our Ordinary Moments

Can you imagine what kind of response I would get if I asked my three children, “Who would like to volunteer to clean up the kitchen after dinner today?” Six eyeballs staring at me like I had two heads! If I couch my request in terms of volunteerism, I have suggested that they don’t have any real ownership in this matter. Perhaps they do sometimes think that their mother and I are simply hired hands to take care of them, but rest assured, I have not received a paycheck for services rendered lately.

When you and I donate blood, we volunteer our time and blood to the Red Cross. The Red Cross does not employ most of us, nor do we own a part of the Red Cross. We can only volunteer ourselves for the cause.

As parishioners, we are part of a parish family. We belong to our parish community. We do not visit on a Sunday morning, since we cannot visit a place that is home. The call of the body of Christ occurs in every parish, and our response should be that of the psalmist, “Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will.” Real stewardship never counts the cost and never asks for volunteers. We step forward because we belong to something greater than ourselves, and the head of that community is Jesus. After dinner at my house, someone needs to clean up the kitchen. In your parish community, someone needs to respond to Jesus' call. In both cases, no volunteers are needed. We will rely on family instead.



National Day of Prayer for the Unborn Children, Thursday, January 22, 2026.