



ST. ISAAC JOGUES
Catholic Church

Grow. Lead. Share.



*"I live, no longer I,
but it is Christ who lives in me."
— Galatians 2:20*

Our Campaign...

Through the grace of God, our community continues to grow and thrive. Over 4,300 registered families consider St. Isaac Jogues their spiritual home, and every year many new families are drawn to our wonderfully vibrant and diverse parish. This year we expect to celebrate one hundred confirmations and two hundred first communions – a profound testament to the strength of our mission.

In looking to the future, it is our responsibility to ensure that our parish and our larger Church family are well equipped to carry out the life-saving work of the Gospel. Recognizing the challenges of ongoing growth, our diocese conducted a historic planning session known as a synod. Over a



Rev. José Muñoz, Pastor

period of 18 months, Catholics throughout Central Florida prayerfully examined the most pressing issues facing our local Church and developed concrete strategies to address these urgent needs.

Across the nine counties of our diocese, God's people are now making long-held dreams a reality through *Alive in Christ*, the first capital campaign for the Diocese of Orlando. *Alive in Christ* is designed to fund the immediate and long-term needs of our larger Church family while providing a solid financial future for our own parish. To date, more than 60 parishes have participated in the *Alive in Christ* Campaign, and together they have raised over 110 million dollars to sustain and strengthen the important work of the Church.

Here at St. Isaac Jogues, we have already been exceptionally blessed by the vision and foresight of many families, whose faithful stewardship has given us a beautiful multi-acre campus and a glorious new church. It is now time to build on this legacy of generosity and sacrifice as we play our role in the success of the *Alive in Christ* Campaign.

Our Need...

The Lord calls us to **Grow, Lead** and **Share** our living faith. We have a great opportunity to answer His call by addressing the most critical needs of our parish.

- As our parish continues to **GROW**, it is our responsibility to ensure that we are well equipped to meet the long-term needs of our faith community. As a result of previous building projects, we incurred approximately \$6 million in debt, of which \$3 million has been paid. **Reducing the remaining debt will enhance our financial health and help us to manage our ongoing growth.**
- Here at St. Isaac Jogues, over 25 ministries help God's people to **LEAD** others to a new life in Christ. Over 700 students attend our Religious Education classes every week and 100 young Catholics are active in our youth group every Sunday. **It is essential that we position our parish for the future by establishing a sound financial foundation from which these ministries can flourish.**



- We are grateful for the many faithful and dedicated families who graciously **SHARE** their blessings by providing our parish with the resources to carry out our mission. As good stewards, we want to demonstrate our gratitude by caring for these gifts in the most fiscally responsible manner. In order to meet our debt obligation, we currently rely upon a second offertory collection, which places a heavy burden on our families and prolongs the life of our loan. **Paying down our debt will reduce our overall expenses and enable offertory funds to be applied toward the day-to-day needs of our parish.**

Our Plan...

Through *Alive in Christ* we plan to:

Reduce or Eliminate our Existing Debt

Reducing the debt incurred from our previous building projects will:

- Reduce the total interest paid on our loan
- Eliminate the need to use our parish offertory to make heavy interest and principal payments
- Eliminate the need for a second collection to make debt payments
- Enable offertory funds to be applied toward the day to day needs of our parish
- Enhance the financial health of our parish
- Enable us to remain responsive to future needs
- Position our parish for continued growth and development

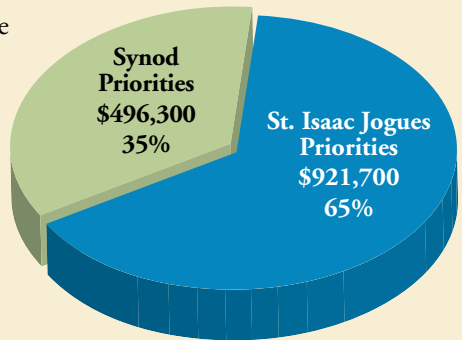


Our Goal...

Our *Alive in Christ* Campaign Goal is \$1,418,000.

Our goal of \$1,418,000 is equal to twice our annual offertory and is consistent with the formula applied in other parishes and missions throughout our Diocese. If we are blessed to raise this amount, *\$921,700, or 65%, will remain with St. Isaac Jogues and will be used to reduce our existing debt.*

The pie chart to the right illustrates the percentage of *Alive in Christ* funds that will remain with our parish.



For every dollar we raise over and above our goal, 90% will remain with our parish, enabling us to substantially reduce or even eliminate our outstanding debt.

The campaign also provides us with a way to assist our entire diocese in responding to the challenges of the modern secular world. As members of the Universal Church, we will contribute \$496,300, or 35%, to our diocese to help fund new projects that will benefit people and parishes across Central Florida. Please see *Our Diocesan Goal* on the next page for a list of these bold initiatives which emerged from our Diocesan Synod.

Alive in Christ provides a special moment in the life of our parish family and in the larger diocesan family to which we belong. Guided by the Holy Spirit, *Alive in Christ* is an important step in building a strong and vital Church for the future.



Our Diocese...

Throughout our landmark diocesan synod, more than 1,000 of Christ's faithful, both lay and clergy, gathered together to explore opportunities and to define a bold new vision for the Diocese of Orlando.

Central to this vision is a renewed commitment to **GROW, LEAD** and **SHARE** the treasure of our living faith. *Alive in Christ* will enable the Diocese of Orlando to live up to these commitments by building new parishes and schools, increasing the availability of tuition assistance, exploring new ways to recruit and train Church leaders, and expanding the wonderful work of Catholic Charities in our society. Together we will transform our Church and our communities for generations to come.

In Central Florida, our Church is Alive!

Our Diocesan Goal...

Total Goal: \$150 Million

Called to GROW...	Endowment	Capital
New Parishes and Missions	\$ 5,000,000	—
New Schools	—	\$ 4,000,000
Tuition Assistance	\$ 11,000,000	—
San Pedro Retreat Center	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 5,000,000
Cathedral of St. James	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 3,000,000
Called to LEAD...	Endowment	Capital
Catholic Campus Ministry Center	\$ 1,000,000	\$ 5,000,000
Recruiting & Forming Clergy/Lay Leaders	\$ 4,000,000	—
Called to SHARE...	Endowment	Capital
Catholic Charities of Central Florida	\$ 4,000,000	\$ 8,000,000
Catholic Foundation of Central Florida	\$ 8,000,000	—
Subtotals	\$35,000,000	\$25,000,000
	Endowment	Capital
Grand Totals	\$60,000,000	Diocese
	\$90,000,000	Parishes

Ways to Give...

Making a Pledge

Pledge payments can be scheduled at the discretion of the donor, to be paid on a monthly, quarterly, or yearly basis beginning at any time, throughout a 3-5 year period. All pledges, outright gifts of capital, Charitable Gift Annuities, Charitable Lead Trusts and other irrevocable planned gifts made to *Alive in Christ*, from the Fall of 2007 through the end of the campaign, will be counted in the final campaign total.



Gifts of Securities

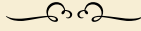
It is the policy of the Diocese of Orlando to sell all securities upon receipt to minimize the chances of having adverse market fluctuations affect the beneficial interest of your gift. Gifts in kind – real estate, insurance, closely held stock, art, and other tangibles – may be counted if they are sold and the proceeds revert to the diocese.

Bequests, Charitable Remainder Trusts, and Revocable Planned Gifts

While we will commemorate and record bequests, Charitable Remainder Trusts and other revocable planned gifts made to the diocese, they cannot be included in the campaign total precisely because of their revocable nature. Unrestricted bequests received during the course of the campaign may be counted towards the campaign at the diocese's discretion.

Gift Plans...

Total Commitment	5 Annual Payments	36 Monthly Payments	60 Monthly Payments
\$50,000	\$10,000	\$1,389	\$833
\$25,000	\$5,000	\$694	\$417
\$20,000	\$4,000	\$556	\$333
\$15,000	\$3,000	\$417	\$250
\$10,000	\$2,000	\$278	\$167
\$5,000	\$1,000	\$139	\$83
\$2,400	\$480	\$67	\$40
\$1,800	\$360	\$50	\$30



*Lord God, you appointed Paul your apostle to preach
the good news of salvation to the nations.*

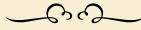
*May his example and prayers inspire the faithful
of our diocese to be more fully Alive in Christ.*

*Fill our hearts with the spirit of your charity
so that we may please you in our thoughts, words and deeds
and be witnesses to the hope that does not disappoint.*

*You have given each of us different gifts and made us your stewards
to generously share on earth the blessings we have received
through your goodness so that the world may believe.*

*May the prayers of St. Paul and all the saints be our
constant encouragement so that we may walk worthily
as disciples of your Son.*

We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen



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