

ST. EDMUND CHURCH

219 EAST LOCUST STREET
WATSEKA IL 60970

PASTOR: Reverend Michael Powell

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MASSES: M-W-TH-F 7:30 AM
SATURDAY 5:00 PM
SUNDAY 7:30 & 10:30 AM

CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 4:30-4:50 PM or by appointment

**“Transforming the world in which we live by bringing the
teachings of Jesus Christ to every living person.”**

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH

(A mission of St. Edmund Church)
307 UNION STREET
CRESCENT CITY IL 60928

PASTOR: Reverend Michael Powell

MASS: SUNDAY 9:00 AM

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2014

MASS INTENTIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 15-21, 2014

Monday, September 15, 7:30 AM For the Recovery of Elaine Oziemkiewicz by Richard & Christine Ryan
Tuesday, September 16 NO MASS
Wednesday, September 17, 7:30 AM Chester & Pauline Williams
Thursday, September 18, 7:30 AM Charles Ott by Leona Shafer
Friday, September 19, 7:30 AM Bonnie & Charlie Arie Anniversary Remembrance by Their Family
Saturday, September 20, 5:00 PM Virginia Simons by Bob & Phyllis Tonner
Sunday, September 21 7:30 AM: Mary Ann Lurgio by Her Family 9:00 AM: Lenore Langellier by Alice Corbin 10:30 AM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's

LAY MINISTERS For SEPTEMBER 20/21, 2014

SATURDAY, September 20, 5:00 PM

Lector: Steve McCullough
Host: Debbie McCullough
Altar Servers: Katie & Justin McTaggart
Hospitality: Ray Gullquist; Nick Harvey
 M/M Carl Gullquist

SUNDAY, September 21, 7:30 AM

Lector: RaDonna Hasselbring
Host: Diane Buswell
Altar Server: Will Lyznicki
Hospitality: M/M Ira Claire & M/M Richard Ryan

SUNDAY, September 21, 10:30 AM

Lector: Amy Curry
Host: Barb Quigley
Altar Servers: Cole Arseneau & Zakkary Clark
Hospitality: Marion Jaworski Family

Weekly Parish Need for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
Sunday Offering September 6/7, 2014:	\$ 2,511.00
DEFICIT For the Week:	\$ (689.00)

Total Roof Fund Donations:	\$ 117,086.00

Sunday Offering at St. Joseph's, Sept. 7, 2014:	\$ 554.00

CONDOLENCES TO:

Mark Simons (and family) whose mother, Virginia Simons, was called home to our Lord.

and

Leona Shafer whose brother-in-law, Charles Ott, was called home to our Lord.

May God's peace be with them.

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:

25th Sunday Ordinary Time "A"

Matthew 20:1-16

"You too, go into my vineyard!"

- Am I ready to work in the vineyard of Jesus?
- Do I stand around idle in my discipleship?
- How can I welcome newcomers into my Church or neighborhood?

Prayer: Heavenly Father, Jesus your Son calls me to work in his vineyard. Help me to respond "early in the day." Never let me be resentful of the good things in other people's lives and to remember that every blessing comes from you. Amen!

Please pray for our Service Members . . .

Sr. Airman Thomas Westrick, son of Steve & Sharon Westrick
 Airman 1st Class Andrew Kelnhofer, son of Michelle Kelnhofer

Please pray for . . .

Francis Melson

REMINDERS:

- Religious Education registration forms are due by September 17. Classes resume on Wednesday, September 24 at 4 p.m.
- St. Edmund's Christmas choir practice is ongoing every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. in the choir loft.

DONOVAN PARK

Most of you know about the fire earlier this summer that destroyed part of the playground equipment at Donovan Park. Efforts are now underway to help raise the necessary funds to replace the destroyed equipment. T-shirts can now be ordered for \$20 (any size) by emailing ilovedonovanpark@gmail.com and paying with Pay Pal or by sending your order, along with payment, to **Dick Arie at PO Box 43, Watseka** (you can call him at **815-471-5569**). Checks should be made out to **Donovan Park Fund**. Information about this can also be found on their Facebook page, "Donovan Park". Their "Friendraiser" **Pork Burger Luncheon** will also be held on **Saturday, September 20th, at Donovan Park**. All proceeds will go towards the purchase of the new playground equipment. If you, your children or your grandchildren have ever played in Donovan Park, please consider helping us reach our goal. Thank you.

SECOND COLLECTION

This Weekend

At the request of Bishop Conlon, our second collection this weekend is for the purpose of providing relief and support to countries in the Middle East during their ongoing crisis.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Knights of Columbus will be conducting their **Tootsie Roll Drive September 26/27**. Sales at **St. Edmund's** will be held **October 18/19**. You can also place an order now by contacting Dick Arie, 815-471-5569.

Case of 300:	\$45.00
Box of 50:	\$ 8.00
Tootsie Roll Bank Tube:	\$ 3.00 ea. Or 4/\$10.00