

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2019

MASS INTENTIONS FOR February 4-10, 2019

Monday, February 4: NO MASS

Tuesday, February 5: NO MASS

Wednesday, February 6, 7:30 AM

Jean Lareau by Knights of Columbus Council 4391

Thursday, February 7, 7:30 AM

Bob Tonner by Phyllis Tonner

Friday, February 8, 7:30 AM

Doris Matuszewski by Dave & Eileen Rogers

Saturday, February 9, 5:00 PM

Pamela Thomason by Her Family

Sunday, February 10

7:30 AM: Herman & Elsie Claire by Their Family

9:00 AM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's

10:30 AM: Brenda St. Peter by Mila & Henry Handler

LAY MINISTERS for FEBRUARY 9/10, 2019

SATURDAY, February 9, 5:00 PM

Lector: Steve McCullough

Host: Debbie McCullough

Altar Servers: Aiden & David Bell

Hospitality: John Gooding Family

SUNDAY, February 10, 7:30 AM

Lector: Sara McTaggart

Host: Kevin Bohlmann

Altar Server: Myles Lynch

Hospitality: M/M Terry Pence; M/M Rich Moyer

SUNDAY, February 10, 10:30 AM

Lector: Bill Jansen

Host: Steve Westrick

Altar Servers: Dane & Megan Martin

Hospitality: M/M Robert Zummallen; Ericka Clark Family

St. Edmund's Weekly Need for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
St. Edmund's Sunday Offering, Jan. 26/27, 2019:	\$ 2,258.00
DEFICIT For the Week:	\$ (942.00)
St. Joseph's Sunday Offering, Jan. 27, 2019:	\$ 413.00

A very HAPPY BIRTHDAY to Geneva Gooding, who turned 100 years old on February 2nd!

May God Bless you with his boundless love, calming peace, and heavenly joy throughout the coming year.

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Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:

5th Sunday Ordinary Time "C"

Luke 5:1-5

"Do not be afraid, from now on you will be catching men!"

- How have I experienced Jesus calling me?
- How do I respond to Jesus commanding me to "put out into the deep?"
- How can I, in my own way, "catch" people for Christ?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, you call all of your disciples in different ways. Help me hear your call and to have the bravery to "put out into the deep" as your disciple. Give me the bravery to "be not afraid" to be known as a Christian who follows you. Amen!

One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center
DAY OF PRAYER

"Mary's Seven Joys and Sorrows"

WHEN: Thursday, February 7, 2019; 9 a.m.—12 p.m.

SPONSORED BY: Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary

PRESENTED BY: Sister Mary Stella

COST: Free-Will Offering

TO REGISTER OR FOR MORE INFORMATION: Call Sister Mary Stella, 815-935-0800

EUCHRE PARTY

Our next Euchre Party will be on Thursday, February 14th from 1-3 p.m. at the Parish Center. *Parishioners, as well as non-parishioners, are welcome!* We gladly accept donations to our local Food Pantry, but are not a requirement in order to play. Dessert follows card play.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be on Thursday, February 14th, at 6:30 p.m. in the Church basement.

DON'T FORGET: *Our Friday night Lenten Fish Fries will be held on March 15th and April 12th.*

Please remember in your prayers, Gloria Jean Lauterbach, step-grandmother of Elizabeth (Corey) McTaggart, who was called home to our Lord.

May God's peace be with her.

At the end of our time on earth, if we have lived fully, we will not be able to say: "I was always happy." Hopefully, we will be able to say: "I have experienced a lifetime of real moments, and many of them were happy moments."

Barbara Deangelis

ST. EDMUND CHURCH

219 EAST LOCUST STREET
WATSEKA IL 60970

PASTOR: Reverend Michael Powell

Rectory: 815-432-3274 ~ Office Hours: 8 a.m.—12 p.m. M-F

RE Office: 815-432-5569

Website: www.stedstjoe.org

MASSSES:

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

“Let us be built as living stones.”

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

Please pray for our Service Members . . .

- Staff Sgt. (USAF) Andrew Kelnhofer, son of Michelle Hastings
- Staff Sgt. Army Reserves Allison Shepherd, daughter of Michelle Hastings
- Staff Sgt. Rori Sorensen, granddaughter of Mary Sorensen

ITEMS NEEDED FOR HARBOR HOUSE

Below is a list of items needed at Harbor House:

**Size 7 & 8 Women's Underwear; Baby Shampoo/Bath Wash;
Gas Cards; Walmart Cards**

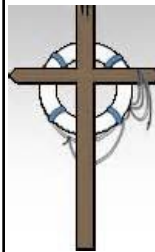
These may be brought to the Church at any time and placed in the basket for Harbor House. *Thank you!*

Your Sunday Funny . . .



The children were lined up in the cafeteria of a Catholic elementary school for lunch. At the head of the table was a large pile of apples. The nun made a note, and posted it on the apple tray: "Take only ONE. God is watching."

Moving further along the lunch line, at the other end of the table was a large pile of chocolate chip cookies. A child had written a note, "Take all you want. God is watching the apples."



Marriage Help—Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of marriages at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you, too.

For confidential information about or to register for the Retrouvaille Program beginning with the weekend on March 1-3, 2019, call 815-246-2080, send us an email to retrouvaillejoliet@gmail.com, or visit our website at <http://www.retrouvaille.org>.

MARTINTON COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY

While the name would suggest that their patrons would be from the Martinton and surrounding communities, that is not the case. Over 50% of the patrons that visit the Martinton Community Food Pantry are from the Watseka area.

In order to keep helping those in need, they are in need of monetary donations, as well as donations of non-perishable goods. Anyone wanting to make a monetary donation, please make your check out to **Martinton Community Food Pantry**, put it in an envelope marked as same and place it in the collection basket. We may also try to have a Food Drive for them sometime in the near future.

Thank you for any amount of donation you can give to them!