

# SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2018

Mon.	10/8	7:30 AM	Annalea Carson by Christine Ryan
Tue.	10/9	NO MASS	
Wed.	10/10	7:30 AM	Warren Shafer Birthday Remembrance by His Family
Thur.	10/11	7:30 AM	Jennie Langner by Eileen & Dave Rogers
Fri.	10/12	7:30 AM	Adele Daszko Anniversary Remembrance by Christina Daszko
Sat.	10/13	5:00 PM	Melvin & Doris Duensing by Leona Shafer
Sun.	10/14	7:30 AM	Rodney Popham By His Family
		9:00 AM	Parish Families of St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's
		10:30 AM	Rhonda Wittenborn by Chris & Amy Curry and Family



Weekly Need for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
Sunday Offering, Sept. 29/30, 2018:	\$ 2,838.00
BONUS For the Week:	\$ 362.00
Offering at St. Joseph's, Sept. 30, 2018:	\$ 695.00

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:  
28<sup>th</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time "B"  
Mark 10:17-27  
*"He went away sad, for he had many possessions!"*

- Do I have the courage to ask Jesus what I must do to have eternal life?
- Is there anything in my life, wealth, desires, pleasures or whatever, that keeps me authentically following Jesus?
- There is so much that I cannot do by myself so how do I bring these weaknesses to Jesus?

*Prayer:* Lord Jesus, you have called each of us to follow you in the way you invite us. Help me to see how I can best respond to the unique invitation you have offered me. Amen!

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS Tootsie Rolls Sales

Tootsie Rolls Sales at St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's will be conducted the weekend of October 20/21, after ALL Masses. This is a great opportunity to stock up for Halloween!

PLEASE NOTE: You have your choice of flavors with the Tootsie Rolls Midgies that come in the Bank Tube...Chocolate or Assorted Fruit Flavors.

Case of 300:	\$45.00
Box of 50:	\$ 8.00
Tootsie Rolls Bank Tube:	\$3/1 or \$10/4
Case of Bank Tubes:	\$35.00



NOTE: For sales prior to October 20/21, please contact Dick Arie at 815-471-5569.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be Thursday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, at 7:30 p.m. in the Church basement.

FYI: A copy of our Fiscal Year-End Report to the Diocese is now up in the glass case in the vestibule of the Church.

## LAY MINISTERS Liturgical Appointments for Next Weekend

Oct. 13/14	5:00 PM	7:30 AM	10:30 AM
LECTOR	Dick Arie	Sara McTaggart	Amy Curry
SERVERS	Kayley Jaworski	Justin McTaggart	Megan & Dane Martin
COMMUNION	Laura Stepp	Lynette Moyer	Jane Zummallen
HOSPITALITY	Jeanette Reifel Mary Sorensen Bernadine Buswell	M/M Kent Schippert	M/M Gene Ochs Jami Harwood

## EUCHRE PARTY

Our next Euchre Party will be on Thursday, October 11<sup>th</sup> 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.

## FYI from Patti Duffy . . .

**Eighth Grade Students' Service Project:** The Confirmation students need to earn credits for serving the community. Beginning Wednesday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018, we will be collecting donations for the victims of Hurricane Florence, and will send the monies to the Red Cross. The last day to turn in any donations will be Wednesday, November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018. The Confirmants thank you in advance for your generosity in helping those in need.

The **RE ALL STUDENT MASS** will be offered on Wednesday, October 10<sup>th</sup> at 4 p.m. Parents and parishioners are welcome to attend!

PLEASE NOTE: There will be NO RE CLASSES on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup>.

## CHRISTMAS CHOIR

Choir practice for Christmas is ongoing every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. from now throughout the Christmas season.



St. Edmund Catholic Church

**TURKEY DINNER**  
Sunday, October 28, 2018  
2:00—6:00 p.m.

St. Edmund Catholic Church Basement

## FREE-WILL DONATION

**MENU:**  
Roast Turkey ~ Mashed Potatoes  
Gravy ~ Stuffing ~ Green Beans  
Corn ~ Dessert ~ Drinks

Carry-Outs Available  
(Starting at 2:00 p.m.)  
Call: 815-432-5569

## PUBLIC INVITED

Sign-up sheets to make pies and/or volunteer to help at the Turkey Dinner are now up in the vestibule of the Church.

If unable to contribute pies or your time, monetary donations are always appreciated! Donations can be mailed to the Church or put in an enveloped marked "Turkey Dinner" and put in the collection basket. Checks are to be made out to *Knights of Columbus Council 4391*. Thank you!

Please pray for our Service Members . . .



- Staff Sgt. (USAF) Andrew Kelnhofer, son of Michelle Hastings
- Staff Sgt. Army Reserve Allison Shepherd, daughter of Michelle Hastings
- Staff Sargent 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!*

#### TREE OF LIGHT MEMORIAL MASS

Sponsored by The Office of Family Ministry DOJ

NOVEMBER 4, 2018

2:00 p.m. Tree-Blessing Ceremony preceding Mass.

Reception following.

Blanchette Catholic Center  
16555 Weber Road  
Crest Hill, IL

This special Mass remembers infants lost through miscarriage, stillbirth, other pregnancy losses, and infant or early childhood death.

To register, or to have a baby remembered, please call 815-838-5334 or register online at <http://conta.cc/2uQPqBz> by November 2, 2018.

#### ST. EDMUND SNOW REMOVAL

We are in need of someone to handle our snow removal for the upcoming winter season.

If any parishioners are interested in handling this for us, please contact Fr. Mike to get specifics. If no parishioners come forward, we will gladly take names and numbers of those around town who do snow removal in order to find one who is willing to put us on their schedule. Whether you like it or not, winter IS just around the corner!

#### ST. EDMUND CCW

**THANK YOU** to all who either packed boxes of your own or donated item in which to place in our boxes for our *Boxes of Joy* project. We ended up with 106 boxes, which will definitely brighten quite a few children's Christmas this year!

JDCCW BIENNIAL CONVENTION  
November 2-4, 2018  
**CHRISTMAS GIFT CARDS PROJECT**  
(Monetary Donations Being Accepted)

At the Joliet Diocesan Council of Catholic Women's (JDCCW) Biennial Convention this year, the attendees will be making Christmas cards for our diocesan seminarians, retired priests and diocesan priests not assigned to a parish. In these cards they will be placing various types of gifts cards (i.e. gas cards, restaurant/fast food cards, department store cards, etc.).

If any parishioners would like to make a **MONEY DONATION** towards the purchase of these gifts cards, please put your donation in an envelope marked *JDCCW Gift Cards* and place it in the collection basket. Checks are to be made payable to: *JDCCW*. Sunday, October 21<sup>st</sup> will be the final day donations will be accepted. **THANK YOU!**

#### One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center PRAYER BREAKFAST

*"Music in Catholic Worship....Sing Joyfully to the World!"*

**WHEN:** Thursday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018; 9—10:30 a.m.

**SPONSORED BY:** Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary

**PRESENTER:** Julie Tendy

Julie's passion is music. She has been involved in music since she was 4-years-old. She started playing the flute when she was 8 and became a liturgical musician when she was 13. She has a *Bachelor of Science in Music Degree* and a *Master of Arts in Leadership in Human Service Administration Degree* from Bradley University in Peoria. She currently teaches music and computer science in two different Catholic grade schools; one in Elgin and the other in Aurora.

**COST:** Free-will offering

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

## ST. EDMUND CHURCH

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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 ~ Office Hours: Tue. 10 a.m.—3 p.m. /Wed. 10 a.m.—3 p.m.

Website: [www.stedstjoe.org](http://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