

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

MASS INTENTIONS FOR Sept. 3-9, 2018

Monday, September 3, 7:30 AM
Lee Ryan 2nd Anniversary Remembrance

Tuesday, September 4: NO MASS

Wednesday, September 5: NO MASS

Thursday, September 6, 7:30 AM
Dr. John Schlereth by Bill & Peggy Burwell

Friday, September 7, 7:30 AM
Peter Daszko Anniversary Remembrance by Christina Daszko

Saturday, September 8, 5:00 PM
Sarah Schuler by Knights of Columbus Council 4391

Sunday, September 9
7:30 AM: Michael Caise by Family & Friends
9:00 AM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's
10:30 AM: Jim & Judy Krones by Chris & Amy Curry & Family

LAY MINISTERS for SEPTEMBER 8/9

SATURDAY, September 8, 5:00 PM

Lector: Dick Arie

Host: Diana Wessels

Altar Server: Kayley Jaworski

Hospitality: M/M Mike Schuler; Nick Harvey

SUNDAY, September 9, 7:30 AM

Lector: Sara McTaggart

Host: Brittany Cluver

Altar Server: Lucas Shoemaker

Hospitality: DR/M William Burwell
Christine Ryan; Penny Hardesty

SUNDAY, September 9, 10:30 AM

Lector: Ericka Clark

Host: Steve Westrick

Altar Servers: Meredith & Mallory Drake

Hospitality: M/M Kevin Verkler; Marie Garfield

St. Edmund's Weekly Need for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
St. Edmund's Sunday Offering, August 25/26, 2018:	\$ 2,623.00
DEFICIT For the Week:	\$(577.00)
St. Joseph's Sunday Offering, Aug. 26, 2018:	\$ 412.00

BOXES OF JOY

REMINDER: There is a box in the vestibule of the Church for anyone wanting to donate items for our CCW's Boxes of Joy project. Boxes will be packed at our meeting on Monday, October 1st. The flyer that has all the information you will need can be found on our website or on the bulletin board in the vestibule of the Church. *Thank you!*

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:

23rd Sunday Ordinary Time "B"

Mark 7:31-37

"Ephphatha - be opened!"

- Have I ever been deaf when Jesus speaks to me?
- Have I always used the gift of speech in a positive manner?
- Am I truly astonished at the wonderful things Jesus does in my life?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, at baptism we pray: "The Lord Jesus made the deaf to hear and the dumb to speak. May he soon open your ears to hear his word and your mouth to proclaim his praise." Help me to make this my prayer today. Amen!

ST. EDMUND CCW

Our first meeting of our new year, our *Salad Supper*, will be on Tuesday, September 4th, at 6 p.m. at the Parish Center. All attendees are asked to please bring a salad to share and a wrapped prize for BINGO. Dessert and drinks will be provided.

Our new 2018-2019 Directory is available and may be picked up from the table in the vestibule of the Church or from the table by the east side Cry Chapel entrance.

Catholicism: The Pivotal Players

By: Bishop Robert Barron

Presented by: Fr. Mike Powell

The fourth episode in this film series, focusing on *St. Catherine of Sienna, the Mystic*, will be presented on Thursday, September 6th at 7 p.m. at the Parish Center.

SECOND COLLECTION

This Weekend, September 1/2, 2018

This weekend's second collection is for our Religious Education Program. Unlike our other special collections that get sent to the Diocese or elsewhere, this collection stays right here at St. Edmund's and benefits our children and our parish. Your generosity is greatly appreciated....thank you!

MISSION CO-OP APPEAL

NEXT WEEKEND, September 8/9, 2018

Next weekend Deacon Leonard Okonkwo will preach the homilies in context with his *Home to Enhance African Life* charity, which helps poor and marginalized orphans, widows and rural villagers in south-east Nigeria.

A SECOND COLLECTION will be taken up for this. PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: *St. Edmund Catholic Church* with "Mission Appeal" in the memo line. St. Joseph's parishioners should make their checks out to St. Joseph's. Thank you!

"Stress makes you believe that everything has to happen right now. Faith reassures you that everything will happen in God's timing."

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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

“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

St. Mary's Church ~ Beaverville, IL
22ND ANNUAL FOUNDER'S DAY
Sunday, September 9, 2018

On Sunday, September 9th, St. Mary's Church in Beaverville will hold its Annual Founder's Day celebration. The day will begin at 7:30 a.m. with a Tractor Drive & Show and will end at 4 p.m. with the Raffle Drawings. Mass will be held at 10 a.m. Lunch will be served from 11 a.m.—3 p.m. At 2:30 p.m. **A Natural High** will perform in the Church. **A Natural High** originated as a vocal octet from the First Christian Church in Watseka over 36 years ago. Since that time, the group has expanded its membership to 17 individuals from 12 churches and 10 communities throughout Iroquois County.

There will be all kinds of fun and entertaining things to do for young and old! Check out the flyer posted in the vestibule of St. Edmund's and St. Joseph's or visit their website at:
www.stmaryschurchbeaverville.com

A Note from our RE Office . . .

Registration packets for our 2018-2019 year of Religious Education have been sent out and are due back by September 5th. For anyone who may not have received theirs, a few can be found on the table in the vestibule of the Church. If you have any questions, please call Patti Duffy at our Religious Education Office.

Classes resume on Wednesday, September 19th at 4 p.m.

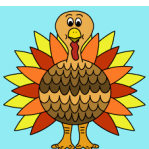
OUTDOOR MASS & PICNIC

Sunday, September 23 at 10:30 a.m.

Legion Park Building

Hosted by: St. Edmund CCW & Knights of Columbus

Sign-up sheets are now up in the vestibule of the Church. Parishioners of St. Joseph's who would like to attend can call Colette at the Rectory and your name will be added to the list.



SAVE THE DATE!

Our TURKEY DINNER will be held on SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2018 from 2-6 p.m.