

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, JULY 6, 2014

MASS INTENTIONS FOR JULY 7-13, 2014

Monday, July 7, 7:30 AM Jack Langellier by Nick & Roxanne Adsit & Family
Tuesday, July 8 NO MASS
Wednesday, July 9, 7:30 AM Greta Burns by Pat McTaggart
Thursday, July 10, 7:30 AM Donna Guimond by Family & Friends
Friday, July 11, 7:30 AM Chester & Pauline Williams
Saturday, July 12, 5:00 PM Dolores Paleczny 16th Anniversary Remembrance by Her Family
Sunday, July 13 7:30 AM: Frank Langner by M/M David Rogers 9:00 AM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's 10:30 AM: Joyce Donohue by Paula Hodak

LAY MINISTERS For JULY 12/13, 2014

SATURDAY, July 12, 5:00 PM

Lector: Dick Arie
Host: Debbie McCullough
Altar Servers: Samantha & Raegan Gooding
Hospitality: Sheila Harman & Devon Harman
 Helen Bruens & Louise Bruens

SUNDAY, July 13, 7:30 AM

Lector: Rhonda Pence
Host: Diane Buswell
Altar Server:
Hospitality: M/M Joe Lyznicki Family

SUNDAY, July 13, 10:30 AM

Lector: Debbie Ochs
Host: Kevin Hemp
Altar Servers: Conner & Claire Curry
Hospitality: M/M Bill Nutter Family

Weekly Parish Need for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
Sunday Offering June 28/29, 2014:	\$ 2,841.00
DEFICIT For the Week:	\$ (359.00)

Total Roof Fund Donations:	\$ 113,680.53

Sunday Offering at St. Joseph's, June 29, 2014:	\$ 523.00

Please pray for our Service Members . . .

Sr. Airman Thomas Westrick, son of Steve & Sharon Westrick

Please pray for . . . Francis Melson

DON'T FORGET to come out **Sunday night** and watch the **fireworks**, located south of the county courthouse, sponsored by our Knights of Columbus.

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:

15th Sunday Ordinary Time

Matthew 13:1-23

"Hear then the parable of the sower!"

- Am I like the seed on the path, do I hear the Word without understanding it?
- Am I like the seed on rocky ground, do I live as a disciple only when it is convenient?
- Am I like the seed among thorns, do I let wealth and worldly cares compromise my Christian commitment?
- Or...am I like the seed on rich soil, do I hear the Word, understand it and truly live it in my life?

Prayer: Jesus, I live among fields of wheat and beans. I see the sowing of the seeds, the growing of the plants and the reaping of the harvest. Help me, like the true seeds in rich ground, to truly grow in living out the Gospel life. Amen!

EUCHRE PARTY

St. Edmund's Senior Citizens will be having their next **Euchre Party** on **Thursday, July 10**, at **1 p.m.** at the **Parish Center**. Parishioners, as well as non-parishioners, are welcome to attend. All attendees are asked to bring an item for the food pantry.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The next **meeting** of our Knights of Columbus is **Thursday, July 10**, at **7:30 p.m.** in the **Church basement**.

Ladies, don't forget to pick up your bowl or dish from the table in the vestibule of the Church.

ST. ANNE'S DAY FESTIVAL

St. Anne Church in St. Anne, IL

St. Anne Catholic Church announces the **134th Annual St. Anne Novena, Friday, July 18—St. Anne's Day, Saturday, July 26**. On weekdays, Mass with novena prayers is celebrated at 7 p.m. On Saturday, the 19th, Mass is celebrated at 4:30 p.m. and on Sunday, the 20th, at 9 a.m. This year's presenter is Fr. Jason Nesbit, CSV, parochial vicar at Maternity BVM Church in Bourbonnais. St. Anne's Day activities include a conference, "Earthen Vessels," by Marilyn Mulcahy, the traditional outdoor Mass with Anointing of the Sick, the parishioners' production of "A Scriptural Rosary," and a "Children's Hour," where the children will take part in a production of *Jonah and the Whale*. There are booths to browse and dinner is available.

L'ERABLE HOMECOMING

SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2014

Sponsored by

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass: 11:00 A.M.

BBQ Chicken or Pork Chop Dinners

Served from Noon to 6:00 P.M.

RAFFLE PRIZES

\$300—\$150—\$100

Plus numerous other prizes

KIDDIE PEDAL TRACTOR PULL @ 2 P.M.

BEAN BAG TOURNAMENT @ 2 P.M.

(Registration @ Noon)