

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

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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 12, 2015

MASS INTENTIONS FOR JULY 13-19, 2015

Monday, July 13, 7:30 AM:
Frank Langner by M/M David Rogers

Tuesday, July 14: NO MASS

Wednesday, July 15: 7:30 AM
Barbara Berry by the Ringle Sisters

Thursday, July 16, 7:30 AM
Richard Ryan by M/M Dick Arie

Friday, July 17, 7:30 AM
Celebrating the July Birthdays of Children & Grandchildren by Bob & Phyllis Tonner

Saturday, July 18, 5:00 PM
Living & Deceased Members of the Kidwell Family

Sunday, July 19
7:30 AM: Delores Kaufman by M/M Don Wauthier
9:00 AM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's
10:30 AM: Chester & Pauline Williams

LAY MINISTERS For JULY 18/19, 2015

SATURDAY, July 18, 5:00 PM

Lector: Dick Arie
Host: Rosann Miller
Cup:
Altar Servers: Conner & Claire Curry
Hospitality: Jeanette Reifel; Jan Dillman

SUNDAY, July 19, 7:30 AM

Lector: Julie Schippert
Host: Mary Jane LaFond
Cup:
Altar Server:
Hospitality: M/M Terry Pence & M/M Rich Moyer

SUNDAY, July 19, 10:30 AM

Lector: Steve Westrick
Host: Ann Zumwalt
Cup:
Altar Servers: Meredith & Mallory Drake
Hospitality: M/M Gene Ochs; Carolyn Oster

Weekly Parish Need for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
Sunday Offering July 4/5, 2015:	\$ 2,527.00
DEFICIT For the Week:	\$ (673.00)

Roof Fund Donations July 4/5, 2015:	\$ 0.00
Total Roof Fund Donations:	\$ 145,532.00

Sunday Offering at St. Joseph's, July 5, 2015:	\$ 968.00

Kudos to our Knights of Columbus (and all those who contributed) on another amazing fireworks display last Sunday night—the finale was phenomenal!

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:
16th Sunday Ordinary Time "B"
Mark 6:30-34
"Come away and rest!"

The Apostles returned to Jesus and told them all they had done. How can I better bring all my cares and concerns, hopes and fears to Jesus?

Jesus then invited them to "come away and rest." How can I better rest in Jesus in contemplation and prayer?

Jesus cared for those who were "like sheep without a shepherd." How can I, in my own way, help those who are in need?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, Gentle Shepherd, you still send your apostles out into the world to make you known and then welcome them back to rest in you. Help me join in that rhythm of discipleship. Amen!

Taking care of our parish together.

We all know how important teamwork is in our parish life. St. Edmund Parish has been blessed over the last several years by the generous help of Keith Steffes and Ray Gullquist in regular maintenance projects.

In planning for future ongoing care for our parish property and buildings, we are beginning a search for a part-time maintenance person. This would be a paid position based on the number of hours worked. It would be a very flexible job in that hours would be required only as the need arises.

This person should be qualified to tend to regular maintenance projects and also be knowledgeable as to whom to contact when more expertise help would be needed. This might be a perfect job for a retired or semi-retired person. If you should be interested in such work, please contact Fr. Mike.

Please pray for our Service Members . . .

- * Sr. Airman Thomas Westrick, son of Steve & Sharon Westrick
- * Airman 1st Class Andrew Kelnhofer, son of Michelle Kelnhofer
- * Hm3 Richard Kelnhofer, son of Michelle Kelnhofer
- * Sgt. Erik Shepherd, son-in-law of Michelle Kelnhofer
- * PFC Allison Shepherd, daughter of Michelle Kelnhofer
- * Lance Corporal Samuel Gross, grandson of Linda Hunt

Please pray for . . . Francis Melson

ST. ANNE'S DAY FESTIVAL

St. Anne Church in St. Anne, IL

St. Anne Catholic Church, St. Anne, IL, announces the 135th Annual St. Anne Novena, running Saturday, July 18—St. Anne's Day, Sunday, July 26. On weekdays, Mass with Novena prayers is celebrated at 7 p.m. On Saturdays, the 18th and 25th, Mass is celebrated at 4:30 p.m. On Sunday, the 19th, Mass is celebrated at 9 a.m. This year's novena presenter is Fr. John Peeters, Viatorian pastor of St. Patrick's Church in Kankakee. St. Anne's Day activities begin at 9 a.m. with Marilyn Mulcahy's conference, "Faith and the Family." At 10:30 follows the outdoor Mass with anointing of the sick and a procession with the Shrine relic of St. Anne. There will also be a musical interlude with a trio playing familiar Marian hymns and a Children's Hour where the children will meet friends of Jesus: Mary, Martha and Lazarus. There are booths to browse and dinner is available. Come and celebrate St. Anne!