

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, JANUARY 11, 2015

MASS INTENTIONS FOR JANUARY 12-18, 2015

Monday, January 12: NO MASS
 Tuesday, January 13: NO MASS
 Wednesday, January 14: NO MASS
 Thursday, January 15: NO MASS
 Friday, January 16: NO MASS
 Saturday, January 17, 5:00 PM
 Amanda Harris Anniversary Remembrance by Her Family
 Sunday, January 18
 7:30 AM: James J. Reeves by Nick & Roxanne Adsit & Family
 9:00 AM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's
 10:30 AM: Pamela Thomason by Her Family

LAY MINISTERS For JANUARY 17/18, 2015

SATURDAY, January 17, 5:00 PM

Lector: Mary Decker
 Host: Debbie McCullough
 Altar Servers: Katie & Justin McTaggart
 Hospitality: M/M Mike Schuler; M/M Doug Duffy

SUNDAY, January 18, 7:30 AM

Lector: Doug Geiger
 Host: Diane Buswell
 Altar Server: Wyatt Claire
 Hospitality: M/M Andrew Knapp; M/M Sam Ochs

SUNDAY, January 18, 10:30 AM

Lector: Steve Westrick
 Host: Kevin Hemp
 Altar Servers: Cole Arseneau & Zakkary Clark
 Hospitality: M/M Gene Ochs; M/M Dick Mayotte

Weekly Parish Need for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
Sunday Offering Jan. 3/4, 2015:	\$ 2,716.75
DEFICIT For the Week:	\$ (483.25)

Total Roof Fund Donations:	\$ 130,260.00

Sunday Offering at St. Joseph's, Jan. 4, 2015:	\$ 1,143.00

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

REMINDER: Church decorations will be taken down today after our 10:30 Mass.

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:
 2nd Sunday Ordinary Time "B"
 John 1:35-42
 "Jesus said to them 'Come and you will see!'"

- Do I truly seek out Jesus in my life?
- What am I truly looking for in my life?
- How can I better respond to Jesus call to follow him?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, you are in truth the Lamb of God. Help me to hear John the Baptist acclaiming you as the Messiah and leave behind all that keeps me from your love. Help me spend this day with you. Amen!

Thanks so much....

Food From The Heart expresses its gratitude to the Knights of Columbus, our CCW and our parishioners for their generosity. We truly appreciate all the help from the Confirmation class, too. Couldn't have done it without all of you....THANKS!

Our 375 food basket recipients thank you, too!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FREE THROW CONTEST

Our Knights of Columbus will hold their annual **Free Throw Contest** today, **Sunday, January 11th**, at **Glenn Raymond School**. Doors will open at 12:30 p.m. and the contest will start at 1:00. This is for boys and girls age 9-14. For questions, please call Joe Lyznicki at 432-3727.

WEEK OF CHRISTIAN UNITY

Week of Christian Unity will be held the week of **January 26-29**, from **12-1 p.m.** at an area Church. The schedule is as follows:

DAY	CHURCH	SPEAKER
Monday	Methodist Church	Rev. Thomas McCann
Tuesday	First Christian Church	Fr. Michael Powell
Wednesday	First Presbyterian Church	Rev. Robert Rixman
Thursday	St. Edmund Parish	Rev. Robert Sabo

From the Diocese . . .

During the *Year of Consecrated Life*, we have been asked to print one fact per week in our Sunday bulletin. These facts will be under the heading: *Did You Know? So*, for this week....

Did You Know?

For over 25 years the Franciscan Sisters of the Sacred Heart held their annual garage sale with proceeds to their mission activity in Brazil, moving reusable trash to renewable treasures.

CONDOLENCES TO Earl (Carol) Lareau whose brother, Merrill S. "Moe" Lareau, was called home to our Lord.

May God's peace be with him.

Offering Mass with us this weekend and next is Fr. James Lause, a good friend of Fr. Mike's. Please make him feel welcome.