

ST. EDMUND CHURCH

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WATSEKA IL 60970

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MASSSES:

M-W-TH-F

7:30 AM

SATURDAY

6:00 PM

SUNDAY

8:00 AM

CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 5:30—5:50 PM or by appointment.

“Transforming the world in which we live by bringing the teachings of Jesus Christ to every living person.”

ST. MARY CHURCH
308 ST. CHARLES STREET
BEAVERVILLE IL 60912

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH
307 UNION STREET
CRESCENT CITY IL 60928

MASS: SATURDAY AT 4:00 PM

MASS: SUNDAY AT 9:30 AM

LENTEN SERVICES

- St. Edmund's will be offering Stations of the Cross with Benediction EACH FRIDAY during Lent beginning at 7 p.m.
- St. Mary's will be offering Stations of the Cross EACH SATURDAY during Lent beginning at 3:30 p.m.

CONFESSIONS: On Wednesday, April 6, Fr. Mike will hear confessions from 11:30 a.m. —12:30 p.m. and again at 7 p.m. They will be held in the Cry Chapel.

HOLY WEEK/EASTER WEEKEND SERVICES

St. Mary

HOLY THURSDAY and GOOD FRIDAY Services: 4:30 p.m.

EASTER VIGIL MASS: 8 p.m.

HOLY WEEK/EASTER WEEKEND SERVICES

St. Edmund & St. Joseph

HOLY THURSDAY and GOOD FRIDAY Services: 7 p.m.

EASTER SUNDAY Mass Schedule:

- 8:00 a.m. at St. Edmund's
- 9:30 a.m. at St. Joseph's

SERVANTS OF THE HOLY HEART OF MARY

2022 Lenten Online Programs

PRAY IT FORWARD (Online Retreat Series): Each session will be offered twice, Saturday mornings from 9:30—11:30 a.m. and Monday evenings from 6:30—8:30 p.m., starting March 5 & 7 and ending April 2 & 4. *Cost for the series is \$10/session or \$40 for all 5 sessions.*

Lent Gospel Film Series: This series is offered by Sr. Myra Lambert via Zoom. All 5 sessions will be held on SUNDAYS from 3:00—6:00 p.m. beginning on March 6 and ending on April 3. *The cost for the series is \$10/session or \$40 for all 5 sessions.*

[Servants of the Holy Heart of Mary \(sscm-usa.org\)](http://sscm-usa.org)

Please pray for our Service Members . . .

- PV2 Austin Grosvenor, great-grandson of Leona Shafer
- MCSN (USN) Justin McTaggart, son of Kirk & Christine McTaggart
- 2nd Lt. (USMC) Laura Gross, granddaughter of Linda Hunt
- Lance Cpl. (USMC) Janie Gross, granddaughter of Linda Hunt

Please pray for . . .

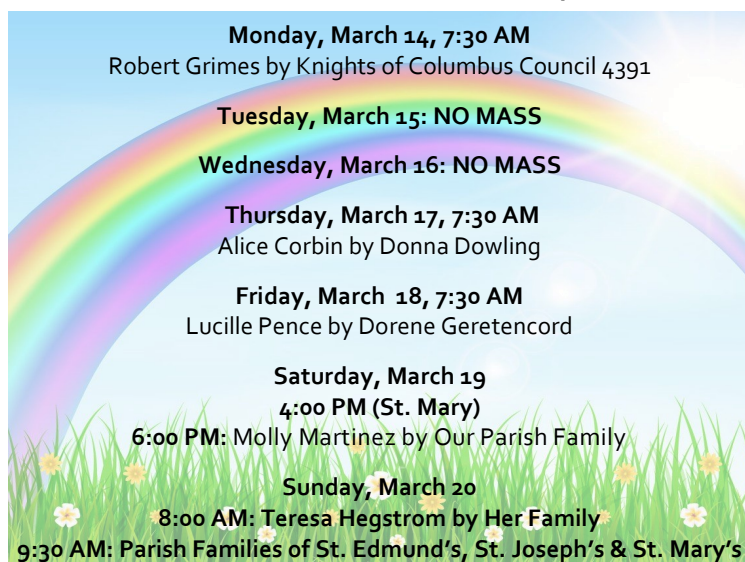
- Tina Gooding
- Rolland Morrical
- The people of the Ukraine

GOOD NEWS!!

In regards to our Saturday night Mass, St. Mary's has decided to go back to having Mass on Sundays. So, starting the weekend of June 4/5, St. Edmund's will be able to offer Saturday night Mass at 5:00 p.m. again and St. Mary's will be offering Mass on Sundays at 4:30 p.m. Our Sunday Masses will remain as they are.

SUNDAY, MARCH 13, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS FOR March 14—20, 2022



Monday, March 14, 7:30 AM
Robert Grimes by Knights of Columbus Council 4391

Tuesday, March 15: NO MASS

Wednesday, March 16: NO MASS

Thursday, March 17, 7:30 AM
Alice Corbin by Donna Dowling

Friday, March 18, 7:30 AM
Lucille Pence by Dorene Geretencord

Saturday, March 19
4:00 PM (St. Mary)
6:00 PM: Molly Martinez by Our Parish Family

Sunday, March 20
8:00 AM: Teresa Hegstrom by Her Family
9:30 AM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's, St. Joseph's & St. Mary's

St. Edmund's Weekly Target for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
Sunday Offering, March 5/6:	\$ 2,686.00
Online Giving:	\$ 175.00
DEFICIT For the Week:	\$ (339.00)
St. Joseph's Sunday Offering, March 6:	\$ 2,505.00

LAY MINISTERS for March 19/20, 2022

SATURDAY, March 19, 6:00 PM
Lector: Tyler Blanchette
Eucharistic Minister: Volunteer
Ushers: Mike & Jodie Schuler

SUNDAY, March 20, 8:00 AM
Lector: Sara McTaggart
Eucharistic Minister: Paul McTaggart
Usher: Brittany Cluver

Money Counters: Bill Janssen & Julie Arseneau

CATHOLIC MINISTRIES ANNUAL APPEAL

Thank you to everyone who has already shown their devotion to the works of the Lord with a gift to this year's CMAA.

If you have yet to make your gift, please prayerfully reflect on how you can best support the CMAA. **St. Edmund's goal is \$11,100** and **St. Joseph's goal is \$3,300**, with 70% of any amount we raise over goal returned to us for our use.

Pledge envelopes can still be found on the table in the vestibule, or for those viewing the bulletin online, click on the link below to give:
[Catholic Ministries Annual Appeal \(jolietidocesappeal.org\)](http://jolietidocesappeal.org)



SPRING FORWARD THIS SUNDAY

This is the day the
Lord has made;
We will rejoice and
be glad in it.

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:

3rd Sunday of Lent "C"

Luke 13:1—9

"It may bear fruit!"

- What seemingly meaningless disastrous experiences have I had to endure? Did they bring me closer to God or separated me farther from Him?
- Am I patient in "waiting for God"?
- What sort of "fruit" do I bear in my spiritual life?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, you have called me to be prepared for the successes and failures in my life. Help me to allow any misfortune, whether my fault or not, to bring me closer to you. Prepare me to celebrate the Easter Mysteries. Amen!

CCW SCHOLARSHIP & ROBERT HAAS MEMORIAL/ KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SCHOLARSHIP

Applications are now available for the St. Edmund CCW Scholarship and the Robert Haas Memorial/Knights of Columbus St. Teresa of Avila Council #4391 Scholarship.

CCW Scholarship

- Must be an current, active, registered member of St. Edmund's.
- Must have already been accepted by a college/university/trade school.

Robert Haas Mem./Knights of Columbus Scholarship

- Must be an current, active, registered member of any Parish served by our Knights of Columbus St. Teresa of Avila Council #4391.
- Must have already been accepted by a college/university/trade school.

NOTE: Current, active, registered members of St. Edmund's may apply for BOTH scholarships. Xeroxed copies of your Letters of Recommendation may be used.

Applications may be picked up from the table in the vestibule of St. Edmund's Church or from the Rectory. The Knights of Columbus will distribute copies of the Robert Haas Memorial/Knights of Columbus St. Teresa of Avila Council #4391 Scholarship to other parishes to which members belong.

ALL applications are to be returned by WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20TH, 2022. If mailing them back, they must be postmarked no later than April 18th. NO LATE APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED. They may be dropped off at St. Edmund's Rectory between the hours of 8 a.m.—12 p.m. M-F or mailed to: St. Edmund Catholic Church; ATTN: Scholarship Committee; 219 E. Locust Street; Watseka, IL, 60970. **Please note on your return envelope which organization's scholarship application it is.** Both organizations will have their own Scholarship Committee to screen applications.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL APPLICANTS!

Please remember in prayer those called to eternal life. We extend our prayers and heartfelt sympathy to the friends and family of:

**Joyce Michaline Suska, long time St. Joseph Parishioner
Karen Tucker, wife of Orin Tucker and member of St. Mary's**

My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.
Exodus 33:14