ST. EDMUND CHURCH 219 EAST LOCUST STREET WATSEKA IL 60970

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MASSES: M-W-TH-F 7:30 AM

SATURDAY 5:00 PM

SUNDAY 8:00 AM

CONFESSIONS: Saturday, 4:30—4:50 PM or by appointment.

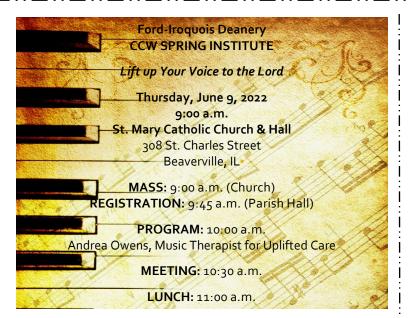
"Transforming the world in which we live by bringing the teachings of Jesus Christ to every living person."

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

MASS: SUNDAY AT 4:30 PM

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH 307 UNION STREET CRESCENT CITY IL 60928

MASS: SUNDAY AT 9:30 AM



WATSEKA AREA FOOD PANTRY

JUNE'S items requested by the Watseka Area Food Pantry: CANNED FRUITS, CANNED VEGETABLES & CANNED BEANS These are only suggestions. They gladly accept any and all donations.

The Watseka Area Food Pantry is collecting LAUNDRY DETER-GENT and FABRIC SOFTENER BOTTLES. They can take them to Midwest Food Bank and have them filled with laundry detergent that can then be given to their clients.

To help with this collection, please do the following:

- Only LAUNDRY DETERGENT and FABRIC SOFTENER BOT-TLES can be used. NO BLEACH, KITTY LITTER or MILK CON-TAINERS, please.
- Please RINSE OUT bottles.
- Place containers in marked box in the church's Fellowship Hall or in the grocery cart outside the Food Pantry door at the Watseka Methodist Church. The Food Pantry is OPEN Monday—Friday, 9:00—11:00 AM.

Thanks for your help in helping others!

PLEASE NOTE: The Church Office will be CLOSED on Monday, May 30th, in observance of Memorial Day.

Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends.

—John 15:13

FLOWERS FOR MARY'S ALTAR—JUNE

- 5 Mary Decker
- 12 Sam & Sue Stepp
- 19 Chuck & Marie Garfield
- 26 Margaret & Gene Ochs

SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2022

MASS INTENTIONS FOR MAY 30—JUNE 5, 2022

Monday, May 30, 7:30 AM Jim Pence by Linda Cailteux

Tuesday, May 31: NO MASS

Wednesday, June 1:

Amy Custardo by Christine Ryan

Thursday, June 2, 7:30 AM

Diane German Pechauer by Roxanne & Nick Adsit

Friday, June 3, 7:30 AM

Fr. Robert Markovitch, MD by Dr. Gonzalo & Barb Florido

Morning Mass...what a way to start the day!!

Saturday, June 4

5:00 PM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's, St. Joseph's & St. Mary's

Sunday, June 5

8:00 AM: Kenneth Ducat by His Family

9:30 AM: Matthew Kafer Birthday Remembrance by Jean & Ty Herron

4:30 PM: St. Mary

St. Edmund's Weekly Target for Operation:	\$	3,200.00
Sunday Offering, May 21/22:	\$	2,850.00
Online Giving:	\$	195.00
DEFICIT For the Week:	(\$	155.00)
St. Joseph's Sunday Offering, May 22:	\$	525.00

LAY MINISTERS for June 4/5, 2022

SATURDAY, June 4, 5:00 PM

Lector: Paula Hodak Ushers: Doug & Patti Duffy

SUNDAY, June 5, 8:00 AM

Lector: Kendra Martin
Ushers: Gwen & Terry McTaggart

Money Counters: Bill Janssen & Barb Mayotte

DATES TO REMEMBER IN JUNE...

4/5 Food Pantry

5 PENTECOST

- 9 Euchre Party: 1:00—3:00 p.m. at the Parish Center K of C Meeting: 6:30 p.m. in Church Basement
- 14 Flag Day
- 19 Solemnity of Corpus Christi

Father's Day

DOJ Collection for Infirm and Retired Priests

- 20 Parish Council Meeting: 6:30 p.m. at the Parish Center
- 21 First Day of Summer
- 26 DOJ Peter's Pence Collection
- 28 | Election Day

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:

Pentecost C

"Receive the Holy Spirit!"

The Seven Gifts of the Holy Spirit:

Wisdom, Knowledge, Counsel, Fortitude, Understanding, Piety, Fear of the Lord

- How do I prepare myself to receive these gifts?
- How can I put them into practice in my life?
- Which gift do I need to ask for today?

Prayer: Come Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of your love. Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created and you will renew the face of the earth. Amen!

Christ is risen! Truly he is risen!

Congratulations to ALL of our graduates! Your parish families wish you the best in whatever your future hold for you...go forth and conquer!

"Trust in the LORD with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight.

Proverbs 3:5-6

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

Leslie "Les" P. Morrical, brother of Rolland (Linda) Morrical

My presence will go with you, and I will give you rest.

Exodus 33:14

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 . . .

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- Tina GoodingRolland Morrical
- The people of the Ukraine

Prayer for Those Who Have Fallen in Battle

"All Powerful God, we honor today those men and women—our sons and daughters, husbands and wives, fathers, brothers, sisters, mothers—who have laid down their life for their country. Whether weary or emboldened, quiet or defiant, vulnerable or ready when You called them home, their sacrifice is too humbling for words except these uttered in prayer.

Loving Lord, bless them forever in Your eternal peace...cherish their spirit, honor their commitment, send them our love, and will (sic) never forget the service that they gave."

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