

ST. EDMUND CHURCH

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MASSSES:

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

ST. JOSEPH CHURCH
307 UNION STREET
CRESCENT CITY IL 60928

MASS: SUNDAY AT 4:30 PM

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St. Edmund's Weekly Target for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
Sunday Offering, July 27/28:	\$ 2,404.00
Online Giving:	\$ 460.00
DEFICIT for the Week:	\$ (336.00)
St. Joseph's Sunday Offering, July 28:	\$ 375.00

LAY MINISTERS for August 10/11, 2024

SATURDAY, August 10, 5:00 PM

Lector: Bill Janssen

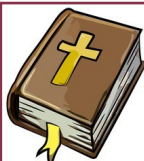
Ushers: Mike & Mary Ann Kiefer

SUNDAY, August 11, 8:00 AM

Lector: RaDonna Hasselbring

Ushers: M/M Kyle Cluver Family

Money Counters: Joe Lyznicki & Sue Butler



WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY GROUP
St. Edmund Parish Center

TUESDAYS at 1:00 p.m.

NEW MEMBERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!

Please pray for . . .

- Gary Cahoe
- Tina Gooding

SERVANTS OF THE HOLY HEART OF MARY

2024 Programs

Watercolor Workshop: This will be presented by Sr. Mary Stella Schellenberger, sscm, on **Thursday, August 8**, from 9:00 a.m.—12:00 p.m. at One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center.

How Does the Eucharistic Revival Speak to the SSCM Charisms: This program will be via ZOOM on **Wednesday, August 21st** from 6:30—8:00 p.m. and will be presented by Sr. Amy Mejia, sscm, Monica Phan and Karen Lance.

Those reading this online can click on the link below for more information or to register:

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

EUCHRE PARTY

Thursday, August 8, 2024

1-3 p.m. ~ St. Edmund's Parish Center.

Parishioners, as well as non-parishioners, are welcome! We gladly accept donations to our local Food Pantry, but are not a requirement in order to play. Dessert follows card play.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS COUNCIL 4391 MEETING

Thursday, August 8, 2024

6:30 PM

Parish Center

SUNDAY, August 4, 2024

MASS INTENTIONS FOR August 5—11, 2024

Monday, August 5, 7:30 AM
+ Irena Daszko by Christina Daszko

Tuesday, August 6: NO MASS

Wednesday, August 7, 7:30 AM
+ Fr. Chapin by Mike & Mary Ann Kiefer

Thursday, August 8, 7:30 AM
+ Marilyn Hillary by Paul & Carol Houmes

Friday, August 9, 7:30 AM
+ Kevin Hillary by Paul & Carol Houmes

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

NOTE: Daily Morning Mass is held at the Parish Center. Holy Day Morning Masses and First Friday Masses are held at the Church.

Saturday, August 10, 5:00 PM
+ Bernadine Buswell by Debbie Ochs

Sunday, August 11
8:00 AM: + Jim McTaggart by Larry & Diane Buswell
9:30 AM : Our Parish Families
4:30 PM: Mass at St. Mary's

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:
19th Sunday Ordinary Time B
John 6:41—51
"I AM the Bread of Life!"

- Have I ever "murmured" about Jesus because of what he said?
- How does the Father draw me to Jesus, his Son?
- Do I faithfully, reverently and regularly eat the Bread of Life that Jesus gives me in the Mass?

Prayer: Lord Jesus Christ, you gave us the Eucharist as the memorial of your suffering and death. May our worship of this Sacrament of your Body and Blood help us to experience the salvation you won for us and the peace of your Kingdom, where you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, God forever and ever. Amen!

Preparing for next Sunday's Petitions:

- That in the Eucharist, the Bread from Heaven, Christ may be set before all people,
- That Jesus, sent from the Father, may draw all people back to the Father,
- That all bitterness, fury, shouting, reviling and malice may be removed from the Church,
- That the Food that God sets before us may lead us to be imitators of God as his beloved children,
- That all who hunger for the bread of sustenance and for the Bread of Life may be filled,
- That all of our parishioners who come to God in prayer, may listen to the Father and by coming to Christ, learn from him,
- That having eaten the Bread from Heaven, those who have died may live forever in Christ,

Let us pray to the Lord.

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ITALY PILGRIMAGE



HOSTED BY:
Fr. Mike Powell

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11 DAYS: APRIL 28 - MAY 8, 2025

VISITING:
Venice ♦ Florence ♦ Assisi ♦ Rome
Including
The Opportunity to Pass Through The Holy Doors of the Basilica of St. Peter in Vatican City & the Other Three Major Basilicas

TOUR FEATURES:

- Roundtrip air from /Chicago
- \$530 government taxes & airline surcharges
- First class/select hotels based on 2 persons sharing in twin bedded rooms with private bath
- Most Meals
- Services of a professional English-speaking tour director
- Comprehensive sightseeing

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Holy Year Pilgrimage Update!

On Monday, September 9th, at 6:30 p.m. in the St. Edmund Parish Center, we will have an information evening for the upcoming trip to Italy for the Holy Year 2025. We will take a virtual tour of the cities we will be visiting and it will be a great opportunity for any questions or concerns regarding this event. All are welcome, come enjoy the presentation, whatever your plans may be.

Looking forward to seeing ya' all!

Fr. Mike

From St. Edmund's RE Office....

If you have a child who will be either 4 or 5 years old by September 1st, 2024 and would like to enroll them in our Pre-K RE Class, please call our Religious Education Office to request a Registration Packet. Families (with children) new to St. Edmund's can also call to request a registration packet. Thank you.

Registration Packets will be mailed out on August 21st. Fees are \$40/child, with a cap of \$100/family. Registration papers and fees are DUE by September 5th. Please read through ALL the paperwork carefully. *Our first class will be Wednesday, September 18th, 2024, running from 4:00—5:00 p.m.* We look forward to seeing all the children!

ST. EDMUND CCW DIRECTORY

Colette will be compiling our CCW Directory soon, so if any of you ladies have had a change of phone number, please contact her at the Rectory, as soon as possible, and let her know. If you are not sure if we have your current phone number, just give Colette a call to check. Thank you!

"Our concern for others expands our hearts and directs our love outside of ourselves."

Fr. Eamon Tobin
A Simple Explanation of the Mass