

ST. EDMUND CHURCH

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WATSEKA IL 60970

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MASSSES:

M-W-TH-F

7:30 AM

SATURDAY

5:00 PM

SUNDAY

7:30 AM & 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

Some Reminders From our RE Office

- Registration papers and fees are due before the first class on Wednesday, September 15.
- Our RE staff Mass and meeting will be on Wednesday, September 8th, at 5:00 p.m. at the Parish Center.
- Classes will start on Wednesday, September 15th, at 4:00 p.m.

VOLUNTARY SPECIAL COLLECTION

To support the USCCB Bishops Emergency Disaster Fund
to Provide Aid to Haiti
SEPTEMBER 11/12, 2021

Please put your donations in an envelope marked *Aid to Haiti* before placing in the collection basket. *Checks are made payable to St. Edmund's, or St. Joseph's, if you are a parishioner there.*

ST. EDMUND'S RE PROGRAM COLLECTION

This Weekend ~ September 4/5, 2021

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

Daniel Bell, father of Wade (Laura) Bell

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

2021 CMAA REPORT

	ST. EDMUND	ST. JOSEPH
PARISH GOAL:	\$ 11,100	\$ 3,000
AMOUNT PLEDGED:	\$11,614	\$3,400
AMOUNT PAID:	\$11,559	\$3,205
BALANCE DUE:	\$55	\$195
# DONORS:	32	13
2021 REBATE:	\$321	\$144

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
- All those battling COVID-19

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

MASS INTENTIONS FOR September 6—12, 2021

Monday, September 6, 7:30 AM

Peter Daszko by Christina Daszko

Tuesday, September 7: NO MASS

Wednesday, September 8, 7:30 AM

In Thanksgiving of Natividad Demol by Chuck & Marie Garfield

Thursday, September 9, 7:30 AM

Justin Graf by Penny Hardesty

Friday, September 10, 7:30 AM

Gregoria Belagantol by Our Parish Family

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

Saturday, September 11, 5:00 PM

David Stepp Anniversary Remembrance by the LaMotte Family

Sunday, September 12

7:30 AM: Richard Cailteux by Parents, Myron & Linda Cailteux

9:00 AM: Parish Families of St. Edmund's & St. Joseph's

10:30 AM: Robert Curry by Knights of Columbus Council 4391

St. Edmund's Weekly Target for Operation:	\$ 3,200.00
Sunday Offering, Aug. 28/29:	\$ 2,077.00
Online Giving:	\$ 85.00
DEFICIT For the Week:	(\$ 1,038.00)
St. Joseph's Sunday Offering, August 29:	\$ 375.00

LAY MINISTERS for September 11/12, 2021

SATURDAY, September 11, 5:00 PM

Lector: John Gooding

Ushers: Don & Rosann Miller

Cleaner: Don Miller

SUNDAY, September 12, 7:30 AM

Lector: Jeanette Reifel

Ushers: Carol Houmes

Cleaner: Paul Houmes

SUNDAY, September 12, 10:30 AM

Lector: Nancy Cowan

Usher: Kendra Martin

Money Counters: John Tonner & Bill Janssen

**ST. EDMUND CCW MEETING
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2021**

6:00 p.m. @ Parish Center

Instead of our Salad Supper, we will have a **BINGO & Dessert** meeting. Drinks and dessert will be served. Don't forget to bring your wrapped prize for BINGO.

ALL ATTENDEES ARE REQUIRED TO WEAR A MASK.

Preparing to hear next Sunday's Gospel:

24th Sunday Ordinary Time

Mark 8:27—35

"You are the Christ!"

- Do I acknowledge Jesus as the "Christ," the Anointed one of God?
- Am I willing to join Jesus in his sacrifices for all people?
- Like Peter, do I sometimes try to tell Jesus what he should do?

Prayer: Enlighten my mind, Jesus, to recognize who you truly are and embolden my heart to follow you through death to life. Strengthen my will to join my life with yours. Amen!

EUCHRE PARTY

Our next Euchre Party will be on **Thursday, September 9th** from 1-3 p.m. at the 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.

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The next meeting of the Knights of Columbus will be on **Thursday, September 9th**, at 6:30 p.m. in the Church Basement.

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PLEASE NOTE: Our Knights will be holding their *Tootsie Roll STREET SALES (uptown)* on **Saturday, September 18th**. The sales here and at St. Joseph's will be later in October.

SERVANTS OF THE HOLY HEART OF MARY

2021 UPCOMING PRESENTATIONS

With a Father's Heart: St. Joseph as Multiple Models for Modern Men (Men's 1 Day Retreat): Pope Francis has invited us to observe a "Year of St. Joseph" during 2021. **Please join Fr. Vern Arseneau and Dcn. Mark Duffey on Saturday, September 18, 2021 from 9:00 a.m.—3:00 p.m. at One Heart, One Soul Spirituality Center in Kankakee** to explore St. Joseph: the Father, the Husband, the Worker, and the Saint—what the Church knows about St. Joseph and how we, as men, can apply those lessons in our own daily lives. Lunch will be served.

ONLINE PRESENTATION:

*Discovering God in the Evolving Universe:
Faith and the New Cosmology*

What is the new cosmology, the study of the universe? How does it inform our life of faith? By presentations, personal reflection and prayer, **Presenter, Sr. Linda Hatton** will help us explore the developments in scientific thought and discoveries that have changed our concepts of created matter and what these developments reveal about the nature of the Creator God, Jesus Christ, and the Divine energy of the Holy Spirit. **This online presentation will be held on Wednesday, September 29, 2021, from 6:30—8:00 p.m.**

To register please visit our website:

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