St. Felix, Wabasha St. Agnes, Kellogg

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15TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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St. Felix Cemetery St. Agnes Cemetery John Wolfe (651) 564-1386 Bill Hager (952) 412-2103

RECONCILIATION

Saturday3:45 pmSt. FelixSunday7:30 amSt. AgnesFather is also available for individual confessions by
appointment.

INFANT BAPTISM

Please call the Parish Office to arrange your child's baptism as soon as possible. A baptism preparation is provided for first-time parents.

MATRIMONY

Recently engaged? Please contact the Pastor to begin preparing for this holy union. Preparation is required for all marriages at least six months before your wedding.

RCIA

Everyone is invited to follow Christ in the Catholic Church. Please call the Parish Office to ask about becoming Catholic.

MINISTRY TO THE SICK

If you or a family member are sick, hospitalized or homebound and wish to receive Holy Communion, contact the parish office. Those who are seriously ill or anticipating surgery should make arrangements to receive the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick as soon as possible.

MASSES & INTENTIONS

Tuesday, July 15 Wednesday, July 16 Thursday, July17 Friday, July 18 Saturday, July 19 Sunday, July 20 8:00 amSt. Felix8:00 amSt. Agnes8:30 amSt. Felix8:00 amSt. Felix4:30 pmSt. Felix8:00 amSt. Agnes9:30 amSt. Felix

- † Jan Fuller
 - † Josephine Ciraulo
 - Arnold Albrecht
 Fr. Danald Lease
 - **†** Fr. Donald Lovas
 - **†** William and Muriel Leisen
 - † Ervin and Catherine Marking *Pro Populo*





JULY 13, 2025

Ryan Saltness	St. Felix Catholic School
Šeminarian	Eric Sonnek, Principal
 Hello everyone. My name is Ryan Saltness. I'm the seminarian here with St. Felix and St. Agnes for the summer. I'm grateful for Fr. Loomis, the staff, and this parish community for the ways you have made me feel welcome. It has already been incredibly lifegiving to be home in southern MN. I'm eager to meet you and excited for all the learning opportunities as this is my first parish assignment as a seminarian. I grew up in the Rochester Catholic Schools system attending St. Francis of Assisi School and Lourdes High School. I had a lot of energy as a kid. To quote one of my grade-school teachers when she found out I joined the seminary, "Ryan, you've come a long way!" Most of my time was spent outside with friends or playing sports. I played hockey and baseball through high school. I'm also grateful to not be far from my family this summer: Rick and Jacque (parents) and Rachel and Renee (sisters). This Sunday's Gospel continues from last weekend in the 10th chapter of Luke's Gospel (Luke 10:25-37). We are encountering a parable that is perhaps familiar to many of us: the Parable of the Good Samaritan. Everything Jesus says and does presents his followers with a "teaching moment." Last weekend, Jesus' followers learned more about what following Him looks like: going out with a sense of urgency to share the Good News. In this Gospel we learn of another characteristic: a keen attentiveness to those in need. We know this can perhaps take many forms. As Christians we live with a preferential option for the poor, making it our responsibility to share our resources with those in need. We also know a spiritual and moral poverty when we see it. The overtones of healing in this parable are also striking, "he approached the victim, poured oil and wine over his wounds and bandaged them." How might Jesus be a source of healing for others through me? Jesus, increase our attentiveness to those in need. Free us from poverty in all forms. 	 St. Felix Catholic School has been a cherished part of our parish and the Wabasha community for generations. Rooted in our Catholic faith, St. Felix offers a nurturing and Christ-centered environment where students grow spiritually, academically, and socially. We are proud to provide a strong academic foundation alongside daily prayer, weekly Mass, and a commitment to service. Our dedicated staff works closely with families to support each child's unique gifts, helping them become kind, confident, and faith-filled leaders of tomorrow. With small class sizes, a supportive school community, and an emphasis on Gospel values, St. Felix is more than a school—it's a family. Now is a great time to consider enrolling your child at St. Felix! Whether you're new to the school or returning, we warmly welcome all families to discover the difference a Catholic education can make. Financial aid and scholarships are available, and we are happy to meet with you to answer questions or give a tour. We invite all parishioners to keep our students, staff, and families in your prayers. For more information about enrollment, don't hesitate to get in touch with the school office or visit our website. Together, we continue to build a strong future, rooted in faith and guided by love.
This year, Fr. Patrick Arens is celebrating 25 years of ministry in the priesthood. All are invited to join in a special Mass of Thanksgiving	

special Mass of Thanksgiving that he will offer at St. Agnes on **Sunday, July 27th** at 10:00 AM and brunch that will follow in the hall. Please join in this celebration, giving thanks to God for his vocation which began and was nurtured in the Kellogg and Wabasha faith communities.

Liturgical	Roles	- St.	Felix	
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Saturday, July 19, 2025- 4:30 pm

Ushers **EMHCs** Reader Sacristan Servers Mike Schumacher Dar Theismann Rosemary Schmidt Carol Schmit Cora Helms Gene Marx Lane Gosse Deb Danckwart **Offertory:** Pat Kolb and Cameille Goihl Sunday, July 20, 2025- 9:30 am Ushers Servers **EMHCs** Reader Sacristan Steve Gosse Jessalyn Adams Bill Allaire Mary Lu Harney Volunteer Ed Wirtz Emma Flak Sandra Allaire **Offertory:** Tom and Sharon Stiner Liturgical Roles- St. Agnes Sunday, July 20, 2025 - 8:00 am **EMHCs** Ushers Servers Reader Dave Lee Maria Sholing Wanda Lee Tom Crowley Frank Lee Deb Peters Sacristan Mary Schwalbe

The 2025 Fall Festival is on **Sunday, September 14! FALL INTO CA\$H tickets are now available!** \$100 per ticket for a chance to win \$10,000, \$1,000, \$500 and \$100. Remember that each ticket will be eligible for every drawing and only 300 are sold! If you are interested in donating your time or to purchase tickets contact Fall Festival Committee members or the parish office.

We are looking for volunteers for the following areas below. Please reach out to any of the Fall Festival Committee members if you have any questions or would like to help out.

Specialty Auction: Get items for the Auction, set up the stage, set the items all put together on a spreadsheet, get donations, etc. It would be great to do as a group since it is such a big part of the event.

Children's Games/Bounce House: Run the games and bounce house. Setting a couple of people up for shifts to run the games and bounce house. Figure out games and other activities for kids to do.

Tootsie Roll Surprise: get prizes, set up the booth, set up people to work at the booth. 9am-until out.

Walking Tacos: Set up and run the table- setting up someone to run the table all day or shifts. 9am-4pm. Meat, Cheese,

lettuce, Salsa, sour cream provided through the school. Need to get and prepare onions and tomatoes

Big \$ Tickets/Tuition: setting up someone to run the table all day or shifts. 9am-3pm?

Stihl Raffle: Run the table- setting up someone to run the table all day or shifts. 9am-3pm? Items for the raffle will be purchased and provided through the Fall Festival committee.

iPad/Yeti Cooler: Run the table- setting up someone to run the table all day or shifts. 9am-3pm? Items for the raffle will be purchased and provided through the Fall Festival committee.

Gaming system/TV Raffle: Run the table- setting up someone to run the table all day or shifts. 9am-3pm? Items for the raffle will be purchased and provided through the Fall Festival committee.

Alumni Tent: Set up and run the table- setting up someone to run the table all day or shifts. 9am-3pm? Items for the table will be provided from the school.

Donation Solicitation: Asking for donations to help with the Fall Festival (day of and prior to the festival). This can be money donations, specialty auction items, silent auction items, or tootsie roll booth items.

Church Bucket Chairs Saturday: Set up people to run the church buckets for fall festival donations and ticket returns for dates: August 30th, September 6th, and September 13th.

Church bucket chairs Sunday: Set up people to run the church buckets for fall festival donations and ticket returns for dates: August 31st, September 7th, and September 14th.

We are excited to hear from you!

Kari Roemer (651-564-0294)	Lisa Brommer (715-210-8906)
Stacy Sass (402-740-3422)	Martha Wunderlich (507-696-4347)
Kylee Stumpf (715-307-0528)	

Nikia Stiner (507-951-8217) Anna Hawkins (651-895-6998)

	Meetings & Events Calendar ~ July 13th thru July 26th					
Sunday 13	Monday 14	Tuesday 15	Wednesday 16	Thursday 17	Friday 18	Saturday 19
Mission Cooperative Divine Mercy Chaplet and Vespers 4:00 PM St. Felix				Adoration 9:15 AM-7:00 PM St. Felix Social Concerns Meeting 3:30 PM Holy Family Room		St. Agnes Church Cleaning 8:30 AM
Sunday 20	Monday 21	Tuesday 22	Wednesday 23	Thursday 24	Friday 25	Saturday 26
Divine Mercy Chaplet and Vespers 4:00 PM St. Felix	St. Agnes 125th Planning Meeting 6:30 PM St. Agnes Hall St. Joe's Meeting 7:00 PM VFW			Adoration 9:15 AM-7:00 PM St. Felix		

Calling All Helping Hands-St. Agnes Church Cleanup Crew Needed!



Join us at St. Agnes Church on Saturday, July 19th at 8:30 AM as we give our beloved Church a

little extra care and attention. Whether you can stay for the morning or just drop in for a bit, your help will make a big difference! Many hands make light work-and lighter spirits too!



Every donor counts as we fund Catholic ministries, education and evangelism in Southern MN. Please prayerfully consider what is feasible for your family - \$30, \$300, \$3,000 or \$30,000 - every gift matters to help us reach our parish goal. To give online, visit <u>www.catholicfsmn.org</u>.

	Amount Received	
	Goal	As of 6/27/2025
St. Agnes	\$8,134	\$5,500.00
St. Felix	\$30,553	\$15,766.00

St. Agnes 125th Planning Meeting



Please join us for a planning meeting on Monday, **July 21st** at **6:30 PM** at the hall to help

us prepare a memorable celebration. Your ideas and energy are warmly welcomed and we'd love to have you there.



<u>Diocesan Synod</u>

In August, Sandra Allaire and Ron Zeilinger will be meeting in Mankato for the diocesan Synod. They will be representing our Catholic community. Fr. Loomis will also plan on attending the Synod. Bishop Barron has tasked

the Diocese to come together and talk about these two questions: 1.What practical steps can be taken (at home, in the parish, in the diocese) to spread the Good News of Jesus? 2. What steps can we take (at home, in the parish, in the diocese) to encourage young men to consider a call to the priesthood? As you can see this falls in line with Bishop Barron's call to evangelize and to pray for vocations to the Priesthood. Please feel free to reach out to Sandra (651) 565-2578 or Ron (414) 379-7601 and share any feedback you have to the two questions stated above. Thank you!



We are currently seeking additional help for our **God's Kids After School Care program** on Mondays and Wednesdays from 2:30–6:00 PM. If you or someone you know is

interested in working with children in a caring and supportive environment, please reach out!

Additionally, we are looking to hire a **full-time assistant for our 3 and 4 year-old program**, starting in January. This is a wonderful opportunity to help build a strong foundation for our youngest learners.

For more information or to apply, please contact Eric Sonnek at <u>esonnek@stfelixschool.org</u>.

American Red Cross Blood Drive Wabasha Kellogg Community St. Agnes Parish Hall

Friday, August 1, 2025



11:00 AM to 5:00 PM. Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org to schedule an appointment.



St. Felix Scrip Program Scrip gift cards are available for purchase at the Parish Office during normal business hours.

Thank you to our local supporters of the program.



St Junipero Serra was the Franciscan missionary who founded the missions in California. The county wide Serra Club celebrated the anniversary of his canonization at its July 1



meeting. Bill Allaire and Betty Fischer, as founding members are pictured here with Father Tom. If you are interested in its works for the vocations, contact Pat Kolb (<u>patkolb24@yahoo.com</u>) or visit serrasus.org.





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