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25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 21, 2025

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St. Felix Cemetery	John Wolfe (651) 564-1386
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RECONCILIATION

Saturday	3:45 pm	St. Felix
Sunday	7:30 am	St. Agnes

Father 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, September 23	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Tammy Loretz
Wednesday, September 24	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† Romaine and Joyce Miller
Thursday, September 25	8:30 am	St. Felix	† Deceased Members of Rod Kolb's Family
Friday, September 26	8:00 am	St. Felix	† J. Pete Hager
Saturday, September 27	4:30 pm	St. Felix	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Sunday, September 28	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† Ervin and Catherine Marking
	9:30 am	St. Felix	† Dale Patraw

Bulletin Deadline: Submissions for the bulletin are due by **10:00 am on Wednesday**. All items may be edited.

Fr. Tom Loomis
Pastor

The Fall Festival for St. Felix turned out to be a wonderful experience for me and many others. The number of people who helped put the day together volunteered the day of and all that came to celebrate with us was lifegiving and joy filled. Thank you to the Fall Festival committee that beautifully organized an amazing day for all of us, including the wider community. Seeing so many volunteers was a great sign of community and church connections. Thank you to one and all for a great day where Jesus was obviously present as we shared our faith with one another.

Larry Stenzel will give an update this weekend at St. Felix concerning where we are at as we look forward to the future needs for St. Felix School and Church. Thank you to Larry for letting us know that we are being guided by the Holy Spirit as our journey continues.

Please put on your calendars the St. Agnes dinner on Sunday, November 2. When I arrived last year, this was the first experience I had with the wider Kellogg area. I was welcomed in a wonderful way. Looking forward to November 2 once again.

As we gather to celebrate the Eucharist on this Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time we will hear from the Gospel of Luke 16:1-13. We hear about the dishonest steward. The meaning of this Gospel has been debated for many centuries. Jesus is not condoning the steward dishonesty but is instead pointing out the steward's ability to be resourceful and full of energy about his survival. The end of the Gospel sums it up well when Jesus invites us to put as much energy into our faith journey with Jesus as we do with looking to acquire money and material things. What does Jesus offer us? Eternal Life! That's where our time and energy should go.

St. Felix Catholic School
Eric Sonnek, Principal

Wow—what a great weekend! We had a blast at our **Fall Festival** and were thrilled by the wonderful turnout and community support. I asked the kids what their favorite part of the festival was, and here's what they said:

Brock R. – Winning a giant lion at the Tootsie booth

Davis G. – The fire hose

Finley C. – The water fight

Wyatt L. – Winning a candy bar

Landon R. – Winning prizes

Isabella M. – Making bracelets

Owen W. – Trying to win prizes at the Tootsie Roll booth

Millie R. – Bouncy houses

Aiden S. – Being there with friends

Kat A. – Tootsie Roll booth

Emma F. – The water fight

Mia R. – Water fight and hanging out with friends

Kate M. – Making memories

Norah S. – Tootsie Rolls

Thank you to everyone who made this year's Fall Festival such a success!

Virtue of the week- Obedience

Meaning- Assenting to rightful authority without hesitation or resistance

Opposing Trait- Resisting the directives of rightful authority

Ways to Cultivate- Listen to rightful authority; follow directions; give a prompt response

Prayer- *Dear Jesus, You are God, and yet You were obedient to Mary and Joseph. Help me to do all that my parents and teachers ask of me—promptly, joyfully, and completely. This virtue pleases You more than all other sacrifices!*

Liturgical Roles - St. Felix

Saturday, September 27, 2025- 4:30 pm

<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Servers</u>	<u>EMHCs</u>	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Sacristan</u>
Andy Danckwart John Klees	Sarah Munns Kate Munns	Carol Schmit Deb Danckwart	Volunteer	Carol Schmit

Offertory:

Chris and Kathy Munns Family

Sunday, September 28, 2025- 9:30 am

<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Servers</u>	<u>EMHCs</u>	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Sacristan</u>
John Passe Trevor Wingert	Cody Sanderson Norah Sanderson	Dennis Hetrick Heidi Flint	Mary Lu Harney	Diane Vetter

Offertory:

James and Katherine Hust Family

Liturgical Roles- St. Agnes

Sunday, September 28, 2025 - 8:00 am

<u>Ushers</u>	<u>Servers</u>	<u>EMHCs</u>	<u>Reader</u>
Tony Lamey John Miller	Alex Wingert	Rick Vaplon Linda Vaplon	Jeff Fosmo
		<u>Sacristan</u>	
		Mary Schwalbe	

Mercy Sundays: Sent Forth in Eucharistic Service.

On Sunday, **September 28th**, Catholic Charities of Southern Minnesota will be hosting a morning of teaching and dialogue exploring the connection between the Christ present in the Eucharist and Christ present in the poor. The presentation takes place at **St. Felix** at **10:30 am** (after the 9:30am Mass) in the main body of the Church, followed by food and fellowship.

We will have the opportunity to learn:

- 1) What going to Mass has to do with serving people in need.
- 2) Why Christian charity is different from government social services or secular philanthropy.
- 3) What are practical ways we can serve people in need here in Southeastern Minnesota.

Our presenter will be Isaac Landsteiner, Director of Parish Social Ministry with Catholic Charities of Southern Minnesota.

We thank an anonymous donor who has donated the seat cushions for all our small side pews and for some of our long pews in the center of the church. A number of people have commented how much easier it is to sit and stand because of the cushions!

Thank You

SAVE THE DATE!

The St. Agnes Church Dinner will be held on Sunday, November 2nd.

Immaculate Conception

Church of rural Kellogg will hold their **annual fall festival** on **Sunday, October 5**. Serving chicken and ham dinner from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

(dine-in or take-out). Other activities include: Big Ticket Raffle, Bake Sale, Basket Raffle, 50/50 Cash Raffle, Garden Produce, and Grocery Cart Raffle. Handicap Accessible. Mass at 8:30 a.m.



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Do you have a new email address, telephone number or mailing address? If so please contact the Parish Office so we can update our records. Thank you!



Meetings & Events Calendar ~ September 21st thru October 4th

Sunday 21	Monday 22	Tuesday 23	Wednesday 24	Thursday 25	Friday 26	Saturday 27
Youth Mass 9:30 AM St. Felix Divine Mercy Chaplet and Vespers 4:00 PM St. Felix		Serra Club Meeting 10:00 AM Holy Family Room	The Chosen Bible Study 7:00 PM Holy Family Room Faith Formation K-6th Grade: 3:15-4:30 PM 7th-10th Grade: 7:00-8:15 PM	Children's Mass 3rd Grade 8:30 AM St. Felix Adoration 9:15 AM-7:00 PM St. Felix		
Sunday 28	Monday 29	Tuesday 30	Wednesday 1	Thursday 2	Friday 3	Saturday 4
Social Justice Presentation After 9:30 AM Mass St. Felix Divine Mercy Chaplet and Vespers 4:00 PM St. Felix Youth Group 6:30-8:30 PM St. Felix Gym		Word and Communion Service 8:00 AM St. Felix	Word and Communion Service 8:00 AM St. Agnes The Chosen Bible Study 7:00 PM Holy Family Room Faith Formation K-6th Grade: 3:15-4:30 PM 7th-10th Grade: 7:00-8:15 PM	No Mass Adoration 9:15 AM-7:00 PM St. Felix	No Mass	Scrip Sold After Mass



Our prayers go out to the family of **Tony Wallerich** who passed away September 15, 2025. His funeral Mass was Friday, September 19th at St. Felix Church.



With
Deepest
Sympathy...

Our prayers go out to the family of **Jerry Kohn** who passed away September 13, 2025. His funeral Mass was Wednesday, September 17th at St. Felix Church.

We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you for your incredible support to make this year's Fall Festival another amazing success for our school and parish. We truly appreciate the assistance of everyone who so generously volunteered their resources, time, spirit, and talents in preparation for this event to create a successful day. It is because of community members like you that our school continues to thrive. There were a lot of big winners on Sunday, but the biggest winners are the children of our school who will continue to benefit from the Catholic education that is at the core of St. Felix.

Thank you so much for your continued support in making this possible!

2025 Fall Festival Committee

Kari Roemer
 Lisa Brommer
 Nikia Stiner
 Stacy Sass
 Martha Wunderlich
 Anna Hawkins
 Kylee Stumpf





The Chosen Bible Study

Please join on any Wednesday evening at 7:00 pm to watch an episode of The Chosen. We are in Season 5. This season continues from Palm Sunday until Jesus is arrested. The focus is on The Last Supper. We watch a 50-minute episode followed by scripture and discussion questions about the gospel story that was presented. You can drop in any time or attend all sessions. They are held in the Holy Family Room on Wednesday from September 17th to November 5th. For more information contact: Nancy Hust at 651-764-1218



2025
Catholic Ministries Appeal

	Amount Received	
	Goal	As of 9/5/2025
St. Agnes	\$8,134	\$5,525.00
St. Felix	\$30,553	\$20,316.00

Faith Formation

For our first Youth Group event of the fall, we will be hosting a **St. Carlo Acutis Party on Sunday, September 28th in the St. Felix Gym.** This party will honor one of the Church's newest saints with food and games, including video games on the gym's projection screen, concluding with a period of adoration in the church. All students in grades 7-12 are invited to attend; the party will run from **6:30-8:30 p.m.**

In addition, thank you to all of the families and students who were willing to help out with the **Youth Mass** this weekend. The next one is scheduled for the **9:30 a.m. Mass at St. Felix on Sunday, October 12th.**

Wabasha-Kellogg High School is sponsoring another **Blood Drive** at the St. Agnes Hall in Kellogg, MN



American Red Cross

on **October 8, 2025** from 12:00-6:00 PM This blood drive not only saves lives, but also raises money for scholarships at WK. The American Red Cross donated \$500 to the school scholarship fund for every 50 pints donated.



Volunteers are needed to help with the school lunch program. The shift would typically be from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm but we would be happy to work with your schedule. Please contact the school office if you are available to help!

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