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26TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 28, 2025

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CEMETERY BOARD

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

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 30	8:00 am	St. Felix	Word and Communion Service
Wednesday, October 1	8:00 am	St. Agnes	Word and Communion Service
Thursday, October 2	8:30 am	St. Felix	No Mass
Friday, October 3	8:00 am	St. Felix	No Mass
Saturday, October 4	4:30 pm	St. Felix	† Donelda Langseth
Sunday, October 5	8:00 am	St. Agnes	<i>Pro Populo</i>
	9:30 am	St. Felix	† William and Muriel Leisen

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

Fr. Tom Loomis
Pastor

I'll be gone this week from Monday afternoon until Friday evening. The priests of the diocese will be meeting in Okoboji for our annual meeting and convocation. We will gather together with Bishop Barron and discuss many topics. There will be small group discussions, prayer, Mass and meals together. I look forward to getting together with my brother priests every year. I always come back energized because we do get along well and do enjoy one another's presence. We are very blessed in this diocese with the attitude and holiness of our priests.

Thank you to Larry Stenzel for speaking at both Masses in St. Felix last week. I appreciated the parish being updated on our progress so far as we look forward to keeping the St. Felix Church and community in good shape. The youth Mass is always a joy and I'm glad everyone could hear the progress that is being made.

Our Gospel reading for our celebration of the Eucharist is from Luke 16:19-31. It is a story about a rich man and the poor man Lazarus. All we seem to know about Lazarus is he was willing to eat scraps from the rich man's table. Another thing that we hear today in our Gospel is that the rich man is not named. There is a reason behind him not being named - he could be any one of us. The rich man did nothing to reach out to Lazarus, that's where the sin took place. It is a powerful reminder for all of us this week to see with the eyes of faith and to act with a love for others and to see the human beings we meet this week and not look through or beyond them.

St. Felix Catholic School
Eric Sonnek, Principal

**THANK
YOU!**

The St. Felix School community extends our heartfelt gratitude to all parishioners and supporters who helped make our Fall Festival a wonderful success. Your generous gifts of time, talent, and treasure created a joyful day for families and friends, and your commitment to our school helps our students grow in faith and learning.

Thank you for being an important part of our mission and for the blessings you bring to St. Felix School!

Virtue- Responsibility

Meaning- Fulfilling one's just duties; accepting the consequences of one's words and actions, intentional and unintentional



Opposing Traits- Failing to accept responsibility for one's words and/or actions; being unreliable

Ways to Cultivate- Be accountable for one's personal actions and decisions at home, at school, and in personal relationships



Prayer:

Dear Jesus, please help me to be faithful in all the duties You have entrusted to me this day, fulfilling each with great care and love!

Liturgical Roles - St. Felix

Saturday, October 4, 2025- 4:30 pm

Ushers

Mike Wobbe
Larry Stenzel

Servers

Matthew Busch
Alex Busch

EMHCs

Linda Binner
Bob Vaplon

Reader

Dar Theismann

Sacristan

Pat Kolb

Offertory:

Pat Kolb and Cameille Goihl

Sunday, October 5, 2025- 9:30 am

Ushers

Buck Gosse
Steve Gosse

Servers

Ethan Munns
Sarah Munns

EMHCs

Bill Allaire
Sandra Allaire

Reader

Mary Lu Harney

Sacristan

Diane Vetter

Offertory:

Chris and Kathy Munns Family

Hospitality Host: Serra Club

Liturgical Roles- St. Agnes

Sunday, October 5, 2025 - 8:00 am

Ushers

Dave Lee
Frank Lee

Servers

Maria Sholing

EMHCs

Kathy Tentis
Deb Peters

Reader

John Miller

Sacristan

Mary Schwalbe

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 at Deacon John and Nancy's home at 612 14th Street, Wabasha on Wednesday from September 17th to November 5th. For more information contact: Nancy Hust at 651-764-1218

St. Felix/St Agnes Book Study



St. Felix /St Agnes book club will be studying the book: "The Cross and the Beatitudes by Venerable Bishop Fulton Sheen. The first meeting will be on Tuesday, October 7th from 3:30-4:45PM, with social time following in the Holy Family Room. We will meet for 7 weeks, covering a Chapter a week. Please let Nancy Hust at 651-764-1218 know if you are interested. The book can be picked up in the Parish Office at the cost of \$10.00.

This classic work from the pen of Venerable Bishop Fulton J. Sheen brings together Christ's Sermon on the Mount with His Seven Last Words. Our Lord's public ministry and statements centered on the themes of love and forgiveness, which are explored here with Sheen's characteristic insight and passion. The Cross and the Beatitudes show how the first and last statements of Jesus' public life are intimately related. The contents plead for a return to the foundational teachings of Jesus that alone can sustain our spirits and lead us to a Christian way of life.

Baby Bottle Campaign Provides Help and Creates Hope

Help Catholic Charities provide assistance to new and expectant parents through the Mild and Child Assistance Fund by using your envelope on **Respect Life Sunday, October 5th**. Donations go directly to assisting women across Southern Minnesota who are choosing life for their babies. Catholic Charities provides more than 200 women with financial assistance each year. Every gift makes a difference!



SAVE THE DATE!

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

Meetings & Events Calendar ~ September 28th thru October 11th

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 
Sunday 5	Monday 6	Tuesday 7	Wednesday 8	Thursday 9	Friday 10	Saturday 11
Hospitality Sunday after 9:30 AM Mass at St. Felix Holy Family Room Scrip sold after 9:30 AM Mass Divine Mercy Chaplet and Vespers 4:00 PM St. Felix		Knights' of Columbus Meeting 6:30 PM St. Felix School St. Felix/St. Agnes Book Study and Social 3:30-4:45 PM 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 2nd Grade 8:30 AM St. Felix Adoration 9:15 AM-7:00 PM St. Felix		



Priesthood Recognition Sunday September 28th
Please join in celebrating Fr. Tom in gratitude with prayers and good wishes. It is a day to honor Fr.

Tom without whom Mass could not be offered and the Sacraments could not be celebrated. Please make a special effort to thank Father for serving your faith community. May the Holy Spirit guard and guide him as he spends his life sharing our Catholic faith.

Priesthood Sunday is sponsored by local members of the Serra Club of Wabasha County. To learn more of its mission to encourage vocations and support priests and religious, contact Pat Kolb 651-274-6702 or Dorothy Arendt 507-254- 8840. Thank you for praying for vocations.



Elder Network is looking for people who have a little extra time each week to help as a volunteer by doing visiting, or as companion staff who help with transportation, light housekeeping, meal prep, sharing puzzles or games, etc. We

would love to talk to you!! Call Bonnie Sandberg: 651-564-0351 or email your interest or questions to: bonnies@elder-network.org.

A heartfelt thank you to the ladies who helped with serving for the **Shirley Wills** funeral:



Alice Passe, Connie Vaplon, Carol Suilmann, Mary Jacoby, and Vonnie Cleeton.

And to those who served at the **Marietta Kohn** funeral:

Rosanne Wodele, Lisa Klees, Jolene Binner, and Vonnie Cleeton.

Also, a special thank you to **Willard** for all of his help.

— *Darlene Theismann, Chairman of the St. Theresa Unit*



The October edition of *The Word Among Us* is now available at the back of the church. Please feel free to take a copy home to enrich your daily prayer and reflection throughout the month.

August 2025	St. Agnes	St. Felix
Contributed Last Month	\$6,309.86	\$22,311.86
Monthly Offering Needed	\$7,996.92	\$34,620.92
Overage (Shortfall)	\$(1,687.06)	\$(12,309.06)
Contributed Fiscal YTD	\$11,668.85	\$52,665.67
Budgeted fiscal YTD	\$15,993.83	\$69,241.83
YTD overage (Shortfall)	\$(4,324.98)	\$(16,576.16)
Budgeted for the year	\$95,963.00	\$415,451.00



2025 Catholic Ministries Appeal

	<u>Amount Received</u>	
	<u>Goal</u>	<u>As of 9/19/2025</u>
St. Agnes	\$8,134	\$5,525.00
St. Felix	\$30,553	\$21,216.00

Faith Formation

Our **St. Carlo Acutis Party** is **TONIGHT**, beginning at **6:30 p.m. in the St. Felix Gym**. Once again, 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—we hope to see you there!

Next, sign-ups are open for our next Youth Masses on October 12th (9:30 p.m.), November 8th (4:30 p.m.), and December 13th (4:30 p.m.). If your child is interested in serving as a lector, usher, or gift-bearer for one of these Masses, please contact Patrick directly at faith@felixagnes.org. A sign-up sheet will also be passed around at Faith Formation classes.

Have a great week!



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.

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



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