

# St. Felix, Wabasha

# St. Agnes, Kellogg

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## 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 12, 2018

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### CEMETERY BOARD

St. Felix Cemetery      Ed Ostrom (651) 565-3271  
St. Agnes Cemetery      Bill Hager (507) 767-2299

### RECONCILIATION

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

Contact one of our priests directly if an appointment or a general (comprehensive, lifetime) confession is desired.

### INFANT BAPTISM

Call the parish office to make arrangements to have your child baptized as soon as possible! A Baptism preparation class is given to first-time parents.

### MATRIMONY

Recently engaged? Contact the Pastor before setting up any arrangements to begin preparing for this holy union! Preparation is required for all marriages and must begin at least six months beforehand.

### RCIA

Everyone is invited to the fullness of communion with Christ in the Catholic Church! Call the parish office to inquire 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, Aug 14	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Sam Kohn
Tuesday, Aug 14	6:00 pm	St. Agnes	† Jim Graner
Wednesday, Aug 15	5:30 pm	St. Felix	† Fr. Milo Ernster
Wednesday, Aug 15	7:00 pm	St. Felix (Latin)	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Thursday, Aug 16	8:00 am	St. Felix	† John Mortinson
Friday, Aug 17	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Sylvester & Cecilia Wingert
Saturday, Aug 18	9:00 am	St. Felix (Latin)	† Betty Schmidt
	4:30 pm	St. Felix	† Raymond Kolb
Sunday, Aug 19	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† Gene & David Schurhammer
	9:30 am	St. Felix	<i>Pro Populo</i>

**Bulletin Deadline:** Submissions for the bulletin are due by 3:00 pm on Tuesdays. All items may be edited.

## The Notes

### Assumption Masses

The Church celebrates our Blessed Mother Mary's heavenly birthday with great joy each year—recognizing her singular beauty and grace. Mass times for the holy day are:

Tues, Aug 14	6:00 pm	St. Agnes
Wed, Aug 15	5:30 pm	St. Felix
Wed, Aug 15	7:00 pm	St. Felix, Latin

### Eucharistic Holy Hour

Our parishes know firsthand of the need for more priests, deacons, and religious brothers and sisters. We can help with this shortage by attending a Eucharistic Holy Hour. We invite everyone to come on **Tuesday, August 14**, to St. Patrick's Church in West Albany. Come for the Assumption Vigil Mass at 7:00 pm, and stay for the holy hour!

Deacon David Dose will lead us in prayers, exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, a vocations Rosary, and Benediction. We pray for God's grace and blessings for our religious and priests now serving our parishes. And we pray for our parish families from whom will come our future sisters, brothers, deacons and priests. Sponsored by the Serra Club of Wabasha County. For more info on Serra, visit [www.serraus.org](http://www.serraus.org)



## Faith Formation

Margaret Ogram, Faith Formation Coordinator

### Catechists Needed

We are in need of catechists for both 5th and 6th grades. Please prayerfully consider if you are being called to this ministry. Please contact me with any questions at 651-565-3718 or [faith@felixagnes.org](mailto:faith@felixagnes.org).

### The Memorare

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my mother. To thee do I come; before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful.

O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy, hear and answer me.

Amen.

## St. Felix Catholic School

Eric Sonnek, Principal

As I am starting to prepare for the beginning of the school year, I want to share this little prayer:

Lord, please bless all our teachers, friends and relatives as they make their way back to their classrooms for another year. Help them to feel excitement and joy in the promise of a new start. Give them everything they need to start their classes. Give them all they need all year. Give them imagination and creativity to make wonders out of what they do have. Help them stretch their budgets and their supplies. Give them wisdom all year. Help them quickly spot the little souls who are going to need something extra from them this year. Help them have just the right words of encouragement for each student. Give them lots of love. Help the love in their hearts overflow so they always have plenty to spare.



We can't conjure it up Lord, but you give in abundance... please supply all the love teachers need. Please supply them energy, too, Lord. Please let them sleep well at night so they are rested and refreshed each morning. Don't let them take their problems and worries to bed with them at night. Give them patience with students, with parents, and with their administration. Again, Lord, it's you who supply in abundance.

Please keep the students and teachers safe this year. Keep them safe from accidents or evil intent. Let the students be excited about this wonderful world and all there is to learn about it. Help them to be interested in each other, for there's a wealth to learn about and from each other, and this is true for teachers and parents, as well. Give the parents willing hearts, both to help in the classroom if they can, and to be involved in their children's homework and in their stories as the year goes on.

Let this be a truly wonderful year for everyone involved in education. Let everyone feel, at the end of the year, that they learned all they could and gave the best they had. Amen.

### Mission to Kenya

Deacon John and Nancy Hust

Nancy and I will be on Mission to Kenya from August 19 until September 5. We ask for your prayers for a safe and fruitful mission. We also seek help in getting rosaries to give to the people we meet. They are extremely grateful for the rosaries. You can leave rosaries in the Holy Family room marked for Kenya. Thank you for your prayers and support.



## Liturgical Roles - St. Felix

**Saturday, August 18, 2018 4:30 pm**

**Ushers**

Mike Schumacher  
Larry Stenzel  
Mike Wobbe  
*Volunteer*

**Servers**

Ella Lineweaver  
Emma Passe  
Jakeb Passe

**EMHCs**

Tom Bouquet  
Carol Bouquet  
Carol Schmit

**Reader**

Mary Lu Harney

**Sacristan**

Judie Fogarty

**Offertory**

Kirk & Ann Lineweaver Family

**Sunday, August 19, 2018 9:30 am**

**Ushers**

Andy Danckwart  
Norm Tentis  
Rose Currie  
Jim O'Brien

**Servers**

Parker Springer  
Carter Sandwick  
Christopher Cushman

**EMHCs**

Deborah Danckwart  
Paul Irlbeck  
Bill Allaire  
Sandra Allaire

**Reader**

Dennis Hetrick

**Sacristan**

Ruth Klein

**Offertory**

Chad & Allison Springer Family

## Liturgical Roles - St. Agnes

**Sunday, August 19, 2018 8:00 am**

**Ushers**

Gerald McGrath  
Butch Sullivan

**Servers**

Adam Graner  
Sophie Graner  
Jacqueline Avilez

**EMHCs**

Tom Crowley  
Margo Deming  
Lori Glomski

**Reader**

Jeff Tentis

**Offertory**

Greg & Wendy Arens Family

Please pick up your dishes from the **Salad Luncheon**. They are in the Holy Family Room.

Blessings to **Oliver Michael** and **Isabel Grace**, son and daughter of Michael and Katie Streveler, who received the Sacrament of Baptism on Saturday, August 4, at St. Felix.



### Foresters Golf Outing

The National Catholic Society of Foresters, St. Mary Court #208, will be hosting their annual Golf Outing at Lark Toys in Kellogg on Monday, August 20 at 4pm. Please RSVP to Lucille Schurhammer at 507-767-4928. Bring a guest!



May God bestow His abundant blessings upon **John Klees** and **Lisa Schuth-Stuhr**, who were united in the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony on Saturday, August 4, at St. Felix.

Please pick up your **St. Felix Fall Festival raffle tickets** in the back of church after Saturday and Sunday Masses. Each registered family has an envelope of tickets to sell.

### Mark Your Calendars!



The 2018 Church Dinner and Raffle at St. Agnes in Kellogg will be **Sunday, October 28**.



Everyone is invited to join in praying the **Divine Mercy Chaplet** the first and third Sunday of each month at 3 pm at St. Felix Church. Our next two dates are August 19 and Sept 2. Prayer guides and rosaries are provided. Come experience God's grace in this powerful prayer.

### ESTATE PLANNING



In your estate planning, please remember your parish in your last will and testament. Several faithful parishioners, as good stewards, have blessed us over the years with such a gift. You can choose to donate a specific dollar amount or a certain percentage of your estate.

For St. Felix, our legal name is **St. Felix Church of Wabasha, Minnesota**.

For St. Agnes, our legal name is **The Church of St. Agnes of Kellogg, Minnesota**.

If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Parrott.

## Meetings & Events Calendar ~ Aug 12 – Aug 25

Sunday 12	Monday 13	Tuesday 14	Wednesday 15	Thursday 16	Friday 17	Saturday 18
	<b>Light of Christ Prayer Group</b> 6:30 pm <u>School</u>		<b>Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b>  Holy Day of Obligation	<b>Men's Prayer Group</b> 10:30 am <u>Parish Office</u>  		
Sunday 19	Monday 20	Tuesday 21	Wednesday 22	Thursday 23	Friday 24	Saturday 25
<b>Divine Mercy Chaplet</b> 3:00 pm <u>St. Felix Church</u>  	<b>Light of Christ Prayer Group</b> 6:30 pm <u>School</u>			<b>Men's Prayer Group</b> 10:30 am <u>Parish Office</u>		

### Take and Eat: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sometimes we feel like Elijah in today's First Reading. We want to lie down and die, keenly aware of our failures—that we seem to be getting no better at doing what God wants of us.

We can be tempted to despair, as the prophet was on his forty-day journey in the desert. We can be tempted to “murmur” against God, as the Israelites did during their forty years in the desert (see [Exodus 16:2, 7, 8](#); [1 Corinthians 10:10](#)).

The Gospel today uses the same word, “murmur,” to describe the crowds, who reenact Israel's hardheartedness in the desert.

Jesus tells them that prophecies are being fulfilled in Him, that they are being taught by God. But they can't believe it. They can only see His flesh, that He is the “son” of Joseph and Mary.

Yet if we believe, if we seek Him in our distress, He



will deliver us from our fears, as we sing in today's Psalm.

At the altar in every Eucharist, the angel of the Lord, the Lord himself (see [Exodus 3:1–2](#)), touches us. He commands us to take and eat His Flesh given for the life of the world (see [Matthew 26:26](#)).

This taste of the heavenly gift (see [Hebrews 6:4–5](#)) comes to us with a renewed command—to get up and continue on the journey we began in Baptism, to the mountain of God, the kingdom of heaven. He will give us the

bread of life, the strength and grace we need—as He fed our spiritual ancestors in the wilderness and Elijah in the desert.

So let us stop grieving the Spirit of God, as Paul says in today's Epistle, in another reference to Israel in the desert (see [Isaiah 63:10](#)).

Let us say to God as Elijah did, “Take my life.” Not in the sense of wanting to die. But in giving ourselves as a sacrificial offering—loving Him as He has loved us, on the cross and in the Eucharist.



"Freely you have received, freely give." Matthew 10:8

Church Support as of August 5, 2018	St. Agnes	St. Felix
Contributed last week	\$ 1,184.00	\$ 4,423.36
Contributed fiscal YTD	\$ 7,183.21	\$ 35,138.56
Budgeted fiscal YTD	\$ 10,225.58	\$ 54,277.15
Budgeted for the year	\$ 106,346.00	\$ 470,402.00
Missionary Co-op	\$ 589.85	\$ 1,486.01

2018 Catholic Ministries Appeal  
Renew Faith. Extend Mercy. Inspire Hope.

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<b>St. Agnes</b> \$8,624 Donors: 26 \$8,100	<b>St. Felix</b> \$33,605 Donors: 85 \$29,832
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**Sunday, September 16**

**FALL INTO CASH** tickets can be purchased from a committee member or the parish office. Each \$100 ticket could win \$10,000, \$1,000, \$500 or \$100. Also, we are looking for a chairperson for **line servers** and **attic treasures**. Please contact a committee member to volunteer! Here are some fun ideas for the **Specialty Auction** to get your creative juices flowing:

**HOMEMADE:** Any homemade jams, jellies, salsa, pies, cookies, meals are a huge hit!

**ACTIVITIES:** Fishing excursions, kayaking tours, tubing on the river, camping trips, 4-wheeling adventures

**MEALS:** Homemade meal/evening events can be a great time for socializing and enjoying wonderful food.

**HANDCRAFTED ITEMS:** furniture, clothing, decorations, flower arrangements, quilts, soaps, carvings

**SERVICE:** babysitting, yard raking, snow shoveling, garden clean-up, dog-sitting, car detailing, boat detailing, plumbing, electrical, cement pouring, hair styling and goodies

**EVENTS:** Do you have tickets to an event you are not using or do you have access to exciting events to share? **ANTIQUES** or high quality household items you no longer are in need of...add them to the Specialty Auction. For more information on ideas or delivery, please contact:

Lineweavers: [ann@lineweaverfamily.com](mailto:ann@lineweaverfamily.com) or 507-951-4972

Durands: [emily.c.durand@gmail.com](mailto:emily.c.durand@gmail.com) or 651-262-8736

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