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St. Agnes, Kellogg

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16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

JULY 19, 2020

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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 Father 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, July 21	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Cynthia Walters
Wednesday, July 22	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† Bart, Dorothy and John McDonough
Thursday, July 23	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Lyle Earney
Friday, July 24	8:00 am	St. Felix	Joe and Kathy Laska
Saturday, July 25	4:30 pm	St. Felix	† Donald, Frances, and Harold Dick
Sunday, July 26	8:00 am	St. Agnes	<i>Pro Populo</i>
	9:30 am	St. Felix	† Dale Patraw

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

Father Frerichs Weekly Column

Bulletin columns can easily overemphasize the business side of parish life. A spiritual leader, I've learned that spiritual stories and quotes, humor, and lightheartedness can also be invaluable. The text below is something that a friend shared with me a while back. Enjoy....

10 THINGS GOD WON'T ASK

1. God won't ask what kind of car you drove,
He'll ask how many people you drove who didn't have transportation.
2. God won't ask the square footage of your house,
He'll ask how many people you welcomed into your home.
3. God won't ask about the clothes you had in your closet,
He'll ask how many you helped to clothe.
4. God won't ask what your highest salary was,
He'll ask if you compromised your character to get it.
5. God won't ask what your job title was,
He'll ask if you performed your job to the best of your ability.
6. God won't ask how many friends you had,
He'll ask how many people you were a friend to.
7. God won't ask in what neighborhood you lived,
He'll ask how you treated your neighbors.
8. God won't ask about the color of your skin,
He'll ask about the content of your character.
9. God won't ask why it took so long to seek salvation,
He'll lovingly take you to your mansion in heaven, and not to the gates of hell.
10. God won't ask how many people you forwarded this to,
He already knows whether or not you are ashamed to share this with your friends.

Blessings on our week!
Fr. Glenn Frerichs

The Notes



May eternal rest and perpetual light shine upon **Raymond Eversman** who passed away on Friday, July 3. His funeral was on Wednesday, July 15, at St. Felix.

*Through the mercy of God,
may he rest in peace.*

St. Felix Catholic School Eric Sonnek, Principal



With the excitement of the new school year coming, we are in the process of moving some classrooms around. We are looking for some helpers to help move books from our library to a new room upstairs. If you are willing and able to help move books, please reach out to Eric Sonnek at 651-587-7467 or esonnek@stfelixschool.org to schedule a time to help.

Mrs. Carlson, our music teacher, is looking for some supplies to be donated for music class this year. She is looking for gallon ice cream buckets with lids and beanie babies. She would need 50 of each item.



Faith Formation Nancy Hust, Interim Coordinator

First Holy Communion: Twelve students will receive Jesus in the Eucharist on Sunday, July 26, 1:00 pm at St. Felix Church.

Please continue to pray for these students as they prepare to receive the Sacrament of First Holy Communion.

Isabelle Bergmann	Ozman Kamm
Matias Burnett	McCoy Kruger
Garrett Dahl	Sarah Munns
London Dahl	Cody Sanderson
Lillian Gosse	James Sonnek
Cora Helms	Ava Wingert

Confirmation: Both ceremonies radiated the outpouring of the Holy Spirit. Thanks to Fr. Frerichs, Deacon John, servers, musicians, and lectors who made the liturgies beautiful and memorable. We want to thank those who helped prepare and encourage these young people to grow in their faith over the years as members of St. Felix- St Agnes Catholic Churches: parents, family, priests, St. Felix School teachers, catechists, and prayer partners. Keep them in your prayers as they move into becoming an adult Catholic. Check out the pictures on the website: www.wabashkellopparishes.org

Liturgical Roles - St. Felix

Saturday, July 25, 2020 4:30 pm

Ushers

Ed Ostrom
Mike Schumacher

Servers

Lukas Busch
Matthew Busch

EMHCs

Reader

Carol Bouquet

Sacristan

Carol Schmit

Offertory

Sunday, July 26, 2020 9:30 am

Ushers

Greg Hetrick
Andy Danckwart

Servers

Alex LaRocque
Ella Lineweaver
Tommy Lineweaver

EMHCs

Reader

Becky Hetrick

Sacristan

Ruth Klein

Offertory

Liturgical Roles - St. Agnes

Sunday, July 26, 2020 8:00 am

Ushers

John Miller
Tony Lamey

Servers

EMHCs

Reader

Scott Schwalbe

Offertory



**Christ's Love Compels Us:
Discerning how to share
God's goodness**

The retreat is from **July 31-Aug 2 at IHM Seminary in Winona, or September 11-13 at Shalom Hill Farm outside of Windom.** Prayer, silence, conferences and collaboration, confession, Mass, adoration. We evangelists need to come together for spiritual refreshment and support each other.

Susan Windley-Daoust be co-leading each retreat, with Father Jeff Dobbs in Winona and Father Jonathan Fasnacht in Windom. More information contact Sharon Schouweiler at (507) 534-3321 ext. 13.

MARK YOUR CALANDER FOR THE



September 20, 2020 marks St. Felix Catholic School's 67th Annual Fall Festival! Through these uncertain times we will continue to plan our event. Whether we are able to meet in person or host our event virtually, mark your calendar for a great day.

Fall Into Cash Tickets



Fall Into Cash tickets are available for purchase from the Committee members. These tickets are \$100 per ticket for a chance to win \$10,000, \$1,000, \$500, and \$100. Each ticket is eligible for every drawing and only 275 are sold. If your tickets gets drawn for any of the prizes, it goes back in for a chance to win the **GRAND PRIZE of \$10,000!** Thank you for purchasing your Fall Into Cash Ticket.

Jackie Lingl (507-251-9801)
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Shelley Wingert (507-251-3602)



Catholic Charities offers free adoption information meetings to help you learn about the process to begin building your family. We have adoption social workers in Winona, Rochester, Mankato and Worthington who offer home studies for international and domestic infant adoption. Please email adoption@ccsommn.org or call 507-287-2047 to schedule an information meeting.

Meetings & Events Calendar ~ July 19 - August 1

Sunday 19	Monday 20	Tuesday 21	Wednesday 22	Thursday 23	Friday 24	Saturday 25
	Light of Christ Prayer Group 6:30 pm <u>St. Felix School</u>	Serra Club Board Meeting 2:00 pm <u>St. Felix Parish Office</u> 				
Sunday 26	Monday 27	Tuesday 28	Wednesday 29	Thursday 30	Friday 31	Saturday 1
First Holy Communion 1:00 pm <u>St. Felix Church</u> (Family Only)	Light of Christ Prayer Group 6:30 pm <u>St. Felix School</u>					

Of Wheat and Weeds: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

God is always teaching His people, we hear in today's First Reading.

And what does He want us to know? That He has care for all of us, that though He is a God of justice, even those who defy and disbelieve Him may hope for His mercy if they turn to Him in repentance.

This divine teaching continues in the three parables that Jesus tells in the Gospel today. Each describes the emergence of the kingdom of God from the seeds sown by His works and preaching. The kingdom's growth is hidden—like the working of yeast in bread; it's improbable, unexpected—as in the way the tall mustard tree grows from the smallest of seeds.

Again this week's readings sound a note of questioning: Why does God permit the evil to grow alongside the good? Why does He permit some to reject the Word of His kingdom?

Because, as we sing in today's Psalm, God is slow to anger and abounding in kindness. He is just, Jesus assures us—evildoers and those who cause others to sin will be thrown into the fiery furnace at the end of the age. But by His patience, God is teaching us—that above all He desires repentance, and the gathering of

all nations to worship Him and to glorify His name.

Even though we don't know how to pray as we ought, the Spirit will intercede for us, Paul promises in today's Epistle. But first we must turn and call upon Him, we must commit ourselves to letting the good seed of His Word bear fruit in our lives.

So we should not be deceived or lose heart when we see weeds among the wheat, truth and holiness mixed with error, injustice and sin.

For now, He makes His sun rise on the good and the bad (see Matthew 5:45). But the harvest draws near. Let's work that we might be numbered among the righteous children—who will shine like the sun in the kingdom of the Father.



It goes well for the man who deals generously and lends, who conducts his affairs with justice. He will never be moved; forever shall the just be remembered. ~ Psalm 112

July 12, 2020	St. Agnes	St. Felix
Contributed last week	\$ 983.00	\$ 2,982.00
Unr. Income fiscal YTD	\$ 5,088.00	\$ 11,388.00
Budgeted fiscal YTD	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Budgeted for the year	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00



WHAT IS SERRA?

Greetings from the Serra Club of Wabasha County! We are a Catholic organization named after our patron St. Junipero Serra, a zealous missionary who in the 1700's converted thousands to the Catholic faith on the West Coast of the United States.

We are dedicated to encouraging, promoting, and affirming vocations to the priesthood and religious life, supporting our priests in their sacred ministry, and growing in our own spiritual life. The Serrans of Wabasha County are proud of the personal relationships we have developed with the seminarians, our participation in Mass and Adoration, and our interaction socially and spiritually with the clergy.

We would welcome members from the parishes of St. Agnes, Immaculate Conception, St. Felix, St. Patrick's, St. Joachim's, and St. Mary's to join us in prayer and support for religious life. Contact Dorothy Arendt (507)254-8840, John Hampe (651)565-2350 or Sandra Allaire (651) 565-2578 to obtain information on becoming a part of this lay ministry.

There is no better time to be an active and vocal support of our seminarians, clergy and religious. We look forward to hearing from you.

MEALS FOR THE TAKING

St. Felix Parish and School have put some freezer meals together for families of our Wabasha - Kellogg community. Meals are ready for pick up, just contact the parish office at (651) 565-3931.

St. Felix Church Entry

The front entry into St. Felix Church will be undergoing a little construction sometime next week. Some cracks will be repaired and repainted. If you see that it is being worked on, please use the side door into the church. Thank you.

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