

# St. Felix, Wabasha

# St. Agnes, Kellogg

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## 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

AUGUST 23, 2020

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### 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, August 25	8:00 am	St. Felix	† George Hansen
Wednesday, August 26	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† Juliann Klassen
Thursday, August 27	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Greta Nihart
Friday, August 28	8:00 am	St. Felix	<b>No Mass</b>
Saturday, August 29	4:30 pm	St. Felix	† Deceased Members of Marx Family
Sunday, August 30	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† Caleb and Eleanor Tentis
	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.

## Father Frerichs Weekly Column

This is an important weekend for the life of the universal Church and that of the Diocese of Winona-Rochester. How so?

Saturday, August 22, is the Feast of the Queenship of Mary. Her queenship refers to both heaven and earth and is derived from her unique role in human history and salvation through Christ, her Son. Pope Pius IX spoke well of her role when he said:

“Turning her maternal Heart toward us and dealing with the affair of our salvation, she is concerned with the whole human race. Constituted by the Lord Queen of Heaven and earth, and exalted above all choirs of Angels and the ranks of Saints in Heaven, standing at the right hand of Her only-begotten Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, she petitions most powerfully with Her maternal prayers, and she obtains what she seeks.”

Mary, Queen of heaven and earth, pray for us.

Today, August 23rd, is also the day that Scott Schwalbe, along with 10 other men, will be ordained to the permanent diaconate. The ordination will be celebrated by Bishop Quinn at the Basilica of St. Stanislaus Kostka at 1:00 pm. Unfortunately, the recent Covid-19 outbreak originally resulted in a postponing of the ordination and now restricts the number of attendees. We pray for Scott and all of the candidates who will be receiving this sacrament in service to the life and ministry of the Church this afternoon. We continue to keep Scott and all of those to be ordained in our prayers in the times to come.

Sincerely in Christ,  
Fr. Glenn Frerichs

## The Notes

## St. Felix Catholic School Eric Sonnek, Principal

As we are three weeks away from the new school year, I wanted to share a little prayer I found for the beginning of the year.

### Prayer for a New School Year

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 loads of love. Help the love in their hearts just 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 supplies 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 certainly 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.

We are excited to announce that we hired a new Food Service Director for our hot lunch program. We would like to welcome Christine Flak to our St. Felix Community.

## Notes continued

### ONLINE GIVING

We are pleased to announce that St. Felix now provides online giving through software called ParishSOFT Giving. This is a convenient, safe, secure and confidential way to make a one-time or recurring donation. Getting started is easy—just visit the online giving website at: <https://giving.parishsoft.com/app/giving/stfelixwabasha>. When you participate, your gift will transfer directly into the parish bank account. Please contact the parish office if you have any questions.



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Deacon Candidates:

*Kevin Aaker*  
*Scott Berkley*  
*Frank Cesario*  
*Randy Horlocker*  
*William Keiper*  
*Steven Landsteiner*  
*John LaValla*  
*Robert Miller*  
*Scott Schwalbe*  
*Terrence Smith*  
*Michael Zaccariello*

### ORDINATION OF A DEACON

The Most Reverend John M. Quinn  
Bishop of Winona-Rochester  
invites you to participate  
via livestream in

the Ordination to the Sacred Order of Deacon  
on  
Sunday, August 23, 2020  
2:00 pm

at the Basilica of St. Stanislaus Kostka  
in Winona, Minnesota

For access to the livestream, please visit one of the following:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/DiocesefWinona>  
<https://www.facebook.com/DioceseWinonaRochester/>

## Liturgical Roles - St. Felix

**Saturday, August 29, 2020 4:30 pm**

**Ushers**

Ed Ostrom  
Dave Pfeilsticker

**Servers**

**EMHCs**

**Reader**

Lisa Klees

**Sacristan**

**Offertory**

**Sunday, August 30, 2020 9:30 am**

**Ushers**

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Steve Gosse

**Servers**

Ella Lineweaver  
Tommy Lineweaver

**EMHCs**

**Reader**

Paul Irlbeck

**Sacristan**

**Offertory**

## Liturgical Roles - St. Agnes

**Sunday, August 30, 2020 8:00 am**

**Ushers**

Frank Lee  
Dave Lee

**Servers**

**EMHCs**

**Reader**

Rick Vaplon

**Offertory**

The \$100 Cash Raffle Tickets are still for sale! Grand prize is \$10,000! Stop in at the school or parish office, or contact a committee member to purchase one.

We are looking forward to this year's Fall Festival auction and are thrilled to offer many of the beloved Specialty Auction items from festivals past... **and** perhaps inspire you to get creative and join us. Please consider a gift of time and talent. Several ideas that could be done in spite of current health precautions include:

- Prepared frozen meals, canned goodies, fresh produce, eggs weekly
- U Pick apples or pumpkins at a family farm or garden
- Cornstalk or hay bale seasonal fall decoration
- Custom cake or baked goods
- Car detailing
- Seasonal yard help (brush trimming, weeding, mowing, raking...)
- Donated family pass for golf or skiing
- Dog walking or pet sitting

Theme basket: kids' item, quilt


These and any other ideas are welcomed! There is no item too big or too small! Items like this tend to be very popular and we would like to increase gifts from our parish and school families during a year when many local businesses have been hard hit. Thanks for your donations. Please contact Emily Durand with your planned donation or any questions. [emily.c.durand@gmail.com](mailto:emily.c.durand@gmail.com) or cell:651-262-8736. All donations need to be turned in by September 6. The online auction will start on September 20 at 4:00 pm and run through September 27. There will be opportunity to bid online or via a paper document. The auction website will be <https://www.32auctions.com/stfelixschool>. Please contact a committee member with any questions regarding the 2020 Fall Festival. Here is a contact email for the Fall Festival committee: [fallfestival@stfelixschool.org](mailto:fallfestival@stfelixschool.org)



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Kirsten Schuth (651-564-7002)

## Meetings & Events Calendar ~ August 23 - September 5

Sunday 23	Monday 24	Tuesday 25	Wednesday 26	Thursday 27	Friday 28	Saturday 29
	<b>Light of Christ Prayer Group</b> 6:30 pm <u>Holy Family Room</u>					
Sunday 30	Monday 31	Tuesday 1	Wednesday 2	Thursday 3	Friday 4	Saturday 5
	<b>Light of Christ Prayer Group</b> 6:30 pm <u>Holy Family Room</u>	<b>Knights of Columbus Meeting</b> 7:00 pm <u>Holy Family Room</u> 				

### ‘Oh, the Depths!’: Scott Hahn Reflects on the Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

“Oh, the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God!” Paul exclaims in today’s Epistle. Today’s Psalm, too, takes up the triumphant note of joy and thanksgiving. Why? Because in the Gospel, the heavenly Father reveals the mystery of His kingdom to Peter.

With Peter, we rejoice that Jesus is the anointed Son promised to David, the one prophesied to build God’s temple and reign over an everlasting kingdom (see 2 Samuel 7).

What Jesus calls “my Church” is the kingdom promised to David’s son (see Isaiah 9:1–7). As we hear in today’s First Reading, Isaiah foretold that the keys to David’s kingdom would be given to a new master, who would rule as father to God’s people.

Jesus, the root and offspring of David, alone holds the kingdom’s keys (see Revelation 1:18; 3:7; 22:16). In giving those keys to Peter, Jesus fulfills that prophecy, establishing Peter—and all who succeed him—as holy father of His Church.

His Church, too, is the new house of God—the spiritual temple founded on the “rock” of Peter, and built up out of the living stones of individual believers (see 1 Peter 2:5).

Abraham was called “the rock” from which the children of Israel were hewn (see Isaiah 51:1–2). And Peter becomes the rock from which God raises up new children of God (see Matthew 3:9).

The word Jesus uses—“church” (ekklesia in Greek)—was used in the Greek translation of the Old Testament for the “assembly” of God’s children after the Exodus (see Deuteronomy 18:16; 31:30).

His Church is the “assembly of the firstborn” (see Hebrews 12:23; Exodus 4:23–24), established by Jesus’ exodus (see Luke 9:31). Like the Israelites, we are baptized in water, led by the Rock, and fed with spiritual food (see 1 Corinthians 10:1–5).

Gathered at His altar, in the presence of angels, we sing His praise and give thanks to His holy name.





*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*

August 16, 2020	St. Agnes	St. Felix
Contributed last week	\$ 1,592.13	\$ 3,817.05
Unr. Income fiscal YTD	\$ 10,871.13	\$ 35,724.69
Budgeted fiscal YTD	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Budgeted for the year	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00



### Rosary

Please join the Knights of Columbus in saying a Rosary before Mass on Saturday, August 29, a little after 4:00 pm and Sunday, August 30, a little after 9:00 am.



### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Mark your calendars: The planning has started for the St. Agnes Fall Festival that will be held Sunday, October 25, 2020. Due to COVID -19 concerns and restrictions this will not include our turkey dinner. Please watch for further updates!

### RUMMAGE and PRODUCE SALE



St. Patrick's Catholic Church  
30934 Hwy. 60, West Albany, MN

Date: August 21, 22, and 23

Time: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Masks are required  
Practice Social Distancing

**NO FOOD OR BEVERAGES WILL BE AVAILABLE**



### Holy Trinity Parish in Rollingstone, MN

Holy Trinity Parish is holding a MODIFIED church festival at Holy Trinity Community Center on Sunday, September 13, with Mass at 10:00, and then curb side pick up Chicken Dinner from 11:00 am - 2:00 pm for \$10. Big Ticket and veggie wagon also available.


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