

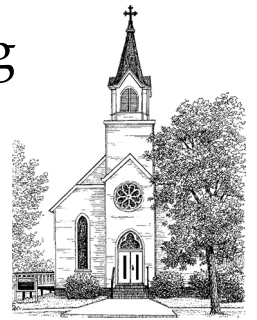
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St. Agnes, Kellogg

THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

JANUARY 12, 2025

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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, January 14	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Scott Sherlock
Wednesday, January 15	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† William and Mildred Schmidt
Thursday, January 16	8:30 am	St. Felix	† Special Intention
Friday, January 17	8:00 am	St. Felix	† For the Souls in Purgatory
Saturday, January 18	4:30 pm	St. Felix	† Joanne Wegner (Foresters Mass)
Sunday, January 19	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† <i>Pro Populo</i>
	9:30 am	St. Felix	† Archie and Kay Wolfe, Juliann Klassen

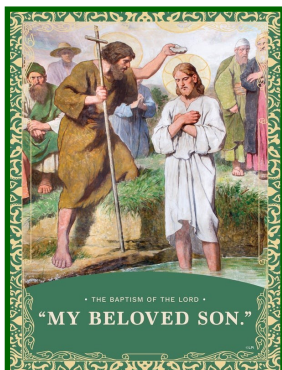
Bulletin Deadline: Submissions for the bulletin are due by **10:00 am on Wednesday**. All items may be edited.

Father Tom Loomis
Pastor

Our celebration of the Epiphany and the Baptism of the Lord helps bring to a close our Christmas journey. I am aware that as I celebrate Christmas every year that my perspective changes year by year. As my journey continues, it seems that my relationship with Jesus becomes more important every year. I celebrate Christmas much differently than I did when I was 20, 30, 40. etc. I also realize that as chaotic as the world is today that it was just as chaotic at the time of the birth of Jesus. There was good and evil. Light and darkness. Hope and hopelessness. The beauty of our faith is that we don't have to "buy into" the parts that lead to death, instead we can bet our lives on the person of Jesus who has entered our world physically, spiritually and emotionally. Jesus has entered into the entirety of our lives and for that we have a knowledge of who we are and why our lives are so worthwhile and meaningful. May your 2025 be full of meaning and hope.

This weekend we celebrate the Baptism of the Lord. We hear from the third chapter of the Gospel of Luke. As Jesus is being baptized we hear the voice of God, "You are my beloved Son. On you my favor rests." I invite us to reflect this week on the fact that we are beloved sons and daughters of God. What does that mean for your everyday life? How might being a beloved daughter or son allow us to accept the love of God and Jesus being poured upon every moment of every day.

Peace,
Fr. Tom



St. Felix Catholic School
Eric Sonnek, Principal

Thank you so much to all those who supported our staff and students during this Christmas Season. Your support means the world to us. We truly appreciate your kindness and commitment to our community.

Catholic Schools Week (CSW) is an annual celebration of Catholic education in the United States that takes place during the last week of January. Schools typically celebrate CSW with events like Masses and open houses to highlight the value of Catholic education and its contributions to the community, church, and nation. Take a look at our week ahead.

Sunday, January 26th St. Felix Family Potluck and Football

Come to the St. Felix Gym to watch the NFL Conference Championship Game (time TBD). We ask that you please bring a dish to share with our St. Felix community. Please visit the link to sign-up for this fun new event. <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080B44AAAE23A1FA7-54265957-stfelix>

Monday, January 27th Celebrating our Faculty and Staff

- Out of Uniform - Pajama Day
- Students bring in a note of gratitude to a teacher or staff member
- Special surprise for our staff
- All School D.E.A.R time

Tuesday, January 28th Celebrating our Commitment to Service

- Out of Uniform – Dress as your favorite Book/TV/Movie character (School Appropriate Attire)
- Teacher Swap Activities
- Community Art Projects

Wednesday, January 29th Celebrating our Community

- Out of Uniform - Career Day
- Thank you breakfast for our local supporters and volunteers
- Students will decorate the front entrance of school with gratitude notes for our supporters

Thursday, January 30th Celebrating our Faith

- Out of Uniform - Dress your Best or Uniform
- Please join us for 8:30 Mass
- Students will tour the Church and have a Q & A with Father Tom

Friday, January 31st Celebrating our Students – Friday Fun Day

- Out of Uniform - Spirit Wear
- Students will choose one of three field trip options – Skiing, Ice Fishing or Bowling

Saturday, February 1st Celebrating our Parishes

- 4:30 pm Mass – We welcome all families to join us for Mass
- Chicken Alfredo Dinner catered by Bennett's at 5:30 pm in the gym
- Classes will have a performance after dinner

Liturgical Roles - St. Felix

Saturday, January 18, 2025- 4:30 pm

Ushers

Mike Wobbe
Larry Stenzel

Servers

Kate Munns
Ethan Munns

EMHCs

Dar Theismann
Carol Schmit

Reader

Katherine Hust

Sacristan

Carol Schmit

Offertory:

Chris and Kathy Munns Family

Sunday, January 19, 2025- 9:30 am

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Steve Gosse

Servers

Lizzy Passe
Sam Passe

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Bill Allaire
Sandra Allaire

Reader

Becky Hetrick

Sacristan

Diane Vetter

Offertory:

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Liturgical Roles- St. Agnes

Sunday, January 19, 2025 - 8:00 am

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Tony Lamey
John Miller

Servers

Maria Sholing

EMHCs

Deb Peters
Tom Crowley

Reader

Jeff Tentis

Sacristan

Mary Schwalbe

Would you like to receive your bulletin via email each week? If so, please send your email address to office@felixagnes.org and it will be added to the distribution list.



St. Felix/St. Agnes Book Study Club



St. Felix /St. Agnes Book Club will be studying the book: "Wisdom of the Psalms" by Peter Kreeft. **The first meeting will be on Tuesday, January 28th**

from 3:30-4:30 PM at the Hust home on 612 14th Street in Wabasha. We will meet for 7 weeks in participants' homes. 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 \$5.00. The Psalms are the most popular, most universally loved and used book in the Bible. They are hymns, songs, poems and prayers, both formal (liturgical and communal) and informal (spontaneous, personal, and individual); and this gives them many layers of meaning rather than one. In this work Kreeft shares his personal explorations into the riches of the Psalms, his profound expeditions into this deep ocean of the divinely inspired spiritual water. He focuses on the dozen or so Psalms that are most people's favorites.

make a plan to attend the

MARCH FOR LIFE

Jan. 22 | MN State Capitol | 12-1 pm



St. Felix Scrip Program

Scrip gift cards are available for purchase at the Parish Office during normal business hours.

Thank you to our local supporters of the program.

Meetings & Events Calendar ~ January 12th thru January 25th

Sunday 12	Monday 13	Tuesday 14	Wednesday 15	Thursday 16	Friday 17	Saturday 18
Youth Mass 9:30 AM St. Felix Take down Christmas Decorations at St. Felix 11:00 AM Divine Mercy Chaplet and Vespers 4:00 PM St. Felix	St. Agnes Cemetery Board Meeting 6:30 PM St. Agnes Hall		K-6th Grade Faith Formation 3:15 PM St. Felix School 7th-10th Grade Faith Formation 7:00 PM St. Felix School	Children's Mass 3rd Grade 8:30 AM St. Felix Adoration 9:15 AM--7:00 PM St. Felix Social Concerns' Meeting 3:00 PM Holy Family Rm.		
Sunday 19	Monday 20	Tuesday 21	Wednesday 22	Thursday 23	Friday 24	Saturday 25
Divine Mercy Chaplet and Vespers 4:00 PM St. Felix	St. Joe's Meeting 7:00 PM VFW	Serra Club Meeting 9:00 AM Holy Family Room	K-6th Grade Faith Formation 3:15 PM St. Felix School 7th-10th Grade Faith Formation 7:00 PM St. Felix School	Children's Mass 2nd Grade 8:30 AM St. Felix Adoration 9:15 AM--7:00 PM St. Felix		

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



We invite you to consider volunteering for one (or more) of the following important roles at St. Agnes:

Mass Server: Serving at the altar is a special privilege, and we welcome **youth in 3rd grade and older**, as well as **adults, parent-child pairs** and **families** to participate. This is a wonderful opportunity to serve together and grow in faith.

Reader: As a reader, you become the voice through which Scripture speaks to the hearts of our parish community. This ministry is a beautiful way to participate in the liturgy.

Extra Ordinary Minister of Holy Communion:

Assisting in the distribution of Holy Communion at Mass is one of the most profound ways to serve in the Church. Serving as a Eucharistic Minister is both a privilege and an honor.

If you feel called to serve in any of these vital ministries, please contact Heather at the Parish Office to sign up. Serving at Mass is a grace-filled opportunity to deepen your relationship with Christ and contribute to the life of the Church.

Donate Online

ONLINE CHURCH SUPPORT

We're pleased to announce that St. Felix 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.



Do you have a new email address, telephone number or mailing address?

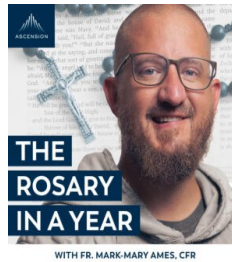
If so please contact the Parish Office so we can update our records. Thank you!

There are several items in the lost and found in the back of St. Felix Church. If you are missing a hat, gloves etc. please check the lost and found.



Faith Formation

Want to learn more about the Rosary?



"I know I should love the Rosary, but I am struggling." Is this you? Do you ever feel disconnected, confused, or stuck praying the Rosary? Or have you been praying the Rosary every day and

wondering if this is as good as it gets?

In Ascension's Rosary in a Year podcast, Fr. Mark-Mary Ames, CFR, guides listeners in a step-by-step journey that will change the way you pray – no matter where you are in your spiritual life.

This podcast can be found on the Ascension App, Apple Podcasts, and Spotify. It is also available on YouTube with words. If you have questions about it you can contact Nancy Hust (651) 746-1219. A number of parishioners have started the podcast on January 1st.



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