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5TH SUNDAY OF LENT APRIL 6, 2025

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RECONCILIATION

3:45 pm Saturday 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, April 8	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Elmer and Cindy Walters
Wednesday, April 9	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† Terry Lee
Thursday, April 10	8:30 am	St. Felix	† Paul Marx Family
Friday, April 11	8:00 am	St. Felix	† Brad Stenzel
Saturday, April 12	4:30 pm	St. Felix	† Simon Mehrkens
Sunday, April 13	8:00 am	St. Agnes	† Gerald and Phylis Hall
-	9:30 am	St. Felix	Pro Populo

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

Father Tom Loomis Pastor

We will soon celebrate Holy Week. The week begins with our celebration of Palm Sunday. We will celebrate the Triduum (three days) on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and the Easter Vigil. I want to invite you to seriously consider attending the Triduum. The three days are one liturgy.

On Holy Thursday we celebrate the institution of the Eucharist and Priesthood and being a servant to God's people. We come together on Good Friday to honor the death of Jesus and the Easter Vigil is preparing us for the Resurrection. After the Holy Thursday Mass there is no final blessing as we pick up our prayer on Good Friday and start right into our prayer. We leave Good Friday without a final blessing because we gather at the Vigil and bring the three days of prayer to a conclusion. The three days are a beautiful way to pray and journey together as the Universal Church. Please consider joining us for all the liturgies. I know you will not be disappointed.

As we gather around the Altar of life this weekend we hear from John 8:1-11. It tells a story of a woman caught in adultery (we don't hear about the man). The law says to stone her to death. Jesus says otherwise. The one who has no sin may cast the first stone. They walked away in silence beginning with the elders - the ones who heard with their hearts what Jesus said. What a powerful story about judgement, forgiveness and a change of heart. We know the story well in our own lives. Many have had an experience of being judged or being the judge. We are all asked to change our hearts as we go and sin no more.

Peace, Fr. Tom



St. Felix Catholic School Eric Sonnek, Principal

Join us for the St. Felix Golf Outing ~ May 10th

The St. Felix Golf Outing is on May 10th, and we want YOU to be part of this exciting event! We're encouraging all alumni to reconnect with their classmates and form a team to participate in this fun-filled day of golf and friendly competition.

This is the perfect opportunity to relive the memories of your time at St. Felix, reconnect with old friends, and create new ones - all while supporting a great cause. Whether you're a seasoned golfer or just looking to enjoy a day on the course, there's something for everyone!



Don't miss out - scan the QR code to the left to sign up to be part of an unforgettable day, spots fill up quickly!

Reach out to your classmates, get your team together, and let's make this event one to remember!

As we continue to live out our mission of being a Catholic, Christ-centered school dedicated to life-long learning where students are encouraged to develop spiritually, academically, socially, and morally, I am excited to share some highlights from this school year. By the end of the year, eight of our students will have been welcomed into the Church through the sacrament of Baptism. Academically, our students continue to excel, showing growth through standardized testing in both the Fall and Winter, and we look forward to seeing how our Spring results will reflect their progress. Additionally, we are partnering with the Wabasha County DAC to create programs that will foster community and support for both students and DAC clients.

Thank you for your continued support, and may God bless.

Liturgical Roles - St. Felix

Saturday, April 12, 2025- 4:30 pm

UshersServersEMHCsReaderSacristanAndy DanckwartMia RoemerLinda BinnerReader-Lisa KleesPat Kolb

John Klees Ava Evers Dar Theismann Narrator-Deacon John Voice-Fr. Loomis

Offertory:

Ben and Halie Meyer Family

Sunday, April 13, 2025- 9:30 am

 Ushers
 Servers
 EMHCs
 Reader
 Sacristan

 Buck Gosse
 Eli Hester
 Heidi Flint
 Reader-Dennis Hetrick
 Diane Vetter

Steve Gosse Sam Passe Eric Sonnek **Narrator-**Deacon John **Voice-**Fr. Loomis

Offertory:

Leland and Julie Leichtnam Family

Liturgical Roles-St. Agnes

Sunday, April 13, 2025 - 8:00 am

<u>Ushers</u> <u>Servers</u> <u>EMHCs</u> <u>Reader</u>

 Tony Lamey
 Maria Sholing
 Rick Vaplon
 Reader-Tom Crowley

 John Miller
 Linda Vaplon
 Narrator-Deacon John Voice-Fr. Loomis

Sacristan Mary Schwalbe



Please join us for the 25th Anniversary of Ordination Celebration for

Reverend Glenn Frerichs

Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated on Friday, May 9, 2025 at 6:00 in the evening

> Sacred Heart Church 111 Fourth Street Northwest Waseca, Minnesota

Dinner to follow at The Mill Event Center 310 Second Avenue Southwest Waseca, Minnesota

Kindly Reply by May 1, 2025 at parishoffice@sacredheartwaseca.org or call parish office 507-835-1222

ANNUAL ST. FELIX GARAGE SALE St. Felix Auditorium

Thursday, May 1 7:30 am-5:00 pm Friday, May 2 7:30 am-5:00 pm Saturday, May 3 8:00 am-11:30 am

DONATIONS ARE GREATLY APPRECIATED! VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Items can be dropped off April 6th, 12th-13th, and 27th from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, April 28th-30th from 1:30-4:00 PM at the St. Felix Auditorium. Use main entrance on 3rd street when dropping items off. Please place items on the stage. **NO LIGHT FIXTURES, TV'S,**

COMPUTERS, OR EXERCISE EQUIPMENT. If you have any questions, or to schedule a drop off outside of scheduled hours, please call or text Carol Marx (651) 564-1295.

Thank you in advance for your support and donations!
All proceeds benefit St. Felix Catholic School

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Local Rep Pete Harold (952) 994-7558; pherold@catholicunited.org

Meetings & Events Calendar ~ April 6th thru April 19th

Sunday 6	Monday 7	Tuesday 8	Wednesday 9	Thursday 10	Friday 11	Saturday 12
Garage Sale Drop Off 10:00 AM-4:00 PM St. Felix Gym Scrip sold after Mass at St. Felix Communal Penance Service 3:30 PM St. Joachim, Plainview Holy Hour and Vespers 6:00 PM St. Felix Youth Group-Lenten Movie Night 6:15-8:45 PM St. Felix Gym	St. Felix Church Cleaning 12:00-3:00 PM	St. Felix Church Cleaning 10:00 AM-1:00 PM	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 6th Grade 8:30 AM St. Felix Adoration 9:15 AM-7:00 PM St. Felix Social Concerns Mtg. 3:30 PM Holy Family Rm. Confessions 5:30-7:00 PM St. Felix	Stations of the Cross 11:00 AM St. Felix Stations of the Cross 5:30 PM St. Felix	Garage Sale Drop Off 10:00 AM-4:00 PM
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Garage Sale Drop Off 10:00 AM-4:00 PM Divine Mercy Chaplet 4:00 PM St. Felix Stations of the Cross 6:00 PM St. Agnes		Confessions 6:00-7:00 PM St. Agnes	No Faith Formation	Holy Thursday No Eucharistic Adoration Mass 7:00 PM St. Felix	Service 12:05 PM St. Felix Service 3:00 PM St. Agnes	Mass 8:30 PM St. Felix



St. Felix Church cleaning will be held on **Monday**, April 7th from 12:00-3:00 PM, Tuesday, April 8th 10:00 AM-1:00 PM and

Wednesday, April 9th from 12:00-3:00 PM. Please come when you can! We kindly ask that

you bring the following items to help with the cleaning: buckets, rags, hand vacuums, brooms, dust pans, and dusters. Cleaning products will be provided. We aim to get as much done inside the Church as possible. Thank you!



May eternal rest and perpetual light shine upon Charles Lidberg, who passed away on **March 25th**. His funeral was held on Tuesday, April Sympathy **1st** at St. Felix.

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

May eternal rest and perpetual light shine upon Mary Lou Schuth, who passed away on March 26th. A graveside service was held on Friday, **April 4th** at St. Felix.



Through the mercy of God, may she rest in peace.



Thank you to everyone who attended the St. Felix Parish and School Facilities Update Meeting last weekend. Your participation and input were greatly appreciated, and will help guide our next steps as we

work to improve our Parish and School.



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.

March 2025	St. Agnes	St. Felix	
Contributed Last Month:	\$8,190.91	\$34,697.39	
Monthly offering Needed:	\$8,029.25	\$32,318.00	
Overage (Shortfall)	\$161.66	\$2,379.39	
Contributed YTD	\$64,477.59	\$273,469.96	
Budgeted fiscal YTD	\$71,797.00	\$289,630.75	
YTD overage (Shortfall)	\$(7,319.41)	\$(16,160.79)	
Budgeted for the year	\$96,351.00	\$387,816.00	





Goal \$8,134 St. Agnes St. Felix \$30,553

As of 3/28/2025 \$1,900.00 \$3,350.00

Amount Received

Mass Intention Availability

There are available dates for Mass intentions from **April to September**. If you would like to schedule a Mass, please contact the Parish Office.

Faith Formation

Now that registration for Camp Summit is closed, I would like to extend my sincere gratitude to all of the parishioners and parish organizations who were kind enough to help sponsor students' trip costs for both Camp Summit and Steubenville-Rochester. In total, thanks to donations from an anonymous donor, Knights of Columbus Council #881, Pat Kolb, the St. Felix Church Ladies, and the St. Agnes Church Ladies. We were able to raise \$4.500. which reduced students' trip costs by more than **50%**. I am extremely grateful to all of these people and groups for their generous support of our parish youth and ask for your continued prayers for them as they prepare for these trips. (Formal thank-you notes will be sent out at a later date.)

In addition, our next Youth Group event, a showing of *The Passion of the Christ (2004)*, will take place Sunday night (April 6th) beginning at 6:15 p.m. in the St. Felix School Gym. All students in grades 7-12 are invited to attend, but students under the age of 17 must have their parents fill out the permission slip located on the parish website. Pizza, popcorn, and snacks will be provided.

Have a good week! Patrick



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