

Alumni Newsletter



Dear St. Felix Catholic School Alumni,

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.

As part of our ongoing connection with alumni, we encourage anyone who knows of alumni not currently on our mailing list to share the QR code below so we can keep them informed.

Thank you for your continued support, and may God bless you all,
Eric Sonnek



Visit to the State Capital

Mr. Sonnek traveled to the state capital to advocate for St. Felix Catholic School and other non-public schools in the state. He met with Representative Pam Altendorf to support reinstating funding in the state's budget that helps non-public schools with purchasing textbooks, providing health services, busing, and offering guidance counseling.

Please pray that our legislators make the right decision to continue supporting non-public schools.



Upcoming Events

April 11

Father Daughter Dance
6:00 PM

April 25

Grandparents Day
Mass 11:00 AM
Followed by Lunch &
Bingo in the Gym

May 2

Mother Son Tailgate Party
6:00 PM

May 10

Golf Outing at Coffee Mill
Golf Course
11:00 AM

May 22

6th Grade Graduation
11:00 AM

Meet Father Tom Loomis

My name is Father Tom Loomis and I have been the pastor of St. Felix and St. Agnes since late October. I was ordained 33 years ago and have been at numerous parishes and schools throughout those 33 years. I have been very appreciative of Catholic Schools and have already experienced how amazing St. Felix school is. I enjoy the spirit within the school and realize that comes from our staff, parents, and students. The Holy Spirit is alive in the school.

I grew up on a small farm north of Albert Lea. During my priestly assignments I have been at small towns and rural areas as well as a number of years in Rochester. I have enjoyed all my assignments and am grateful for the people who make up the church and community. I am a very optimistic priest and believe that God is working in our everyday lives. One of my roles as a pastor is to point out the presence of Jesus in the school, parish and community. I realize that life can be difficult, and I pray we can find some comfort in Jesus and our faith.

I know many of you reading this are presently active in the St. Felix community and many are alumni. I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you for being part of the faith journey. I find it life giving when we are able to believe in someone (Jesus) bigger than ourselves. There is a freedom in knowing we are loved and that we are able to love. I invite us to hold each other in prayer, as well as, St. Felix School. It's amazing the gifts of the Spirit that have been poured upon us. I invite us to give thanks for who and what we are in union with Jesus. Peace, Father Tom

ENROLLMENT FOR THE 2025-26
SCHOOL YEAR IS NOW OPEN!



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for a great school for their children?
Spread the word about St. Felix!
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Parish and School Upgrade Meeting

St. Felix Parish and School hosted meetings on March 29th and 30th about the campus Master Plan, which includes upgrades to the school, gym, playground, and church interiors. These meetings provided updates on plans discussed with the School Advisory Committee and parish presentations earlier in 2024, focusing on major capital investments. Proposed improvements include replacing bathrooms, upgrading the gym's HVAC system, and enhancing the playground. If you are interested in learning more about the Master Plan, reach out to Eric Sonnek at esonnek@stfelixschool.org.

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 - sign up today 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!

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