

St. Felicitas Church
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Pastor – Fr. Ed Schaefer
Monsignor Daniel Jurek officiating

Parish Pastoral Council
Justin Benhoff, Gene Bickl, Cindy Gnaedinger,
Joe Lubbers and Vince Langenhorst.
Finance Council
Mary Huelsmann, John Ketterer, Dan Potthast & Allen Thole.
Parish Trustees: Barry Hampel and Alan Heldorfer.
Administrative Assistant: Lisa Voss

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intentions

Sept. 7 - Les & Millie Peppenhorst 60th Wedding Anniversary and Living and deceased members of the Bernard & Georgetta Brueggemann family
Sept. 14 - Eugene & Agnes Heldorfer



Sept. 7 - 9:30 a.m.
USHERS: John Hampel & Dan Potthast
LECTORS: Jackie Albers
MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION: Lisa Voss, Gene & Sharon Bickl
GIFT BEARERS: Les & Millie Peppenhorst
SERVERS: Zoey, Carlee, Lakin, Hanley & Harrison
MUSICIAN: Chad
Sept. 14 – 9:30 a.m.
USHERS: Steve Gnaedinger & Vince Langenhorst
LECTORS: Sharon Bickl
MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION: Pam Benhoff, Emily Hilmes, Norb Rakers, Zane Gray
GIFT BEARERS: Rakers Family
SERVERS: Averie, Zoey, Carlee, Wade, Aiden
MUSICIAN: Maribeth

WEEKLY OFFERING
8 - 31- 2025
Number of Envelopes 26

Envelope Total	\$1,690.00
Loose Collection	\$326.00
Grand Total	\$2,016.00

Cemetery Fund \$20.00
Our monthly income for July 2025 was \$5,790.
Our monthly expenses totaled \$8,520, including \$6,101 in liability insurance.

 **THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!**
Have you remembered St. Felicitas Parish in your Estate Planning?

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Over the last two thousand years Jesus has been given many titles, from Bread of Life to Our Savior. One of his first titles, going back to when he first stood and proclaimed God’s word in the synagogue, is Rabbi, or Teacher. How appropriate to focus on that title on this first Sunday of September, a time of year when millions of young people are returning to school. Today we hear Jesus teach the crowds what it means to be a disciple. May he teach us as well as we gather together in his name.
Taken from Pastoral Patterns
Online Bulletins and more news from the Diocese on or website
www.stfelicitasbeaverprairie.com

Prayer Request
Please pray for those who need the Lord’s healing in body, mind or spirit, especially Dan Ketterer, Marilyn Hilmes, Krystal Huelsmann, Betty Voss, Margie McQuade, Taylor Marti, Jim Jansen, Father Ed Schaefer and all who asked for our prayers.

 **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Sept. 13 - Clinton County Farm Bureau’s “Pulling for Agriculture” ITPA and “King of Clinton County” Tractor Pull. Event starts at 1 p.m. with “King of Clinton County” pull and the highlight of the event, the ITPA pull starts at 7 p.m. All proceeds benefit the CCFB Foundation local scholarship program.

Sept. 28 - St. Teresa Church, Marydale **DRIVE-THRU** Chicken Dinner. Serving 11 a.m. – 4 p.m. \$15.00 per Meal. Packaged meal includes: ½ Fried Chicken (4 pieces), Dressing, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, Slaw. Handmade Quilt Raffle.

Sept. 28 - St. Bernard, Albers, Annual Drive-thru/Carryout Wurstmarkt from 10:30-5:30 at the Parish Center. Along with Whole hog pork sausage & pork roast, the dinner includes mashed potatoes, gravy, sauerkraut, green beans, applesauce, bread and dessert for \$16 per carryout. Extra sausage links can also be purchased.

October 5 - St. Dominic, Breese, drive-thru chicken dinner. Serving 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Meal includes: 4 piece fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, slaw, dressing and dessert. \$15 per dinner. Some seating will be available to those interested.

MEETING NOTICE
Finance and Parish Council meeting
Tuesday, Sept. 23 at 7 p.m.

If you are unable to come forward for Holy Communion, please stand or raise your hand after the congregation has received the sacrament, and a minister will come to your seat.

Grandparents' DAY
"Honoring Our Grandparents"
Today, on National Grandparents' Day, we take a moment to honor the incredible gifts that grandparents represent within our church family. Their lives are living testaments of faith, perseverance, and unconditional love. They are the keepers of our family stories and the quiet, strong pillars that support younger generations. We pray for all grandparents today—for those here with us, for those far away, and for those who have gone before us. May their legacy of faith continue to inspire and guide us. Let us hold them in our hearts with love and deep appreciation, for their love is a profound reflection of God’s own steadfast love for us.



MATER DEI JUNIOR KNIGHTS
Mater Dei Catholic High School invites children grade 4 and younger to join Junior Knights! For the informational letter, as well as both the printable registration form and the link to the online registration form, please visit our website: www.materdeiknights.org. While children may join at any time, the registration form and fee are due by Wednesday, September 17, to guarantee a shirt by the homecoming parade (October 1). For questions, contact Maria Zurliene at 618-526-7216 or mzurliene@materdeiknights.org.

Blessing of the Harvest
All are invited to join Father Godfrey for the Blessing of the Harvest, which will be held on Friday, September 19, at 1 P.M. at the Boulds Farm, 100 Willow Lake Road, Eldorado, IL. Those attending are invited to bring harvested grain, fruit, vegetables and garden produce in sealed, marked containers along with animals and farm machinery to be blessed. You are encouraged to bring non-perishable food items to be donated to the local food pantry.



MASS SCHEDULE CHANGE

We will not be having
Mass on Sunday, Sept. 21
due to the chicken dinner.

We will be having
4 p.m. Mass Sat., Sept. 20



CHICKEN DINNER PREPERATIONS

Set-up & Cleaning

Cleaning & set-up for the dinner will take place
Wednesday, Sept. 17

Anyone who has available time can come up
anytime Monday or Tuesday if you care unable
to help Wednesday. Please mark off what was
completed so others know what has been done.



Bread will be toasted on
Wednesday, Sept. 17 beginning at 8 a.m.
anyone interested in helping is welcome.



ALL DAY HELP IS REQUESTED ON THE 21ST

Even if your name is not on the worklist, we would love to see you there!
There is always someone needing an helping hand.



ST. FELICITAS • BEAVER PRAIRIE

CHICKEN DINNER

DRIVE THRU ONLY

- Menu*
- 1/2 Fried Chicken
 - Mashed potatoes
 - Gravy
 - Green Beans
 - Dressing
 - Applesauce
 - Slaw
- No substitutions

SUNDAY

SEPT.
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SERVING 11 A.M. - 5 P.M.

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\$15 per dinner

Quilt Raffle Tickets will be available!

Happy Birthday

Sept. 4 - Paige Hampel
Sept. 8 - Virginia Jansen
Sept. 8 - Lakin Luebbers
Sept. 8 - Lauren Luebbers
Sept. 8 - Drew Potthast
Sept. 10 - Carol Foppe
Sept. 11 - Maren Luebbers
Sept. 13 - Mary Gress

Happy Anniversary

Sept. 11 - Les & Millie Peppenhorst - 60 years
Sept. 12 - Ken & Peggy Wellen - 33 years

*If we fail to publish your birthday or anniversary,
please get with the parish office
so we can update your member profile.*

We welcome request for Mass Intentions

You can remember someone who
has died recently or many years
ago. But the intentions do not
have to be just for the dead.

They make beautiful gifts for any
special occasion: birthdays, anniversaries,
or even in thanksgiving. Mass intentions can be
made by contacting the parish office or you
may drop the following form along with
payment in an envelope mark "Mass Intention"
in the collection basket. Intentions are \$10 per
mass.



For: _____

Date requested: _____

Requested by: _____

Phone Number: _____

Available upcoming dates:

Dec. 28; Jan. 25; Feb. 8; March 8; April 12;
May 10 & 31; June 14; Aug. 23 & 30; Sept. 27



If you have something you would like added to the bulletin, please email the parish office at:
stfelicitasbeaverprairie@gmail.com or text Lisa @ 618-477-7733 before Thursday evening.