

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

WEEKLY OFFERING

9 - 7- 2025

Number of Envelopes 31

Envelope Total \$1,455.00

Loose Collection \$168.00

Grand Total \$1,623.00

Building and Grounds \$710.00

Mass Intentions \$150.00

Hall Rent \$100.00

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?*

The Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross

By his crucifixion, Jesus transformed the cross from a profane instrument of execution to a symbol of triumph. Jesus sanctified the cross, making it holy, by sacrificing his life to win our salvation. We exalt the holy cross in a special way today, but we also exalt it every time we make the sign of the cross to express and bear witness to our faith. May the cross be a sign for us of Christ's power to overcome death and give new life.

Taken from Pastoral Patterns

Online Bulletins and more news from
the Diocese on or website
www.stfelicitasbeaverprairie.com



Sept. 14 - Eugene & Agnes Heldorfer

Sept. 20 - Deb Rakers



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: Heldorfer Family

SERVERS: Averie, Zoey, Carlee, Wade, Aiden

MUSICIAN: Maribeth

SATURDAY - Sept. 20 – 4:00 p.m.

USHERS: Alan Heldorfer & Alvin Huels

LECTORS: Jackie Albers

MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION: Sharon

Bickl, Gene Bickl & Tiffany Kauffmann

GIFT BEARERS: Rakers Family

SERVERS: Hanley & Harrison, McKenna, Maggie,

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MUSICIAN: Lisa McQuade

MEETING NOTICE

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

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. 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 - Breese KC will be hosting a
sausage breakfast to benefit Pro-Life activities
from 8 - 11:30 am at the Breese KC Hall. \$15
per person, \$8 for youth ages 5 to 12 & free for
any children 4 years old or younger.

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.

Oct. 12 - Quilt and cash BINGO and raffle
sponsored by St. Theresa's Sodality of St.
Charles Borromeo Church. Event to be held at
the KC Hall in Dubois. Doors open at 11 and
games begin at 1 p.m. Lunch will be available.

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.



Today's Gospel is the popular, often quoted, section from John 3:16 – “For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son”. We see it often proclaimed at professional sporting events. Do we embrace those words? Can we give of ourselves to consider a vocation to the Priesthood or Sisterhood? Can we encourage and support our young folks who might be pondering this path in life? Be bold and pose the question – “Are you considering a religious vocation?”

Rummage Sale Donations

St. Dominic Parish will be accepting items for their annual rummage sale at the Parish Center main entrance from 10 am–8 pm on Monday, October 13th; and from 4–8 pm on Tuesday, October 14th OR until they are full. They do not take TV's, furniture, exercise equipment, stereo & computer equipment and car seats. Plant drop off is ONLY Wednesday, October 22nd after 5pm.

Open House at the Hincke-Sense House

Parishioners and friends, young and old, are welcome to join us! Openhouse if from 3 –6 PM. 2620 Lebanon Ave., Belleville, IL 62221

RESPECT LIFE

“We pray to you, O Lord, that we always recognize each member of this human family as being made in your image and beloved by you, with worth and dignity.”

USCCB, "Prayer to Heal Racial Division"

Germantown Historical Society is planning their Cemetery Walk for Oct. 4. Come by and learn a little history of the people who built Germantown.

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. 19 - Bob Strottheide

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



The next Healing Mass will be
held at St. Rose Parish on Sept.
16th at 6:30 p.m. Anointing of the
Sick will be celebrated during
Mass for those suffering from
cancer and other illnesses.
All are welcome to attend.

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*

*In order that the world
might be saved through him*

JOHN 3:17

*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.*