

Parish Newsletter

"If we can just communicate, Together we'll walk thru Heaven's Gate"



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THANK YOU

We would like to thank everyone who came out and supported us at our festival. What a crowd we had. We send prayers of Thanksgiving for our beautiful weather. We appreciate all the wonderful chairs and co-chairs for all their hard work, along with there workers. This day would not be what it is without all of you.

We want to send a special thank you to our games chairperson, Christine Greenwald. She has put in many years and is stepping down this year. Thank you for all your dedication and hard work. So, in order to have games at our festival next year we need chairpersons. Please find it in your heart to help us out.

With blessings, Dan Salzbrun Festival Chairperson

Life's persistent and most
Urgent question is
"What are you doing for others?"

THANK YOU

The family of Fred Wurst wishes to thank all those who offered prayers, cards, or messages at the time of his recent funeral. They are much appreciated. St. Wendelin's was always close to Fred's heart.

The Family of Fred Wurst

SCHOOL NEWS

It has been a busy summer preparing the school for an exciting new school year. Thank you to the returning staff and volunteers and best wishes to those that are moving on. I am very happy to be joining the team at St. Wendelin's, along with a number of new faces. Watch for a list of individuals joining us in the next newsletter. We are happy to announce that all the classroom and specialists positions we need have been filled.

St. Wendelin's School would love to have your child join our program. Openings at all grade levels.

Bonnie Massmann, Principal principal@ st.wendelins.org 320-251-9175

NEXT NEWSLETTER

August 27, 2023
DEADLINE for News:
Monday August 21, 2023
If you can get your items in earlier,
it would appreciated.

Get your articles to Sheila Albers 7876 Ahles Road St. Cloud, MN Phone 320-251-7116

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FESTIVAL RESULTS 2023

Annual Profits		2017		2018		2019	2021	2022		2023
Beer Stand	\$	4,325.05	\$	4,336.85	\$	2,770.90	\$ 6,777.25	\$ 6,514.35	\$	7,591.05
Bingo	\$	1,485.25	5	1,622.51	5	723.00	\$ 1,369.00	\$ 1,602.75	\$	1,671.75
Cake Spin	\$	2,267.05	63	2,345.20	5	1,479.00	\$ 2,693.25	\$ 3,061.90	\$	2,787.95
Dinner	\$	8,409.86	\$	6,705.99	\$	5,471.52	\$ 3,406.76	\$ 4,804.27	\$	5,315.80
Dinner Food Sales	\$	-	\$		\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	
Fancy Work Stand	\$	2,359.55	5	2,698.00	\$	2,121.31	\$ 1,863.00	\$ 2,138.00	\$	5,447.75
Gambling	\$	1,854.66	5	1,836.03	5	1,268.00	\$ 2,821.00	\$ 2,587.46	\$	2,249.00
Games	\$	2,270.72	5	2,101.07	5	1,756.50	\$ 3,149.28	\$ 4,475.01	\$	4,420.47
Lucky Straw	\$	964.44	\$	1,058.00	\$	669.75	\$ 819.10	\$ 1,231.50	\$	1,624.03
Lunch Stand	\$	3,939.41	5	4,150.45	\$	1,602.02	\$ 3,633.78	\$ 3,877.23	\$	6,012.93
Misc Expenses	\$	(1,988.14)	5	(2,058.15)	S	(1,341.08)	\$ (3,156.10)	\$ (2,469.51)	\$	(1,959.60)
Misc Income	\$	180.90	5	-	5	-	\$ 1,064.96	\$ 648.85	\$	-
Pop/Ice Cream	\$	857.18	\$	1,322.41	\$	306.00	\$ 1,935.75	\$ 1,718.08	\$	2,863.40
Quilt Auction	\$	7,605.00	5	9,585.00	\$	10,140.00	\$ 21,690.00	\$ 26,175.00	\$	28,020.00
Raffle	\$	11,933.00	5	11,340.00	\$	11,330.05	\$ 15,216.75	\$ 16,392.00	\$	18,095.77
Dice Stand	\$	165.00	5	181.00	5	169.00	\$ 137.00	\$ 55.00	\$	369.00
Wheel of Fortune	\$	346.00	5	353.00	\$	317.00	\$ 549.50	\$ 351.50	\$	376.00
Accounting Misc Expense	\$	(105.00)	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$	-
Net Profit	\$	46,869.93	\$	47,577.36	\$	38,782.97	\$ 63,970.28	\$ 73,163.39	\$	84,885.30
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Stand Details	In	come	Ex	penses	N	et Profit
Beer Stand	\$	9,364.00	\$	1,772.95	\$	7,591.05
Bingo	\$	1,671.75	\$	-	\$	1,671.75
Cake Spin	\$	2,787.95	\$	-	5	2,787.95
Dinner	\$	14,622.63	\$	9,306.83	\$	5,315.80
Donations	\$	-	\$	-	\$	
Fancy Work Stand	\$	5,447.75	\$	-	\$	5,447.75
Gambling	\$	2,871.00	5	622.00	5	2,249.00
Games	\$	5,844.25	5	1,423.78	5	4,420.47
Lucky Straw	\$	1,624.03	63	-	(A)	1,624.03
Lunch Stand	\$	7,129.00	5	1,116.07	5	6,012.93
Misc. Expenses	\$	-	5	1,959.60	5	(1,959.60)
Pop/Ice Cream	\$	2,863.40	5	-	5	2,863.40
Quilt Auction & Raffle	\$	28,020.00	\$	-	\$	28,020.00
Raffle	\$	18,472.00	\$	376.23	\$	18,095.77
Dice Stand	\$	369.00	5	-	\$	369.00
Wheel of Fortune	\$	376.00	\$	-	\$	376.00
	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Totals	\$	101,462.76	\$	16,577.46	\$	84,885.30

Gross

This information is Subject to Change as expenses are submitted.

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Dinners Served 1049 2017 Total Adult 1015 Children 34 2018 Total 1008

975

Adult

Children	33
2019 Total	816
Adult	775
Children	41
2021 Total	961

2021 Total	961
Adults	837
Children	24
Donated	100

2022 Total	1010
Adult	866
Children	39
Donated	105

2023 Total	1037
Adult	912
Kids	26
Donated	99

FESTIVAL RAFFLE WINNERS

PRIZE	DONATED BY	WINNER
1 \$1000 Cash	Sentra-Sota Sheet Metal	Laura Kunkel
2 \$1000 Cash	The Hayloft	Robert Urbanski
3 \$1000 Cash	Electrical Builders Inc - Netter Family	Lorraine Thole
4 \$1000 Cash	Lux Trucks - Jeff Schmitz	Donald Roeder
5 \$500 Cash	Maselter Cabinets - Mark Notch & Rod Schaefer	Gerald Wruck
6 \$400 Cash	Lux Feed Service	Al Bloch
7 \$400 Cash	Land O' Lakes Oil & Propane	Jenny Massmann
8 \$300 Cash	Anonymous Donor	Jill Bokinski
9 \$250 Cash	Clean Earth Geo - Jason & Meesh Salzbrun	Clara Witte
10 \$250 Cash	Gohmann Supply, LLC	Ken & Bonnie Massmann
11 \$200 Cash	Cindy Clemens	Bob Massmann
12 \$200 Cash	Gary & Sharon Maus	Fred Klein
13 \$200 Cash	Paul Koshiol Construction	Zach Opatz
14 \$200 Cash	Torborg Builders	Ken & Bonnie Massmann
15 \$200 Cash	PLM Striping - Troy Thompson	Steve & Jolene Brang
16 Interstate Battery	Schaefer's Auto Electric	Landon Stevens
17 2 - VIP Twins Tickets	Dombrovski Meats of Foley	Randy Morse
18 2 - VIP Twins Tickets	Dombrovski Meats of Foley	Keith & Deb Koltes
19 \$100 Cash	C.A.R.S. John & Jim Honer	Lori Winter
20 \$100 Cash	Delux Liquor	Maria Fuchs
21 \$100 Cash	Lisa Mullen	Kevin Lommel
22 \$100 Cash	Air Max Refrigeration Heating & Air	Dave Utz
23 \$100 Cash	Luxemburg Lions	Kathryn Schmidt
24 \$100 Cash	Luxemburg Lions	Loren & JoAnne Gohmann
25 \$100 Cash	St. Wendelin/St. Theresa Society	Maxine Jensen
26 \$100 Cash	Charlotte Volkmuth	Mary Anne Volkmuth
27 \$100 Cash	Granite Pest Control - Joe Watrin	Mark Notch
28 \$100 Cash	Anonymous Donor	Jacob Knier
29 \$100 Cash	Steve's Excavating	Mike Brunner
30 \$100 Cash	Augusta Insurance Agency LLC - John Ludwig	Theresa Lintgen
31 \$100 Cash	Highbanks Apartments LLC	Steve Novak
32 \$100 Cash	Diversified Paving - Paul & Sue Reinert	Ron Albers
33 \$100 Cash	JV Tooling - John & Terese VanderEyk	Al Haus
34 \$100 Cash	Miller Carlin Funeral Homes	Zachary Ludwig
35 \$100 Cash	A & E Storage - Paul & Sue Reinert	Linda Weber
36 \$100 Cash	Peggy Wilson	Mary Neidermeier
37 \$100 Cash	Northstar Sign & Engraving Inc.	Linda Weber
38 \$100 Cash	Tri-County Auto Glass - Brian Hooper	Rosie Kiffmeyer
39 \$100 Cash	Joe & Jeanne Harren	Sue Reinert
40 \$100 Cash	Anonymous Donor	Beth Mueller
41 \$100 Visa Gift Card		
42 \$100 Gift Card	Harvest Bank - St. Augusta Simonson Lumber	Gib Koopmeiners Jim Massmann
43 \$100 Kimball Bucks		
	Harvest Bank - Kimball	Sandra Leach
44 One Day Guest Pass	Powder Ridge	Ray & Virginia Meyer
45 \$50 Cash	Revive Hair Studio	Rob Kuechle
46 \$50 Cash	Mike Schlangen Construction	Bud Stimmler

FESTIVAL RAFFLE WINNERS

PRIZE	DONATED BY	WINNER
47 \$50 Cash	Quality Home Systems - Bob Massmann	Zachary Ludwig
48 \$50 Cash	Ledge Wealth - Gina Bartell	Rosie Kiffmeyer
49 \$50 Cash	Quality Drywall - Steve & Pam Voigt	Sue Koshiol
50 \$50 Cash	Warnert Enterprise	Kortney Notch
51 \$50 Cash	Warnert Enterprise	Darby Mick
52 \$50 Cash	Williams-Dingmann Family Funeral Home	Butch Bechtold
53 \$50 Cash	St. Wendelin Knights of Columbus	Rob Kuechle
54 \$50 Cash	St. Wendelin Knights of Columbus	Pam Hayenga
55 \$50 Cash	Weber Appraisel	Brittany Wittrock
56 \$50 Cash	Daniel Funeral Home	Dan Guggenberger
57 \$50 Cash	Benson Funeral Home	Randy Morse
58 \$50 Cash		-
	Molitor Floor Covering	Rudy Notch
59 \$50 Cash	Ray & Mary Kenning	Kevin Blonigen
60 \$50 Cash	Ray & Mary Kenning	Dan jansen
61 \$50 Cash	Heavenly Paws Creamation	Bill Heid
62 Oil Change	C.A.R.S John & Jim Honer	Mia Honer
33 Oil Change	C.A.R.S John & Jim Honer	Cass Deering
64 Oil Change	C.A.R.S John & Jim Honer	Sutton Kenning
65 Oil Change	C.A.R.S John & Jim Honer	Jeanette Harren
66 \$50 Gift Certificate	Pearl Lake Lodge	Marshia Bechtold
\$7 \$50 Gift Certificate	Pearl Lake Lodge	Gene Loehlein
68 Oil Change	North Star Tire & Auto	Jean Massmann
69 Oil Change	North Star Tire & Auto	Scott Perreault
70 Oil Change	North Star Tire & Auto	Sue Weber
71 \$50 Gift Card	Central Hub	Ralph MacHemehl
72 \$50 Gift Card	Casey's St. Augusta	Mary Freiberg
73 \$50 Gift Card	Snap Fitness - Hwy 15	Jeanette Pasek
74 \$50 Gift Certificate	White Peony - Lindsay Salzbrun	Tety Volkmuth
75 \$50 Gift Card	Mies Outland Watkins	Mary Lommel
76 \$50 Gift Card	Sam's Club	Judy Fandel
77 \$50 Gift Card	Scheels	Judy Ludwig
78 \$50 Gift Certificate	The Hideaway - Rockville	Ryan Christenson
79 \$50 Gift Certificate	Club Almar	Kleinschnitz
80 \$50 Gift Certificate	Club Almar	Susan Durant
81 \$50 Gift Certificate	Knaus Meat Market of Kimball	Rachael Volkmuth
32 \$50 Gift Certificate	Pearl Lake Lodge	Laurie Lorenz
83 \$50 Gift Certificate	Pearl Lake Lodge	Paul Koshiol, Jr.
84 \$50 Gift Certificate	The Hideaway - Rockville	JoAnn Massmann
85 \$50 Gift Card	Casey's St. Augusta	Mary Koshiol
86 \$50 Gift Certificate	The Side Bar & Grill	Rose Mary Kiffmeyer
87 \$50 Gift Certificate	Agave Mexican Restaurant - South Haven	Debbie Eich
88 \$50 Gift Certificate	Coyote Moon	Janet Albers
89 \$50 Gift Certificate	Shady's Long Shots - Cold Spring	Nancy Albers
90 2 - One Free Thursday Pasta Bar	The Great Blue Heron	Janet Lommel
91 2 - One Free Thursday Pasta Bar	The Great Blue Heron	Bill Heid

ST WENDELIN FESTIVAL 2023 THANK YOUS

RAFFLE

Thank you to the Raffle Committee who begin each year in March putting together another spectacular ticket that is just as great or better than the year before. We appreciate the many vendors and local community members who so willing "give" when they are called each year. We also appreciate the many super sales people of the community who continue to sell many extra tickets. Everyone's dedicated effort makes for our ticket sales to prosper each year.

Paul & Sue Koshiol Joe & Gina Bartell

DINNER

With extreme gratitude I would like to thank everyone that came out and enjoy our parish dinner. I see many of the same faces and I am truly grateful you keep coming back. I have a special thank you for the people that stepped up this year to help cover the workers that could not make it. You all did such a wonderful job. I greatly appreciate everyone that brought in the pies, they were all very delicious. Everyone did a great job from set up to take down. You are all very special to me, and I enjoy working with all of you . You have the patience with me when you ask me for something and I get side tracked or forget (that happens more often than I like) so to all of you God bless you and enjoy the rest of the summer.

> Pat Salzbrun Dinner Chair

BEER GARDENS

What a perfect day for our festival!!! The turn out was more than awesome. Thank you to all who worked at the beer garden, we appreciate your loyal help as always. Also, a big Thank you to all the loyal patrons who visited the beer garden; we appreciate your patronage.

Charlie & Tracy Dombrovski Chairs

LUCKY STRAW STAND

Thank you to those who donated prizes for the Lucky Straw Stand – nice donations once again! This is what makes our stand a success! Thanks to our workers who work their shifts and more! Thanks to Cory Broda for helping set up, and MANY THANKS to Thais Kiffmeyer who rolled all the straws! You are an angel, Thais! Thanks also to the customers who support our stand with so much delight! It is fun to see everyone!

If there is anyone who would like to work in our stand, please give Sue a call (255-1956). We would like to have a few more people join us.

Sue and Jackie Massmann

LUNCH STAND

Thank you to all the Lunch Stand crew! You are all great to work with and yes, you are all flexible! We want to thank Tom Henkel for getting the donation of charcoal from Nash Finch, it is much appreciated. Once again, we want to especially thank Tom and Scott for manning the grill ALL day. The burgers were great! Thanks to the onion friers and for the use of the Blackstone, they were delicious as well. We hesitate to start naming people individually as we may forget someone, but we thank each person who worked and were a joy to work with! We appreciate each of you! Several people worked two shifts, and some worked who did not even belong to our parish! I hope you know how much we appreciate each of you. Some of you made suggestions for next year and we will try to make those changes. Also, please consider becoming co-chairs for next year. It really is so good to work with so many kind people. We tried to thank each one individually, but if we missed you, Thank you from the bottom of our hearts!

May God Bless each f you. Joe & Kathy Watrin

ST. WENDELIN FESTIVAL THANK YOUS

BINGO STAND

We want to thank everyone who worked at the bingo stand. A special thanks to those who worked the stand and then stayed to help tear down the tent. Many hands make light work. Also thanks to everyone who came to play bingo. It's always a fun time. The weather was perfect!

> Kevin & Julie Kieke Bingo Chairs

MARKETPLACE/ FANCY WORK

We wish to thank everyone who helped to make the Marketplace/Fancy work stand a success this year. Thank you to all of our generous donors for your beautiful items and produce donated! A big thank you to all of our silent auction donors. Thank you to our loyal buyers! Thank you to our awesome workers that showed up for your shifts! You're the best!

Marla Honer & Mary Schaefer Co-Chairs

POP & ICE CREAM STAND

Thank you to all our faithful workers. Special thanks to Thais Kiffmeyer (Delux Liquor) for supplying the ice and coolers for our stand.

Keith Koltes

GAMBLING

A sincere thank to all who helped in the Pull tab booth and to all who purchased pull tabs. You all made the day enjoyable. Thanks again! Deb Fischer

PARKING

Thanks to all our workers who helped us with parking this year. Thanks to all people who cooperate with our system to get our patrons and vendors in and out safely!

Paul and Matthew Massmann

ACCOUNTING

Thanks for a job well done last Sunday to all who helped us with the accounting process including the counters, those who made the rounds picking up bags from the stands and all the committee chairs and co-chairs who worked so well with us. Your spirit of cooperation is much appreciated and makes our job easier. Great teamwork! Thanks again!

Todd Hurrle

CHILDRENS GAMES

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped make the 2023 Childrens Games a great success and run so smoothly. I appreciate your time and effort. It was a fun day for the young and young at heart.

Thanks to everyone who worked so hard to ensure that all the stands were set up perfectly and those who helped to take them down at the end. Many thanks to all that helped to run the various games throughout the day and the extras that helped to cover open spots. I appreciate the extra people who helped to set up the specific games the morning of the festival. I know you came in early before you had to work other shifts for other games. THANK YOU!!! You helped to make the day special and fun for the kids who came to play.

Thanks also to those families and businesses that made financial or prize donations. Those contributions helped to give the kids a great time at the festival and the chance to win many wonderful quality items. I am truly grateful for all the generosity and help. Thank You!

Christine Greenwald

PLANNING AHEAD FOR 2024 CHILDRENS GAMES

New leadership for the 2024 Childrens Games is needed. This is great volunteer opportunity for a group of friends, couples, or families. Thank you for your consideration.

ST. WENDELIN FESTIVAL THANK YOUS CONTINUED

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> Pat Salzbrun Dinner Chair

GENERAL THANK YOU

Thank You to ALL involved with setting up and tearing down. A HUGE thank you to the individual chair persons for their preparation prior to, and all of your hard work at the festival all day. You are invaluable! There are MANY who work tirelessly to make our festival as great as it is! We would like to give a special shout out to Bill Yackley who worked all day long, all over the festival, doing odd jobs, whatever was asked of him. All the chairs I've talked to said how they appreciated his help. So thanks Bill!!! Kevin & Julie Kieke

DINING HELP

Thank you to all the worker who came and worked their shift and work extra shifts. You are all appreciated very much. We had a great crowd and you took great care of them. Thank you to George, Marshia, and Katie who stepped up and cover the waitresses chair. I couldn't have done it without you. We appreciate the additional support we got from the community. See you next year,

Waitress Chair

WHEEL OF FORTUNE
Thank you to all --- 1st to the Lord for the great weather, the friendships, our workers and donators! We had a great turn out and a lot of fun.

Joey & Sandy

WHEEL OF FORTUNE WINNERS

- Hover Board Dan Nathan
- Speaker Kasen Harren
- 3. Inflatable pool Rachel Volkmuth
- 4 \$50 Cash Fred Klein
- 5. Head Phones Mary Hinkemeyer
- Lawn Chair Maddie Kern

QUILT AUCTION

Thank you for another successful year at the Quilt Auction. We thought last year was spectacular and you out did yourselves again this year.

Thank you to all the ladies who give of their time and talent faithfully each week to make all the beautiful quilts. Thank you to everyone who donates quilts, material, money and lunches. You are very much appreciated.

Thank you to Keith Sharer, Gene Deering, and Barney Kiffmeyer who give of their time to auction off the quilts. You do a great job and are very much appreciated.

And a VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU to all you wonderful people who buy our quilts. You go above and beyond to make our auction a success. Your love and support for this parish and community is outstanding and your generosity is beyond words and we can't thank you enough.

Thank you to our workers, Ron, Ginia and Brenda. Thanks for your support.

Sheila Albers & Emily Salzbrun

CHURCH CLEANING AUGUST 2023 GROUP 4 8:00 A.M.

AUGUST 5[™]

Janet Lommel Denise Brannan
Dot Bartell Pam Koshiol
Cyntia Lommel Emily Salzbrun

Jackie Eich

AUGUST 12TH

Mickie Schriml Eileen Kunkel
Connie Netter Bonnie Edelbrock
Vickie Barthel Sandy Leach
Christine Greenwald Kristy Harren

AUGUST 19[™]

Michelle Fruth Pat Salzbrun

Mary Jo Klaverkamp Patti Brunner

JoAnn Massmann Kimberly Brannan

Kathy Massmann

AUGUST 26TH

Sue Massmann Vicki Kunkel
Jodi Albers Joey Kiffmeyer
Mary Backes Jim Opatz
Jackie Harren Rose Sauer

Mary Kenning

Every person is brought into our lives by design. Ask yourself what lessons they hold for you and what lessons you might be teaching them.

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We miss so much joy just because we don't open ourselves up. We can choose to embrace all the joy that today has to bring.

MAKE LIFE A LITTLE SWEETER

O let me shed a little light On someone's path I pray; I'd like to be a messenger Of happiness today!

It may be just a phone call, A smile, or a prayer, Or long neglected letter would lift the edge of care.

I want to spread some happiness In what I say or do, Make life a little sweeter For someone else! Don't you?

TOO BUSY

My body may age But my mind will stay young. I've much left to do. many songs to be sung. Many roads to be traveled, Much love to express, Many souls that need aid, Who are now in distress. I will do what I can To help brighten your day, I will spread cheer and love As I pass by your way. The world is my oyster, To have and to hold, Why, I' really too busy To ever grow old.

RECIPE CORNER

Ron Albers

CARAMEL APPLE CHEESECAKE BARS

CRUST:

1 cup unsalted butter
2/3 cup firmly packed brown sugar
2 cups all-purpose flour
½ tsp. kosher salt

FILLING:

8 cups finely diced peeled apples
1 ¼ cups granulated sugar, divided
1 ½ tsp. ground cinnamon, divided
½ tsp. ground nutmeg
3 (8 oz) packages cream cheese, softened
3 large eggs, room temperature
2 tsp. vanilla extract
1 cup all-purpose flour
¾ cup firmly packed light brown sugar
½ cup old fashioned oats
½ tsp. kosher salt
½ cup unsalted butter, softened
¾ cup chopped pecans

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Line a 9x13 inch baking pan with foil, letting excess extend over sides of pan. Spray foil with baking spray with flour.

For crust: In the bowl of a stand mixer fitted with the paddle attachment, beat butter and brown sugar at medium speed until creamy, 2 to 3 minutes, stopping to scrape sides of bowl. With mixer on low speed, gradually add flour and salt, beating until just combined. Press mixture into bottom of prepared pan.

Bake until golden brown, about 20 minutes. Let cool completely. Leave oven on.

For filling: In a large bowl, stir together apples, ½ cup granulated sugar, 1 tsp. cinnamon, and nutmeg. Let stand until apples have released most of their juices, 45 minutes to 1 hour. Drain apples, discard liquid.

In the bowl of a stand mixer fitted with the paddle attachment, beat cream cheese, eggs, vanilla, and remaining ¾ cup granulated sugar at medium-high speed until smooth, 2 to 3 minutes. Pour onto cooled crust. Gently spread apple mixture on top.

In a medium bowl, whisk together flour, brown sugar, oats, salt, and remaining ½ tsp. cinnamon. Using a pastry blender or fork, cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Stir in pecans; sprinkle onto apples.

Bake until center is set and an instant read thermometer inserted in center registers 160 degrees, about 45 minutes. Let cool completely in pan on a wire rack. Refrigerate, uncovered, until cold, at least 8 hours or up to overnight.

Using excess foil as handles, remove from pan, and cut into bars. Serve with Salted Caramel Sauce.

SALTED CARAMEL SAUCE:

1 cup granulated sugar

1/4 cup water

½ cup heavy whipping cream, room temp.

6 Tbsp. unsalted butter, cubed and softened 1 tsp. kosher salt

2 tsp. vanilla extract

In a small saucepan, stir together sugar and ¼ cup water until combined. Bring to a boil over high heat. (Do not stir.) Cook, without stirring, until caramel turns a deep amber color and an instant-read thermometer registers 355 degrees to 360 degrees, 15 to 18 minutes.

Remove from heat. Carefully whisk in cream until well combined. Add butter and salt, whisking until butter is melted and well combined. Stir in vanilla. Pour into a heatproof container, and let cool completely.

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