



MASS OF CHRISTIAN BURIAL

Friday, February 13, 2026 ~ 2:00 p.m.
St. Alphonsus Catholic Church
Langdon, ND

CLERGY

Father Kurtis Gunwall

MUSIC

Accompanist ~ Bernadine Kopf St. Alphonsus Choir
“You Are Mine” “Hail Mary, Gentle Woman”
“One Bread, One Body” “Though the Mountains May Fall”

READER

Rachel Walsh

GIFT BEARERS

Brynn Okeson Payton Rients Sarah Gellner

CASKET BEARERS

Josh Rients Evan Gellner Steve Gellner
Marty Tetrault Jeremy Gellner Jeff Gellner

HONORARY BEARERS

Kenny Gellner & Keith Brooks

INTERMENT IN THE SPRING

Calvary Cemetery ~ Langdon, ND

Beverly Joan was born on March 13, 1942, in Harvey, ND, to Herbert and Helen (Fiesel) Johnson. She graduated from St. Alphonsus High School in 1960. She attended Mayville College and received an associate teaching certificate in 1962. Later, she earned her Bachelor of Science in Elementary Education in 1985. She served the community with dedication as the Clerk of Court for Cavalier County from 1986 to 2009.

She married Kenny Gellner on December 26, 1963. Together they owned and operated Hi-Way Laundromat and Dry Cleaners for 30 years. She especially enjoyed spending time with friends, bowling, playing cards, and watching her children's sports activities. Her faith was central to her life. She was an active member of St. Alphonsus Parish, where she played piano and organ, sang in the choir, taught religious education, and was a member of Catholic Daughters.

She is survived by her children: Steve (Karen) Gellner, Jeff (Dawn) Gellner, and Janelle Day; her grandchildren: Brynn (Mike) Okeson and Evan Gellner, Jeremy and Sarah Gellner, and Payton and Josh Rients; and her brother, Dick (Jackie) Johnson. She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth Gellner; her parents, Herbert and Helen Johnson; her brothers: Herb Jr., Bob, and Ralph Johnson; and her sister, Rita Bruinsma.

Beverly passed away peacefully on February 3, 2026, surrounded by her children.