For the Week of 4/5 to 4/12:

4/6	Monday	No Service Today		
4/7	Tuesday	9:00 AM	Bridgeport	Scripture Service with Communion
4/8	Wednesday	8:00 AM	Dalton	Scripture Service with Communion
4/9	Thursday	9:00 AM	Bayard	Scripture Service with Communion
	Thursday	7:00 PM	Dalton	RCIA Class
4/10	Friday	No Service Today		
4/11	Saturday	6:00 PM	Dalton	Collette Schmitt
4/12	DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY			
	Sunday	8:00 AM	Bayard	For the People of the Parishes
	Sunday	10:30 AM	Bridgeport	Mary Jansa
	Sunday	1:00 PM	Bridgeport	Highway Clean-Up (Meet at Parish Center)
	Sunday	6:00 PM	Bayard	Parish Council Meeting

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK - - -

May you and your loved ones have a blessed Easter. The glory of our Risen Lord gives us hope also of eternal life. Such love on the part of our Lord should be reflected in our lives as well. Be a good steward of your time, talent, and treasure on behalf of Jesus. Our Easter Season will extend for fifty days until Pentecost Sunday. The color of our season is white. I wish to thank those who have donated towards our Easter flowers in memory of their loved ones. There will be a list in next weekend's bulletin.

You may bring your returns from your Rice Bowls for Catholic Relief Services to Mass next weekend. Your donations will help feed the hungry of the world.

I thank all those who helped with our Confirmation program this year, esp. our catechists Joey Dohse, Kathy Watchorn, and Donna Stuart. We are proud of our newly confirmed young people. I encourage them to stay active in their parish.

The work on the new lights at St. Mary's Church has been completed. The pendant lights are beautiful. The lighting is dramatically improved. There is a dimmer for the lights as well. See the lights in their glory. We are less than $1,000 short of our goal in covering the cost of our lighting system. This summer there will be a plaque made noting all the special people being remembered with our donations.

Recently all the light bulbs in the main body of Sacred Heart Church were replaced with LED bulbs. Also note that all the kneeler pads were replaced thus making it easier on everyone's knees. Thanks to those who helped with these projects.

Your help will be needed in helping cover the cost of our property and liability insurance. The premiums this year are $1,864.00 at Bayard, $4,046.00 at Dalton and $6,348.00 at Bridgeport. Note that the All Souls figure includes the Rectory and garage. We could all help cover this portion. Your financial support is all part of good stewardship of time, talent and treasure.

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All Souls — PO Box 250, Bridgeport NE 69336-0250, C: 308-262-0709 R: 308-262-1332

Saint Mary's — PO Box 377, 308-377-2440

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Bookkeeper/Secretary: Carolyn Gusman

UPCOMING ALL SOULS HIGHWAY CLEAN-UP - SUNDAY, APRIL 11TH - Plan on helping with our highway clean-up next Sunday. We will meet at the Hall at 1:00 and pool rides out to the highway. Bring along your work gloves. There will be some food waiting for us at the Parish Center when we return. Any questions, contact Nick Broz or Father Dave. This is our part in the community effort to take care of the environment.

UPCOMING PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS: Sacred Heart will meet next Sunday, the 12th, at 6:00 PM, while St. Mary's will meet on Monday, the 13th, at 6:00 PM. All Souls Council will not meet until Monday, April 20th at 7:00 PM. Please mark your calendars.

GERING CHRIST THE KING LADIES' GUILD SPRING RETREAT - "A QUIET WALK WITH JESUS" - THE GUEST

SPEAKER WILL BE KATHY HEADRICKS from Colorado Springs. The talk on Friday, April 10th will be from 7:00-9:00 PM. Registration will be at 6:30 PM. Saturday's program will be 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM. The registration fee of $15.00 includes both breakfast and lunch. For more information call Lillian Ash at 631-4920 or Ann Connelly at 637-5460.

REPEAL DEATH PENALTY - In 2015 Pope Francis writes, "Today the death penalty is inadmissible, no matter how serious the crime committed. It is an offense against the inviolability of life and dignity of the human person, one which contradicts God's plan for man and society and his merciful justice, and impedes the penalty from fulfilling any just objective. It does not render justice to the victims, but rather fosters vengeance." To get involved in efforts to repeal the death penalty, visit www.nadp.net

UPCOMING DCCW SPRING ASSEMBLY IN HALSEY - APRIL 24-25TH - Last week's bulletin contained an insert with detailed information on the Spring Assembly along with registration data. The registration deadline is April 11th. Plan on an enjoyable and spiritually uplifting time away at the 4-H Lodge in the beautiful surroundings of the Nebraska National Forest at Halsey. If you misplaced last week's insert, you may pick up a sheet in the foyer at your church. Any questions, contact Father Dave or your parish DCCW representative. You deserve this Friday evening and Saturday away.

Sacred Heart

- Cleaning for April: Hopkins, Albro, Leonard
- Prayer chain requests may be made to Paula Contreras - 586-2992 or Berna O'Neal - 262-9990

All Souls:

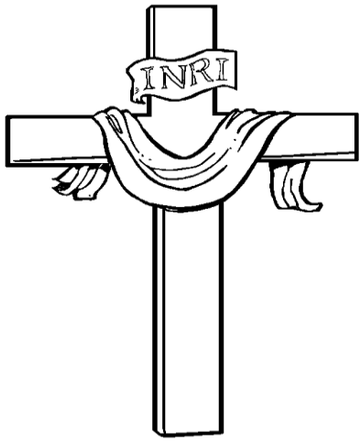
- Prayer line requests may be made to JoAnn - 262-0558 or Teresa - 262-0439.
- The rosary is prayed one-half hour before Mass. Please come early and pray.

Saint Mary's:

- The rosary is prayed one-half hour before Mass. Please come early and pray.
- Prayer line requests may be made to Margaret - 377-2420.

Our Gift to God: **Last Weekend's Collection:**

Accounts	All Souls	St. Mary's	Sacred Heart
Adult	$624.00	$1,212.00	$157.00
Youth	$14.00	$1.00	$4.50
Plate	$131.00	$62.00	$52.00
SUB-TOTAL	$769.00	$1,275.00	$213.50
Rent			$100.00
Catholic Relief Fund		$20.00	
Catholic Missions			$5.00
Easter Flowers	$20.00	$50.00	$20.00
Holy Land			$5.00
Easter Offering			$10.00
Lighting Project		$630.00	
Appeal			
Building Fund	$35.00		$10.00
TOTALS	$789.00	$1,345.00	$353.50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