For the Week of 5/24 to 5/31:

5/25	Monday	Memorial Day	No Service Today	
5/26	Tuesday	9:00 AM	Bridgeport	Scripture Service with Communion
5/27	Wednesday	8:30 AM	Dalton	Catherine Pelster
5/27	Wednesday	7:00 PM	Bayard	Knights of Columbus Meeting & Initiation
5/28	Thursday	10:00 AM to 2:00 PM	Bridgeport	Staff the Food Pantry
5/29	Friday	9:00 AM	Bayard	Ralph Shotwell
5/30	Saturday	6:00 PM	Bayard	For the People of the Parishes
	TRINITY SUNDAY			
5/31	Sunday	8:00 AM	Dalton	Robert Ernest
5/31	Sunday	10:30 AM	Bridgeport	Glen Rehling

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK - - -

We celebrate the Solemnity Feast of the Pentecost. Enlivened by the Holy Spirit the Apostles and other disciples set out to teach the Good News of Jesus Christ. The Church has always been missionary by nature. We are called to evangelize the world around us, our family first and then others. That is what Jesus wanted. And for many Christians, including Catholic Christians, there is a need for "re-evangelizing" because many people don't know their faith adequately. Use any opportunities to increase your knowledge. EWTN is the Catholic TV network. Some of you who work in Alliance, Scottsbluff or Sidney are able to get Spirit Radio, the Catholic station. I hope to bring Symbolon to our parishes this fall to help us understand our Catholic faith..

This Memorial Day weekend I hope you take time in prayer to honor our men and women veterans who have died. As a nation we owe so much to them. I will not have a Mass on Memorial Day. I hope to visit some of our sick and disabled priests at Broken Bow, Greeley and Spalding.

Since we will not have a Catholic Bible School of our own this summer, I would encourage any interested parents to check into the Totus Tuus program at St. Agnes in Scottsbluff or at St. Patrick's in Sidney. It is a very good Catholic program. You might consider carpooling with another family. The K thru 6th grade program at St. Agnes will be June 1st thru 5th; 9:00 thru 2:30 PM; a lunch and drink must be brought. Call Terri Calvert at 308-641-1044 if you are interested in registering. Sidney St. Pat's is having their Totus Tuus program for 1st thru 6th June 22nd thru 26th from 9:00-3:00. Kids must bring a lunch and drink. Snacks will be provided. The fee is $10.00 per child. Contact Joan at 308-254-2828 at the

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Bayard NE 69334-0190	Bridgeport NE 69336-0250	Dalton
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308-586-1160	C: 308-262-0709 R: 308-262-1332	
308-377-2440		
	www.stmarysdalton.com	
	Pastor: David L. Rykwalder	
	Bookkeeper/Secretary: Carolyn Gusman	

church office or Pam Ahrendt at 308-203-1174 for registration.

The Knights of Columbus are recruiting new members. There is a meeting at Bayard Sacred Heart this Wednesday at 7:00 PM. There will also be First Degree initiation that evening for new members. I plan to be there. This is a fine Catholic fraternal group that supports the church and it offers many services to Catholic men and their families.. Do not worry about demands upon your time. We have many fine Catholic men who would make good Knights. Come to the meeting on Wednesday to check us out. Men from All Souls are welcome also.

MORRILL COUNTY FOOD PANTRY - Sponsored by the Bridgeport Ministerial Association, All Souls Parish is responsible for the month of May. We are taking donations of food, as well as having a special collection for the Pantry on Sunday, May 31. I greatly appreciate the volunteers who have helped me on Thursdays from 10:00 to 2:00. We are helping to carry out one of the corporal works of mercy.

MORRILL COUNTY FOOD PANTRY - SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND - This will be taken at All Souls and Sacred Heart churches. The Pantry serves the needs of all Morrill County residents.

PENTECOST SUNDAY - SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE SEMINARY - The donations collected go towards tuition and room and board for our seminarians. It also goes towards the recruiting efforts. We are short on seminarians, so we must also personally pray and encourage our young people to consider the priesthood and religious life. Please make a monetary donation also if possible.

UPCOMING HIGHER GROUND WEEKS - It is not too late for you to register for a Higher Ground week. If the cost of the week is too expensive for you, contact Father Dave about financial assistance. Our teenagers who have attended previous years will testify to the benefit of these retreats. Go online for more information at youthgidiocese.weebly.com

ELECTION RESULTS: Elected to the Parish Council in Dalton were Cindy Reilly and Barb Thompson; elected at Bridgeport were Santiago Ramos, Megan Sauer and Julie Hadden; and chosen at Bayard were Nancy Brandt and Mary Coon. Thanks to all who were willing to serve on the parish councils.

MAYZIE RAE BABIC, WELCOME TO YOUR NEW FAMILY! Mayzie Rae, the daughter of Michaela and Doug Babic of Bayard, was baptized last week into the family of our Lord Jesus Christ. Please keep Mayzie in your prayers as she begins her journey of faith.

MARRIAGE HELP - Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of dillusionment or misery in their marriage. This program can help you too. For confidential information about or to register for the program being offered Aug. 21-23, in Schuyler, Nebraska, call 1-888-317-5654 or check the web site www.retrouvaille.org

Sacred Heart

- Cleaning for June: Contreras, Wright, Trevino
- 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	$554.00	$1,130.00	$470.00
Youth	$15.00	$0.59	$4.00
Plate	$67.00	$45.00	$41.85
SUB-TOTAL	$636.00	$1,175.59	$515.85
Mass Stipend			
Rent	$120.00		
Insurance	$1,500.00		
Ascension	$220.50	$57.00	$15.00
Books	$25.00		
Appeal	$38.00		$50.00
Building Fund	$10.00		
TOTALS	$2,501.50	$1,232.59	$530.85