

Sacred Heart

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MASS TIMES - 1st, 3rd and 5th Sundays, Mass will be at Bayard on Saturday at 6:00 pm.
Mass will be at Dalton at 8:00 a.m. on Sundays.
2nd and 4th Sundays, Mass will be at Dalton on Saturday at 6:00 pm.
Mass will be at Bayard at 8:00 a.m. on Sundays.

For the Week of 4/10 to 4/17:

4/11	Monday	No Mass		
4/12	Tuesday	9:00 AM	Bridgeport	Mary Ardissono
4/13	Wednesday	8:30 AM	Dalton	Bess Murray & Deceased of Family
	Wednesday	7:45 PM	Bridgeport	Symbolon
4/14	Thursday	6:15-7:15 AM	Bridgeport	"That Man Is You" Prayer Breakfast
	Thursday	9:00 AM	Bayard	Vern Luke
4/15	Friday	No Mass		
4/16	Saturday	9:00-1:00 PM	Hemingford	Alliance Deanery DCCW Spring Assembly
	Saturday	6:00 PM	Bayard	For the People of the Parish
4/17	Sunday	8:00 AM	Dalton - First Communion	Deceased of Louise & Neal Thompson Family
	Sunday	10:30 AM	Bridgeport	Lula Muzquiz

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK - - -

I hope you received your material from the Diocese in the mail on our 2016 Stewardship Appeal. Please read the material carefully. If not, take the literature available at church. This year's Appeal covers an 18-month period before the next Appeal in October of 2017. Please return your Commitment Card next weekend. The categories covering Prayer and Spiritual Life, ongoing Faith Formation, Service and your Financial Support are all important so take time to pray over what you can pledge to do. Our theme is "Faith First: An Appeal for Your Soul".

The donation from All Souls CCW in the amount of \$1,000 towards the improved replacement for the Ten Commandments Monument is much appreciated along with the donation from the Knights of Columbus. The work will be done this summer.

We will need volunteers, especially the youth for our spring highway clean up. All Souls will meet next Sunday, April 17th at 1:00 PM at the Parish Center. There will be food and refreshments served afterwards. Nick Broz is our coordinator. We will need some adults to help as well. Sacred Heart will also be conducting their clean up at a date yet to be determined.

Confirmation candidates for next year's class may use help with the highway clean up or assisting with our parish Summer Bible School for service hours. Your retreat requirement can be fulfilled by attending the upcoming Higher Ground at Fort Robinson near Crawford. There will be more information on Higher Ground coming in the West Nebraska Register and also in the bulletin or you can check on the website youthgidiocese.weebly.com

I don't have specifics yet on our Summer Bible School, but Becky Murray has graciously accepted the leadership of coordinating it. We are thinking of late June for the Bible School. We will be needing adults and older youth to help put on this worthy endeavor.

UPCOMING FIRST COMMUNIONS - Dalton St. Mary's will celebrate First Communion Sunday on May 17th at the 8:00 AM Mass. Sacred Heart in Bayard will have their celebration on Sunday, April 24th at the 8:00 AM Mass, while Bridgeport All Souls has scheduled a special Mass at 12:00 Noon on Sunday, the 24th due to the large numbers. Please keep these young people in your prayers.

ALLIANCE DEANERY OF D.C.C.W. MEETING AT HEMINGFORD - SAT., APRIL 16TH - All Catholic women are invited to St. Bridget's Church at 801 Niobrara in Hemingford. Registration begins at 9:00 AM Father Steve Deaver will be the keynote speaker on the topic of "Catholics at the Capitol". There will be a noon Salad Luncheon and the meeting will close with the Patriotic Rosary at 1:00 PM.

CONGRATULATIONS, WENDY AND ONEVA LUMMEL! They were married on April 4, 1956 at St. Mary's Church in West Point, NE. May they be blessed as they celebrate 60 years of sacramental marriage. If any young couples would like to know some tips for marriage longevity, I'm sure they would gladly share their secrets.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKEND - Upcoming dates are April 15-17 in Grand Island and August 19-21 in Schuyler. Refresh your relationship. Take a new look at your marriage. Learn simple, effective communication techniques. Enhance the love you share. Rediscover your hopes and dreams. Want to attend? Need more information? Visit www.wwme.org or email wwme.nereg@yahoo.com

JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY INDULGENCE - The Holy Door Indulgence may be gained by passing through the Holy Door of a Cathedral such as St. Mary's in Grand Island. You must make a profession of faith such as the Apostles' Creed or Nicene Creed. Make a short reflection on mercy. And then you need to make a sacramental confession a few days before or after the visit, along with the reception of the Eucharist, and pray for the Pope's intentions (Pray one Our Father and one Hail Mary.)

UPCOMING DCCW SPRING ASSEMBLY IN HALSEY 4-H LODGE - Mark April 29th-30th on your calendar. Plan on a faith filled, fun time in the peaceful Halsey Forest. The theme of this year's Assembly is "Sowers of Hope". There will be a wine and cheese social, a sing-along, 5k run/walk with Jesus, living rosary, outdoor stations of the cross, skits, Mass and special talks and so much more. Go to gidccw.org for more information.

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:

Account	All Souls	St. Mary's	Sacred Heart
Adult	\$1,222.00	\$510.00	\$535.00
Youth	\$17.00	\$3.00	\$13.11
Plate	\$751.00	\$81.00	\$230.50
SUB-TOTAL	\$1,990.00	\$594.00	\$778.61
Easter	\$185.00		
Stole Stipend	\$20.00		
Rent			
Holy Land	\$100.00		
Diocesan Appeal	\$7.00	\$35.00	\$100.00
Building Fund	\$209.00	\$50.00	\$25.00
TOTALS	\$2,295.00	\$594.00	\$778.61

