

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 4/24 to 5/1:

4/24	Sunday	3:00 PM	Bridgeport	All Souls Highway Clean-Up
4/25	Monday	No Mass		
4/26	Tuesday	9:00 AM	Bridgeport	John Seng
4/27	Wednesday	8:30 AM	Dalton	Percy McCabe
4/28	Thursday	9:00 AM	Bayard	Lawrence Sanchez
4/29	Friday	No Mass	Halsey	DCCW Spring Assembly
4/30	Saturday	DCCW Spring Assembly in Halsey		
4/30	Saturday	6:00 PM	Bayard	Deceased of Oliveraz & Rodriguez Families
5/1	Sunday	8:00 AM	Dalton	For the People of the Parishes
	Sunday	10:30 AM	Bridgeport	Christopher Wise
	Sunday	6:00 PM	Bayard	Parish Council Meeting

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK -

We have begun our "Faith First: An Appeal for Your Soul" Diocesan Stewardship Appeal. We need the participation of all our parishioners. Most of you should have received a mailing from the Diocese a couple weeks ago. Please return your commitment card. A husband and wife can use the same card to designate your stewardship in the areas of prayer, study and service, as well as your financial gift or pledge. I appreciate the leadership of our lay chair people: Jon Albro at Sacred Heart, Don Landrigan at All Souls and Mike Olsufka at St. Mary's. If you misplaced your special card and envelope, there are extras available at church. The Appeal this year will cover 18 months since the next Appeal will not be until October 2017.

This is First Holy Communion Weekend in our three churches. We are proud of our young people who have been preparing to receive Jesus in the Eucharist for the very first time. They are excited. Parents do not deprive your children the opportunity to receive Jesus by not attending Mass each weekend. Do not sin by not fulfilling your parental responsibility. Children celebrating First Communion at St. Mary's are Claire Eckhardt and Alec Watchorn. Their teacher is Becky Murray. Those youth at Sacred Heart are: Shelbie McKibbin, Laisha Garza, Ashley Garza, Sharon Garza, Daisy Garza, Coy Fleming, Corbyn Fleming, Adrianna Ybarra, Isaiah Brown, Cruz Trevino, and Frida Martinez. Their teacher has been Mike O'Neal. Our young people at All Souls include: Annabel Sauer, Ethan Keszler, Adrian Gonzalez, Adan Velazquez, Alexine Turner, Jaily Nichols, Nikolas Weibert, Kendal Deaver, Davi Wiggins, Lily Stull, Raul Aguilar, Anahi Sosa, and Lorena Ramirez. Their Catechist was Jennifer Asche. Congratulations to you all.

As our religious education year draws close to the end, I encourage you to keep your children interested in learning by planning to have them attend the Catholic Bible School near the end of June at All Souls in Bridgeport. Becky Murray is helping to coordinate it. There will be dates and information forthcoming.

At Sacred Heart Church Mike O'Neal would like to offer a 15 minute "Before Mass Reading Preview" in which he would go over some points on that day's Scripture readings so the young people and youth might understand them better. You are invited to come a little early to check out this opportunity.

ALL SOULS HIGHWAY CLEAN UP THIS SUNDAY, APRIL 24th, AT 3:00 PM - Due to the inclement weather this weekend, the clean-up is planned for next Sunday. We need both youth and adults to gather at the Parish Center by 3:00. Bring your work gloves along. There will be pizza, dessert and refreshments afterwards at the Parish Center.

THIS WEEKEND - CATHOLIC HOME MISSIONS APPEAL COLLECTION - One way this Appeal works to support mission diocese in the U.S. is by supporting the cost of seminary formation in poor dioceses. Your support is needed for these young men so that they go back and serve their parishes. Thank you for your support.

UPCOMING PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS - Sacred Heart Council will meet next Sunday, May 1st at 6:00 PM. St. Mary's Council will meet on Monday, May 2nd at 6:00 PM. All Souls' Council will meet on Monday, May 16th at 7:00 PM.

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. ALL SOULS CCW is paying half the cost of four women from All Souls to attend the Assembly. There are still two positions available. Contact Carolyn Gusman. Go to gidccw.org for more information.

HIGHER GROUND WEEKS - MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS CONFIRMATION CANDIDATES - Any student completing their sophomore year or junior year of high school is eligible to attend. Come join 30-50 other young people and staff members in beautiful Ft. Robinson State Park near Crawford. Confirmation candidates will need to make a retreat. This would fulfill the requirement. It is a fun and exciting environment in which you learn Christian community building skills. Week One is May 29-June 3, 2016. Week Two is June 5-10. Week Three is June 12-17. The parish will help cover one-half of the registration. Register on-line by going to www.youthgidiocese.weebly.com Retreats will fill up quickly so register early to get the week you want.

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- Cleaning for May - Hoffman, Cadwallader, Araujo
- 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	\$763.00	\$735.00	\$195.00
Youth	\$13.00	\$0.00	\$9.00
Plate	\$88.00	\$20.31	\$451.00
SUB-TOTAL	\$864.00	\$755.31	\$655.00
Easter		\$20.00	
Stole Stipend	\$10.00		
Rent			
Catholic Home Mission			\$5.00
Diocesan Appeal	\$540.00	\$750.00	\$1,442.00
Building Fund			\$10.00
TOTALS	\$874.00	\$775.31	\$660.00

