

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 8/14 to 8/21:

8/15	Monday - Assumption of Mary 8:30 AM	Dalton	For All Souls in Purgatory
8/16	Tuesday 9:00 AM	Bridgeport	Mary Ardisson
8/17	Wednesday 8:30 AM	Dalton	James & Mary Fasbender
	Wednesday 7:00 PM	Bridgeport	DRE & Catechists Meeting
8/18	Thursday 9:00 AM	Bayard	Dorothy McDonald
8/19	Friday		No Service
	Friday 5:00-8:00 PM	Bridgeport Parish Center	- GARAGE SALE
8/20	Saturday 8:00-12:00 Noon	Bridgeport Parish Center	- GARAGE SALE
	Saturday 9:00 AM	Dalton	CHURCH CLEAN-UP DAY
	Saturday 6:00 PM	Bayard	John Michael Glasco
		Bayard	ICE CREAM SOCIAL AFTER MASS
8/21	Sunday 8:00 AM	Dalton	Larry & Collette Schmitt
	Sunday 10:30 AM	Bridgeport	For the People of the Parish

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK -

It is good to be back to the parish. I enjoyed my ten days away. I visited family and spent time along Lake Huron, visited Henry Ford's Greenfield Village in Dearborn, the Detroit Zoo, and walked the Riverwalk in Detroit. It was great to catch up with family members.

Although normally the Assumption is a holyday, it is not one of obligation this year. I do have one special Mass scheduled on Monday at 8:30 AM at Dalton St. Mary's. I hope some of you are able to celebrate Mass. It will be for all the souls in Purgatory.

Please remember in your prayers Gloria Lamer of All Souls who might have a liver transplant in Denver. She has been battling cancer. Also continue to remember Kay Miller in prayers for continued healing.

The metal railing has been installed on the cement ramp at St. Mary's. Our wooden ramp served us well for maybe 25 years, but some of the wood was deteriorating. This should help us for many more years.

We are planning a clean-up day at St. Mary's this coming Saturday, the 20th at 9:00 AM. Wear work clothes for painting, etc. Ron Devier is our contact person.

I've been visiting with Council members and Trustees at All Souls on the need for an additional two classrooms. We are checking into the possibility of making two new classrooms upstairs at the Parish Center. We need to get some estimates. Our numbers in religious education has been growing at All Souls.

Please get to me the names of interested people for our RCIA program (those interested in becoming Catholic). I need to be planning the program for September.

At the end of August I will publish a list of those who donated or pledged towards our Diocesan "Faith First" Appeal. I wish to acknowledge and express appreciation. New donors this month will be included.

I appreciate those who offer their services. Hal Brown every year takes care of the lawn mowing in the lots across from the church in Dalton. Colleen does a nice job with the outdoor flowers at St. Mary's. The Cruise family usually volunteers to do the lawn around the church as well. Michelle Keszler offers her service in caring for the flowers around the church in Bridgeport. I thank Braeden Stull at All Souls and Troy Meter at Sacred Heart in helping us with our lawns as well.

UPCOMING PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS - All Souls Council will meet on Monday, August 22nd at 7:00 PM. Sacred Heart Council is scheduled for Sunday, August 28th at 6:00 PM. St. Mary's Council will be Monday, August 29th at 6:00 PM. These will be our first meetings since our elections.

FAMILIES GROW VOCATIONS - Pray with your children. Night prayer is a natural time to teach prayer to children and to develop in them this important habit. Pray at meals. Use memorized prayer, but also include spontaneous prayer that comes from the heart. Teach them how to bring their concerns and needs to Jesus in prayer. They will learn what you model for them. Use the liturgical seasons of the year, such as Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter to bring special prayer to your home.

ALL SOULS GARAGE SALE - AUGUST 19-20TH - The sale will be at the Parish Center on Friday, the 19th from 5:00-8:00 PM and on Saturday, the 20th, from 8:00 to 12:00 Noon. Drop off items at the Center during that week, and please have your items priced.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION MEETINGS - All Religious Ed. Teachers at All Souls are asked to meet this Wednesday at 7:00 PM at the Parish Center. This is an important meeting. We need to set up meetings at St. Mary's and Sacred Heart as soon as possible to organize for the year.

Sacred Heart

- Cleaning for August: B. Sauer, O'Neal, Martinez
- 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:

	All Souls	7/31/2016	St. Mary's	7/31/2016	Sacred Heart	7/31/2016
Adult	\$768.00	\$568.00	\$980.00	\$1,740.00	\$610.00	\$75.00
Youth	\$12.00	\$8.00	\$2.00	\$0.00	\$6.00	\$0.00
Plate	\$604.00	\$76.00	\$40.00	\$67.86	\$58.00	\$140.00
SUB-TOTAL	\$1,384.00	\$652.00	\$1,022.00	\$1,807.86	\$674.00	\$215.00
Stole Stipend		\$10.00		\$40.00		
Rent	\$70.00					
Assumption of Mary					\$5.00	
Mission Appeal						
Diocesan Appeal	\$250.00	\$25.00	\$35.00			
Building Fund	\$288.00				\$30.00	
TOTALS	\$1,454.00	\$662.00	\$1,022.00	\$1,847.86	\$679.00	\$215.00

