

## Sacred Heart

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## All Souls

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**MASS TIMES - 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays, Mass will be at Bayard on Saturday at 6:00 pm.**  
Mass will be at Dalton at 8:00 a.m. on Sundays.  
**2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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 12/4 to 12/11:

12/4	Sunday	11:30 AM	Bridgeport	Communal Reconciliation Service
	Sunday	5:00 PM	Bridgeport High	Multipurpose- Community Appreciation Dinner 4 First Responders
12/5	Monday	6:00 PM	Bridgeport	CCW Christmas Party
	Monday	7:00 PM	Bridgeport	RCIA Class
12/6	Tuesday	9:00 AM	Bridgeport	Felix & Wanda Purol
	Tuesday	7:00 PM	Bridgeport	Parish Council Meeting
12/7	ANTICIPATED MASS FOR HOLY DAY			
	Wednesday	7:00 PM	Bayard	Joe E. & Patricia Lopez
12/8	SOLEMNITY FEAST OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION - HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION			
	Thursday	6:00 PM	Dalton	Special Intention
	Thursday	7:30 PM	Bridgeport	Dot Stull
12/9	First Friday	No Mass Today		
12/10	Saturday	5:00 PM	Dalton	Larry & Collette Schmitt
12/11	Sunday	8:00 AM	Bayard	Mary Araujo
	Sunday	10:30 AM	Bridgeport	For the People of the Parish
	Sunday	3:00 PM	Sidney St. Patrick's	Communal Reconciliation Service

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK –

PLEASE NOTE that we are changing to our WINTER SCHEDULE this weekend on Saturday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Saturday evening Masses will be at 5:00 PM instead of 6:00 PM at Bayard and Dalton until we go back to Daylight Savings Time in the Spring. Spread the word. This will help many people from traveling late in the dark during the winter months.

I encourage you to use your Little Blue Book and the family companion booklet as part of your Advent observance in preparing for Christmas. In addition do use the opportunity to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation. Following Mass this weekend at All Souls we are fortunate to have three priests at 11:30 AM to hear Confessions. A Communal Celebration with two priests will be available at Dalton St. Mary's at 6:30 PM on Wednesday, Dec. 14<sup>th</sup>. And then on Sat., Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> there will be two priests available after the 5:00 PM Mass at Bayard Sacred Heart. Celebrate the Sacrament as your special gift to our Lord.

I will need to be making a list of people who have keys to our church facilities at our three sites in order to comply with our property insurance policy. Your help will be appreciated.

Birthday wishes go out to Maxine Newkirk who recently celebrated her 95<sup>th</sup> birthday. Her husband Doug is now 97<sup>th</sup> years old. They are long-time parishioners at All Souls Parish.

NEXT WEEKEND - RETIREMENT FUND FOR RELIGIOUS COLLECTION - Please give to those who have given a lifetime. Your donation works for aging religious by helping to provide medications, nursing care, and more. These senior Catholic sisters, brothers and religious order priests haven their lives to educating the young, comforting the sick, and seeking justice for the oppressed. Please assist them in next weekend's special collection.

WORLDWIDE CANDLE LIGHTING CEREMONY - This ceremony is in loving memory of all children who are no longer with us. On Sunday, Dec. 11<sup>th</sup> the Evangelical Free Church is hosting the ceremony sponsored by The Compassionate Friends in Sidney at 6:00 PM. The church is located at 2763 11<sup>th</sup> Ave on the south side of Sidney. Family members will carry candles in memory of their loved one.

MATERIALS FOR "DRESSES TO HAITI" - Margaret McCabe is making the dresses to be sent to the very poor of Haiti. Could you donate pillow cases in any print or color and/or cotton fabric 1 1/8 yds in print or any color? She could also use packages of double fold bias tape (any color) and 1/4 wide elastic 16" to 18".

UPCOMING FEAST OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE - Mass on Monday, Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> will be at 7:00 PM at All Souls Church. There will be a fiesta meal to follow in the Parish Center.

CHRISTMAS MASS SCHEDULE - Christmas Eve, Dec. 24<sup>th</sup>, is on Saturday. The 5:00 PM Mass will be at Dalton St. Mary's. There will be a 9:00 PM Mass that evening at Bridgeport All Souls. Sunday, Dec. 25<sup>th</sup>, Christmas Day, will have a 9:00 AM Mass at Bayard Sacred Heart Church

### Sacred Heart

- Cleaning for December: All Members
- 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.
- **ASCCW Christmas party on Monday, December 5 at 6:00 pm.**

### Saint Mary's:

- The rosary is prayed one-half hour before Mass. Please come early and pray.
- Prayer line requests may be made to DeAnn Ernest – 249-1735.

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

	All Souls	St. Mary's	Sacred Heart
Adult	\$944.00	\$370.00	\$700.00
Youth	\$15.00	\$0.00	\$4.00
Plate	\$87.00	\$35.00	\$140.00
SUB-TOTAL	\$1,046.00	\$405.00	\$844.00
Stole Stipend			
Rent			
Resale Religious Art.			\$21.50
Diocesan Appeal			
Building Fund			
Building Fund-Classrooms			
TOTALS	\$1,046.00	\$405.00	\$865.50

