

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 10/8 to 10/15:

Date	Day	Time	Place	Intention
10/09	Monday	No Mass Today		
10/10	Tuesday	6.00 PM	Bridgeport	Helen Farro
10/11	Wednesday	No Mass Today		
10/12	Thursday	6.00 PM	Dalton	Theresa Dukesherer
10/13	Friday	6.00 PM	Bayard	People of God
10/14	Saturday	5.00 PM	Bridgeport	Dorothy Stull
10/08	Sunday	8.00 AM	Bayard	Health of Rita Nokes
	Sunday	11.00 AM	Dalton	O'Connell & Myers Family

Dear Sisters, Brothers, and Children in Jesus Christ,

After narrating the parable of the vineyard and the wicked tenants (Matthew 21:33-43), Jesus tells his listeners namely chief priests and elders of his community: "The Kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to a people that will produce fruits" (Matthew 21:43). It's a very scary and dangerous conclusion that Jesus makes. It is terrifying to think that he may be saying the same thing to me today. Am I producing sufficient fruits? Not any sort of fruits, but good and quality fruits. If not, it is likely that the vineyard will be taken out of me and given to some others who are serious about producing good fruits.

From the parable it is evident that one of the primary and foundational indicators to check whether I am producing good fruits or not is to examine whether Jesus is the corner stone of my life or not. If I now realize that having rejected him at some point in my life and gone in search of something else and built my life upon any such abominable, dirty stuff, it is now time to restart all over again. Hopefully he will not take away the Kingdom from me forever. Further, despite having accepted him as my corner stone, if I still don't produce enough good fruits, it is for me to have recourse to God in prayer, and actively involve myself in the life of my community where I belong.

Yours in Christ Jesus,
Fr.C.P.Varghese
Pastor

THE MASS SCHEDULE FOR THE MONTHS OF OCTOBER, NOVEMBER & DECEMBER 2017		
DAY	TIME	PLACE
MONDAY		No Mass
TUESDAY	6.00 PM	All Souls Church, Bridgeport

WEDNESDAY	6.30 PM Children's Mass	Three Churches in rotation
THURSDAY	6.00 PM	St. Mary's Church, Dalton
FRIDAY	6.00 PM	Sacred Heart Church, Bayard
SATURDAY	5.00 PM	All Souls Church, Bridgeport
SUNDAY	8.00 AM	Sacred Heart Church, Bayard
SUNDAY	11.00 AM	St. Mary's Church, Dalton

THE STEWARDSHIP COMMUNITY GATHERINGS THIS WEEK

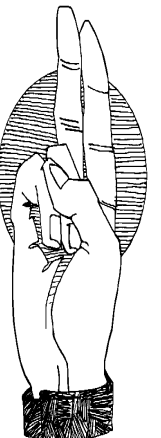
TUESDAY (October 10, 2017)	7.00 PM – 8.00 PM	All Souls Parish – Community B Steve & Sue Wiggins 10077 US Hwy 385 (Phone: 308-262-1140)
THURSDAY (October 12, 2017)	7.00 PM – 8.00 PM	St. Mary's Parish -Community Dalton Eleanor Ernest 310 Wabasha, Dalton (Phone: 308-377-2393)
FRIDAY (October 13, 2017)	7.00 PM – 8.00 PM	Sacred Heart Parish – Community B Cecilia Sanchez 534 3 rd Avenue, Bayard (Phone: 308-586-1558)

Kindly take note of the following:

- As it used to be earlier, Fr.C.P. will be available for sacrament of reconciliation 30 minutes before weekend masses.
- 'Living Faith' booklets for October – December, 2017 are available at the entrance of the Church. Please pick your copies.
- This year 'Life Chain' at Bridgeport will be on Sunday October 15th starting at 2.00 PM till 3.00 PM. We will meet at the corner of 5th and Main Street.
- St. Mary's Dalton Harvest Dinner will be on Sunday October 22nd, 2017 serving from 11.30 AM to 1.30 PM. Food – Fried Chicken, salads, pies, smashed potatoes, pork chops etc.
- St. Mary's Dalton needs glass canning jars that use regular lids. They also need extra rings for the jars. Please take them to De Ann Ernest at Dalton.
- At Bayard, on Sunday, October 15th after the mass, we will do High Way Clean Up.

Our Gift to God: Last Weekend's Collection

	All Souls	St. Mary's	9/24/20	Sacred Heart
Adult	\$678.00	\$995.00	\$475.00	\$500.00
Children	\$2.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12.00
Plate	\$192.00	\$47.00	\$11.00	\$186.20
SUB-TOTAL	\$872.00	\$1,042.00	\$486.00	\$698.20
Mass Stipend			\$20.00	\$10.00
Resale Rel. Articles				
Hurricane Relief	\$100.00			
West NE Register		\$35.00	\$35.00	
Diocesan Appeal				
Building Fund	\$25.00	\$230.00	\$30.00	
TOTALS	\$972.00	\$1,077.00	\$541.00	\$708.20



All Souls:

- Prayer line requests may be made to Carolyn 262-0453 or Teresa - 262-0439.
- The rosary is prayed one-half hour before Mass. Please come early and pray.

Sacred Heart

- Cleaning for October: Brandt, Lujan, Cawley
- Prayer chain requests may be made to Paula Contreras

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.
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