



St. Mary's Church  
Dalton, NE 69131



All Souls' Church  
Bridgeport, NE 69336



Sacred Heart Church  
Bayard, NE 69334

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Dear Sisters, Brothers, and Children in Jesus Christ,

Through the prophet Jeremiah, God revealed God's desire to renew the covenant with the people of Israel (Jer. 31:31-34). "I will place my law within them and write it upon their hearts" (V. 33). So, now the time has come that God's people will have to work towards keeping their hearts clean and neat, if they want God to rule over them. They have a model in Jesus who placed his heart in constant submission to the will of his Father. The Father glorified him as his beloved son, although that glorification consisted primarily in his going to the cross willfully. Should we also not try to make our hearts as submissive and obedient as Christ did? "Our hearts are restless until they find their rest in you O Lord, their creator" (St. Augustine).

Everything that is unclean and impure needs to go away from our hearts in order that we keep them worthy of God's presence. Lent is a time to examine our hearts and lives and remove everything that is filthy, dirty, and stinging so we could shape them where God can remain. And God will inscribe there God's law (of love) as promised through Jeremiah, so everyone who enters our hearts and our lives can see that we are true disciples of Jesus, not merely by our words but more by our actions.

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

**THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS THIS WEEK**

**Monday (March 19<sup>th</sup>) 5.30 PM BRIDGEPORT**  
**Thursday (March 22<sup>nd</sup>) 5.30 PM DALTON**  
**Friday (March 23<sup>rd</sup>) 5.30 PM BAYARD**

**LENTE RECONCILIATION SERVICE**

**03/21 Wednesday 6.30 PM Bayard**

**COMBINED MEETING OF STEWARDSHIP COUNCILS OF 3 PARISHES**

**03/26 Monday 7.00 PM BRIDGEPORT**

**MASS SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK**

Date	Day	Time	Place	Intention
03/19	Monday	6.00 PM	Bridgeport	Solemnity of St. Joseph
03/20	Tuesday	<b>4.00 PM CHRISM MASS</b>	<b>at St. Patrick Church, North Platte</b>	
03/21	Wednesday	6.30 PM	Bayard	Lenten Reconciliation Service
03/22	Thursday	6.00 PM	Dalton	For moisture for crops
03/23	Friday	6.00 PM	Bayard	Walt & Dorothy Thummel
03/24	Saturday	5.00 PM	Dalton	Marjorie Shupe
03/25	Sunday	8.00 AM	Bridgeport	PALM SUNDAY
03/25	Sunday	10.30 AM	Bayard	PALM SUNDAY

**ALL SOULS  
701 P STREET  
BRIDGEPORT NE 69336**

**JAN/FEB/MAR - MASS TIME**

Tuesday—6:00 PM  
Sunday—8:00 AM

**Community Gathering**

**March 19 (Monday)**  
**St. Sebastian**  
**John Wallen**  
**606 1/2 N St, Bridgeport**  
**(307 - 338 - 7056)**

**OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH**

ADULTS	\$678.00
CHILDREN	\$5.00
PLATE	\$920.00
SUBTOTAL	\$1,603.00
MASS STIPEND	
EASTER FLOWERS	\$20.00
CATHOLIC RELIEF	\$127.00
TOTAL	\$1,750.00
BUILDING FUND	
APPEAL	

- An 8-week series of Adult Spiritual Enrichment Program titled 'Who Am I to Judge?' by Dr. Edward Sri, on Wednesdays at 7.30 pm.
- **March 19<sup>th</sup> Monday 5.30 PM Stations of the Cross followed by Mass in honor of St. Joseph (Solemnity)**
- Prayer Line requests may be made to Carolyn-262-0453 or Teresa-262-0439.
- All are invited to a fish fry on Friday, the 23<sup>rd</sup>, from 5:30 to 7:00 pm.

**SACRED HEART  
942 AVE B  
BAYARD NE 69334**

**JAN/FEB/MAR - MASS TIME**

Friday - 6:00 PM  
Sunday - 10:30 AM

**Community Gathering**

**March 23**  
**St. Augustine**  
**Daniel & Janet Dailey**  
**10659 Road 81, Bayard**  
**(308 - 641 - 3380)**

**OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH**

ADULTS	\$585.00
CHILDREN	\$29.50
PLATE	\$176.00
SUBTOTAL	\$ 790.50
MASS STIPEND	\$10.00
CATHOLIC RELIEF	\$20.00
TOTAL	\$ 820.50
BUILDING FUND	
APPEAL	

- Ladies' Lenten Study Group meeting at 9.00 AM on Tuesday, at Lorraine Kizzire's.
- Cleaning for Easter: Janet Daily and Mary Mau.
- Prayer line requests may be made to Paula-586-2992.



**SAINT MARY'S  
EAST FRANCIS ST  
DALTON NE 69131**

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**JAN/FEB/MAR - MASS TIME**

Thursday - 6:00 PM  
Saturday - 5:00 PM

**Community Gathering**

**March 22**  
**St. Boniface**  
**Jim & Susan Ernest**  
**5655 Road 139, Lodgepole**  
**(308 - 377 - 2670)**

**OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH**

ADULTS	\$335.00
CHILDREN	
PLATE	\$63.00
SUBTOTAL	\$ 398.00
MASS STIPEND	
CATHOLIC RELIEF	\$59.00
TOTAL	\$ 457.00
BUILDING FUND	
APPEAL	

- The rosary is prayed ½ hour before Mass. Please come early and pray.
- Prayer line requests may be made to DeAnn-249-1735.

