



St. Mary's Church
Dalton, NE 69131



All Souls' Church
Bridgeport, NE 69336
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Sacred Heart Church
Bayard, NE 69334

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Dear Sisters, Brothers, and Children in Jesus Christ,

In the first reading of today (Exodus 16:2-4,12-15) we see people of Israel grumbling against their God. They forget everything that God has done for them and start murmuring. They even feel that it was better that they were in slavery under the Egyptians rather than starve in the desert. Despite their ingratitude, God still does not give up on them. Instead, God gives them Manna from heaven to satiate their hunger. Our God is someone who comes after us even when we turn away and go our own way. God is our good shepherd who comes in search of the lost sheep.

In the gospel (John 6: 24-35) Jesus reminds us that he is the bread come down from heaven. If we eat his flesh and drink his blood, we will not die but will have eternal life. We will have life in Jesus. In other words, we will not any more be our old selves. Every time we receive Jesus' body and blood into ourselves we are allowing Jesus to change our whole being into the being and likeness of Jesus. That is the reason why Paul in today's second reading, writes to the Church in Ephesus (4:17,20-24) that they should put away the old self of their former way of life, corrupted through deceitful desires, and be renewed in the spirit of their minds, and put on the new self, created in God's way in righteousness and holiness of truth.

But it is not easy to put on the new nature of Christ. It is demanding and challenging to live like how Jesus lived on this earth. Yet, that is what is expected of every Christian by the virtue of their baptism. Loving one another as Jesus loves is with an unconditional attitude is quite difficult. Forgiving the offence that is grave and severe demand a lot of humbling and chastening from the part of the offended. Yet, that is what we are called to do.

Yours in Christ Jesus,

Fr. C. P. Varghese

Pastor

PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS

St. Mary's Church, Dalton – 11.30 AM on Sunday (08/05/2018)

Sacred Heart Church, Bayard – 6.00 PM on Monday (08/06/2018)

All Souls Church, Bridgeport – 7.00 PM on Saturday (08/11/2018)

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

Date	Day	Time	Place	Intention
08/06	Monday	No Mass Today		
08/07	Tuesday	6.00 PM	8404 Road 115 Broadwater	Community Day Celebrations
08/08	Wednesday	No Mass Today		
08/09	Thursday	6.00 PM	7031 Road 123, Broadwater	Community Day Celebrations
08/10	Friday	6.00 PM	536 East 5 th Street, Bayard	Community Day Celebrations
08/11	Saturday	6.00 PM	Bridgeport	Doug Phipps
08/12	Sunday	8.00 AM	Bayard	Theresa Pelzer
08/12	Sunday	10.30 AM	Dalton	
08/12	Sunday	5.00 PM	Bridgeport	Spanish Mass & Potluck Dinner

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

JUL/AUG/SEP - MASS TIME

Tuesday – 6:00 PM

Saturday – 6:00 PM

**St. Francis Assisi
Community Day
Celebrations**

(Tuesday, 08/07/2018)

David & Peggy Backer

8404 Road 115 Broadwater

Phone: (308)489-5405

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	260.00
CHILDREN	0.00
PLATE	85.00
SUBTOTAL	345.00
MASS STIPEND	\$50.00
RENT	
TOTAL	395.00
BUILDING FUND	
APPEAL	

- Prayer line requests may be made to Carolyn-262-0453 or Teresa – 262-0439.
- The rosary is prayed ½ hour before Mass please come and pray.
- **Community Day Celebration and Mass for St. Francis of Assisi Community. (Mass and Potluck)**



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

JUL/AUG/SEP - MASS TIME

Friday – 6:00 PM

Sunday – 8:00 AM

**St. Leo
Community Day
Celebrations**

(Friday, 08/10/2018)

Douglas & Nancy Brandt

536 E Street, Bayard

Phone: (308)586-1429

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	578.00
CHILDREN	7.95
PLATE	153.00
SUBTOTAL	738.95
MASS STIPEND	20.00
TOTAL	\$758.95
BUILDING FUND	15.00
APPEAL	15.00

- Prayer line requests may be made to Paula – 586-2992.
- **Community Day Celebration and Mass for St. Leo Community. (Mass and Potluck)**



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

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JUL/AUG/SEP - MASS TIME

Thursday – 6:00 PM

Sunday – 10.30 AM

**St. Anthony
Community Day
Celebrations**

(Thursday, 08/09/2018)

William & Rebecca Murray

7031 Road 123, Broadwater

Phone: (308)377-2327

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	750.00
CHILDREN	0.00
PLATE	20.00
SUBTOTAL	770.00
MASS STIPEND	
EASTERN EUROPE	
TOTAL	770.00
BUILDING FUND	
APPEAL	

- Prayer line requests may be made to DeAnn – 249-1735.
- **Community Day Celebration for St. Anthony Community (Mass and Potluck)**

