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Dalton, NE 69131



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Dear Sisters, Brothers and Children in Jesus Christ,
As Christians, as disciples of Jesus, our first emotional expression towards anyone who has done a mistake, broken a law or committed an offence or crime should be one of compassion. That is what we see in the gospels as Jesus showed all through his life. He never condemned any person for their mistakes. We have the examples of Zacchaeus (the tax collector), Mary Magdalene (from whom he cast out seven demons), the woman caught in adultery, the repentant thief and so on. Today's liturgy presents us with the episode of woman caught in adultery (John 8:1-11). The pharisees and the Sadducees who brought her to Jesus were not concerned about her personhood. For them, she was just a case, an object and a thing that would be used as an instrument to get Jesus trapped. But for Jesus, she was a person. How often do we treat people as objects and isolate them because of their failures! I believe, on our part we should make efforts to put ourselves into their shoes and see whether there is some justification for their seemingly offensive behavior.

Jesus tells us that we have no right to make a false judgement on others. First of all, we need to be freed of faults and errors ourselves. Only then we have the right to make judgement on others' behavior. Secondly, we should always provide people with a second chance as Jesus did. But only if we have a compassionate heart, we would give a second or a third chance to others.

Jesus does not just blindly communicate that it is quite okay to sin (here, commit adultery). Rather, he challenges the woman not to sin again. Thus, he expresses his belief in human ability to better themselves. As disciples of Jesus we need to do the same in our world today.

Yours in Christ Jesus,

Fr. C. P. Varghese

Pastor

Stations of the Cross During Lent

Tuesdays: 5.30 PM at All Souls, Bridgeport

Thursdays: 5.30 PM at St. Mary's Dalton

Fridays: 5.30 PM at Sacred Heart, Bayard

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

Date	Day	Time	Place	Intention
04/08	Monday	4.00 PM	North Platte	Christm Mass
04/09	Tuesday	6.00 PM	Bridgeport	
04/10	Wednesday	6.00 PM	Bridgeport	Lenten Reconciliation Service
04/11	Thursday	6.00 PM	Dalton	Safety of James Butcher & Crew
04/12	Friday	6.00 PM	Bayard	Jamie, Haley, Lilly Defoe
04/13	Saturday	5.30 PM	Bayard	Boyd Williamson
04/14	Sunday	8.00 AM	Dalton	Safety of James Butcher & Crew
04/14	Sunday	10.30 AM	Bridgeport	People of God
04/14	Sunday	5.00 PM	Bridgeport	Spanish Mass

ALL SOULS
701 P STREET
BRIDGEPORT NE 69336

JAN – APRIL : MASS TIME

Tuesday – 6:00 PM

Sunday – 10.30 AM

Holy Week Services

Palm Sunday: 10.30 AM

Holy Thursday: 6 PM

(Adoration: 7-11 PM)

Good Friday: 3 PM

Easter Vigil: 6 PM

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	\$590.00
CHILDREN	\$6.00
PLATE	\$207.00
SUBTOTAL	\$ 803.00
MASS STIPEND	
CANDLE MONEY	\$54.04
CATHOLIC RELIEF	\$45.00
EASTER FLOWERS	\$5.00
TOTAL	\$ 907.04
BUILDING FUND	
APPEAL	

FISH FRY:

APRIL 12

LENTEN RECONCILIATION SERVICE:

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 630 PM

- Prayer line requests may be made to Carolyn-262-0453 or Teresa – 262-0459.
- The rosary is prayed ½ hr. before Mass, please come and pray.
- **APPEAL UPDATE:** Amount Due-\$7193; Amount pledged-\$4160; Amount Due **\$3033.**
18 Donors.

SACRED HEART
942 AVE B
BAYARD NE 69334

JAN – APRIL : MASS TIME

Friday – 6:00 PM

Saturday – 5.30 PM

Holy Week Services

Palm Sunday/(Sat): 5.30 PM

Holy Thursday: 4 PM

(Adoration: 5-9 PM)

Good Friday: 6 PM

Easter Vigil: 9 PM

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	\$436.00
CHILDREN	
PLATE	\$457.00
SUBTOTAL	\$893.00
MASS STIPEND	
INSURANCE REFUND	\$10.00
CATHOLIC RELIEF	\$64.00
HOME MISSIONS	\$5.00
EASTER OFFERING	\$20.00
HOLY LAND	\$5.00
TOTAL	\$ 997.00
BUILDING FUND	\$10.00
APPEAL	

- Prayer line requests may be made to Paula – 586-2992.
- The rosary is prayed ½ hr. before Mass, please come and pray.
- **APPEAL UPDATE:** Amount Due-3487; Amount pledged-2960; Amount Due - **\$527.**
16 Donors.

SAINT MARY'S
718 FRANCIS ST
DALTON NE 69131

JAN – APRIL : MASS TIME

Thursday – 6:00 PM

Sunday – 8.00 AM

Holy Week Services

Palm Sunday: 8 AM

Holy Thursday: 8 PM

(Adoration: 9-12 PM)

Good Friday: 12 PM

Easter Sunday: 8 AM

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	\$950.00
CHILDREN	\$1.00
PLATE	\$6.00
SUBTOTAL	\$ 957.00
MASS STIPEND	
CATHOLIC RELIEF	\$25.00
EASTER FLOWERS	\$40.00
TOTAL	\$1,022.00
BUILDING FUND	\$100.00
APPEAL	

- Prayer line requests may be made to DeAnn- 249-1735.
- **APPEAL UPDATE:** Amount Due:\$5671; Amount Pledged - \$5986.59; OVERPAID: \$315.59
12 Donors

