



St. Mary's Church
Dalton, NE 69131



All Souls' Church
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Dear Sisters, Brothers and Children in Jesus Christ,

Today's readings show that the early Christians understood how Jesus had fulfilled the expectations of ancient Israel. Describing the humble beginning of the public ministry of Jesus, today's Scripture readings teach us that Christ has brought us from the darkness of sin into the Light of God (4:16) by calling us to repentance (4:17) and the acceptance of God's rule over us.

The first reading contains the prophetic reference to Christ as the Light that dispels darkness. Matthew wanted his readers to recognize that the Light of which Isaiah spoke had finally appeared with the coming of Jesus. The refrain for today's Responsorial Psalm (Ps 27) reminds us, *The Lord is my Light and my Salvation*. The second reading advises the Corinthians to live as children of the Light, avoiding divisions and rivalries, because several factions had arisen among the Corinthian Christians, each claiming allegiance to its first Christian teacher or to a particular Apostle. In today's Gospel passage (Mt 4:12-23), Matthew explains that what Isaiah prophesied has been fulfilled through the preaching and healing ministry of Jesus. By his ministry of inviting people to the Kingdom of God through repentance, Jesus has brought Light to peoples living in darkness, thus fulfilling God's original promise. In addition, the Gospel describes the call of the first disciples (4:18-22), and Jesus' own preaching, teaching, and healing ministry which has led people to repent of their sins and accept the Good News of God's rule (the Kingdom of God). He has also chosen ordinary fishermen with no formal training in Mosaic Law to preach the Good News, and they have been very effective instruments in the hands of the Holy Spirit, continuing Jesus' mission to the world.

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

SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

Date	Day	Time	Place	Intention
01/27	Monday	No Mass Today		
01/28	Tuesday	6.00 PM	Bridgeport	Oneva Lummel
01/29	Wednesday	No Mass Today		
01/30	Thursday	6.00 PM	Dalton	For the deceased of Kettler Family
01/31	Friday	No Mass Today		
02/01	Saturday	5.30 PM	Dalton	Richard Van Anne
02/02	Sunday	8.00 AM	Bayard	For the health of Haden
02/02	Sunday	10.30 AM	Bridgeport	Oneva Lummel

ALL SOULS
617 P STREET
BRIDGEPORT NE 69336

JANUARY - APRIL:
MASS TIME

Tuesday — 6:00 PM
Sunday — 10.30 AM

St. Claire Community
gathering after mass on
Tuesday, January 28th at
Parish Hall

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	\$630.00
CHILDREN	\$4.75
PLATE	\$303.00
SUBTOTAL	\$ 937.75
MASS STIPEND	
LATIN AMERICA	\$10.00
TOTAL	\$ 947.75
BUILDING FUND	\$2.00
HEAT/AC	\$1,000.00
APPEAL GOAL	\$5,484.00
DONATIONS	\$5,685.00
BALANCE	(\$201.00)

- Prayer line requests may be made to Carolyn-262-0453 or Teresa-262-0439.
- The rosary is prayed ½ hr before Mass, please come and pray.



SACRED HEART
1003 AVE B
BAYARD NE 69334

JANUARY - APRIL:
MASS TIME

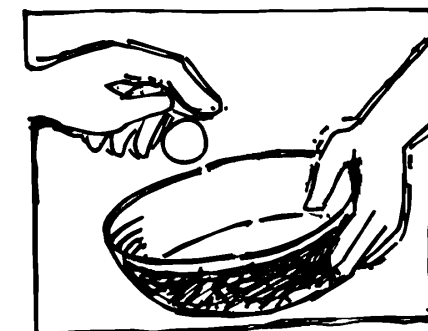
Friday — 6:00 PM
Sunday — 8.00 AM

No Community Gathering
this week

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	\$435.00
CHILDREN	
PLATE	\$100.00
SUBTOTAL	\$ 535.00
MASS STIPEND	\$30.00
TOTAL	\$ 565.00
BUILDING FUND	
APPEAL GOAL	\$3,403.00
DONATIONS	\$4,525.00
BALANCE	(\$1,122.00)

- Prayer line requests may be made to Paula-586-2992.
- The rosary is prayed ½ hr before Mass, please come and pray.



SAINT MARY'S
718 FRANCIS ST
DALTON NE 69131

JANUARY - APRIL:
MASS TIME

Thursday — 6:00 PM
Saturday — 5.30 PM

No Community Gathering
this week

OUR GIFTS TO GOD & CHURCH

ADULTS	\$1380.00
CHILDREN	
PLATE	\$14.00
SUBTOTAL	\$1,394.00
MASS STIPEND	
TOTAL	\$1,394.00
BUILDING FUND	
APPEAL GOAL	\$5,502.00
DONATIONS	\$6003.00
BALANCE	(\$501.00)

- Prayer line requests may be made to DeAnn-249-1735.

