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Welcome:

If you are a new parishioner, or visiting for the first time, welcome to Holy Cross Catholic Church! We are happy you are here and hope you find our parish home to be a warm and welcoming place. If you would like to become a member of our parish, please check with the parish office or give us a call.

Homebound: For Communion to the sick or the homebound, please call the parish office.

St. Vincent de Paul: Food Pantry hours: Tuesday, 10am - noon and Thursday evenings, 5:30 - 7pm.

Funerals: To ensure the availability of a priest and the church, please call the office before you make arrangements with the funeral director.

Baptism Preparation: Classes offered as needed. Please contact the parish staff for more information. Se ofrece una clase cada tercer sábado del mes a las 10 de la mañana.

Senior Luncheon: We are working on re-establishing the Luncheons and will notify everyone when we are ready to offer lunch once a month for Seniors and Friends.

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MASS SCHEDULE

Tuesday - Friday: 8am Rosary, 8:30am Mass

Saturday: 5pm Vigil, English

Sunday: 9am, English & 12pm, Español

Adoration: Thursdays, 8:30am-8:30pm

Adoración al Santísimo: jueves, 8:30am-8:30pm

Reconciliation: Wednesdays, 7pm & Fridays, 9am

Reconciliación: miércoles, 7pm y viernes, 9am

Anointing of the Sick: Second Wednesday of each month following the 8:30am Mass.
(Anointing is available at all hours in emergency.)

School Mass: Fridays, 8:30am (Sept.—June)

St. Vincent de Paul: Extra hours each “Final Sunday” of the month, after the Spanish Mass

October 14th & 15th, 2023: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Church Teaches...



Have you ever thought about the king in Matthew 22, 1-14 who wanted *so desperately* to fill up his banquet hall and hear the sounds of music and joyful laughter ... but who was sorely disappointed by refusal after refusal? This is God revealing Himself to us through Jesus' parable. And the God being revealed here is the same God whose friendship was turned down by His "first love," Eve and Adam. Our first ancestors traded God's company for the company of a snake. Talk about disappointment!

For those first hearing this parable from Jesus, that connection with the Creation account in Genesis would have been unmistakable. As Adam and Eve were banished from Paradise for their refusal, these latter ones in the parable would meet the same fate. As Jesus' story goes on, we listen sadly to the excuses of the people who were invited. They were so busy "making a living" that they had no time for "life." That is what this is all about: priorities and life.

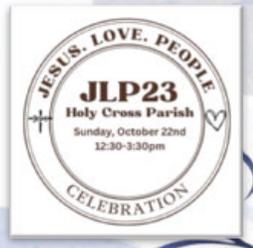
A God who wants us, so intensely, to be with Him that He is willing to risk the life of His only Son (in order to gather us in) is the central player here. But we have a part in the parable, too. How often, though, are we too busy running from this to that, worried about bills and deadlines, schedules and appointments that there is little spiritual life in us at all ... or no lasting relationship with the One who invites us into His life?

At this point in the parable, the Gospel shifts its focus all the more to us – with a chilling message. Jesus offers an allegory about someone who came, but got tossed out. It seems unfair at first, but the issue is not really about his clothing. The real insult is the man's silence. He refuses to respond to the question. This is someone who's just there to watch, someone who *came in* but does not *join in*. This is someone who really has no excuse ... and nothing to say.

Do we appreciate how Jesus has now shifted the attention from the Pharisees to the Church with this allegory? He reminds us that just *showing up* is really not what is expected of us. Apathetic spectators do not make disciples! Jesus is proposing that His followers (from age to age) accept the invitation to enter into the fullness of His life. In order to do so, we need to begin really living the life of faith into which we have been invited. Are we ready to go there?

Save the Date ... JLP23!

**Sunday, Oct. 22nd,
12:30-3:30pm**



Bulletin Announcements



Holy Cross School News—A Message from the Principal, Mr. Tagorda: I hope y'all are staying healthy as "sweater weather" and the "spooky season" quickly approach. Thankfully, the wave of COVID cases has passed for now at Holy Cross. I'm sure they'll make their way back at some point, but I appreciate all of us continuing healthy practices at school and at home. That's just good life skills in general!

Last week, I was able to visit the 6th graders at **Outdoor School**, and the visit was full of bright sun and bright smiles. I'm thankful the kids got to learn in an environment outside the classroom and experience the joys of God's creation firsthand.

Holy Cross Parents' Association Raffle!

The HCPA raises and donates at least \$50,000 annually back to the school. This money is used for tuition assistance, school updates, curriculum & classroom equipment, professional development, or wherever the administration deems necessary.



Read more about the Raffle on the school HCPA website or by clicking on the following link: [Holy Cross Catholic Church Raffle to Support the Parents' Association RallyUp](#). Thank you for your support of this important community fundraiser!

World Mission Sunday—

On October 22nd, get ready to set your "Hearts on Fire, Feet on the Move" for World Mission Sunday!



Next weekend, we will unite with fellow Catholics globally to mark World Mission Sunday. As we reflect on Pope Francis' compelling theme, we're invited to enkindle the flame of Christ's love and spread its warmth to Mission territories in Asia, Africa, the Pacific Islands, and parts of Latin America and Europe.

Prepare to support the Society for the Propagation of the Faith with prayers and generosity. Thank you for being a beacon of Christ's love!

For more information, please go to:
www.onefamilyinmission.org



CALLING ALL VETERANS —Our students will be making cards to thank our veterans on Veterans Day. Is someone in your home a veteran? Do your children have a grandparent or other relative who

is a veteran, or do you know a Holy Cross graduate or parishioner who served our country?

If so, please provide their name, address, and their connection to Holy Cross. You may email this information to Julie Johnson, our Development Director, at jjohnson@archdpdx.org.

Bulletin Announcements: Activities & Opportunities



40 Days for Life 2023 Prayer Vigil Registration

Please spread the word regarding this Fall's 40 Days for Life Campaign. This past Lent Vigil, we had record-breaking turnout in Portland and we plan to break those records again with your support! 40 Days for Life is an internationally coordinated 40-day campaign that aims to end abortion locally through prayer and fasting, community outreach, and peaceful all-day vigils in front of abortion businesses. Help us turn the tides to a culture of life here in Oregon by sharing the campaign with your parishioners! For more information, please go to: www.40daysforlife.com/en/portlandor.

The St. Vincent de Paul Conference—
“Extra” opportunity for food pick-up,
Sunday, Oct. 29th at 1pm.



All are welcome!

At this time, our SVdP Food Pantry is in need of:

- Toilet Paper
- Facial Tissue Boxes
- Toothbrushes/Toothpaste
- Shampoo
- Body Soap Bars
- Deodorant

Contributions may be delivered directly to the pantry during pantry hours (Tuesdays, 10—noon & Thursdays, 5:30—7pm) or dropped off at the Parish Office.

Family Promise of Metro East—Did you know that there are 2,800 Multnomah County students in grades K-8 who experience homelessness each year? Did you know that a single parent needs to make \$29.50 per hour and work 40 hours a week to afford a modest 2-bedroom apartment in Portland?



A new ministry has been formed to address “houselessness” in our community and several parishes are getting involved. Please ask Fr. Mark for details or look for flyers at the entrances of the church.

Searching?
If you wish to learn more about the Catholic Faith or just want to ask questions? We will have conversations in a relaxed setting.
SESSIONS IN OCT.
Holy Cross Catholic Church
1st and 2nd Sundays
Third Thursdays

RCIA—We have seven men & women joining our RCIA process. Please keep these Candidates and Catechumens in your prayers. May the Lord guide all of us to become closer to HIM.

For more information about the RCIA process, please call Mary Jane Weber at 503.313.2832.



Greenstreet Piano Dedication & 59th Wedding Anniversary Blessing—

We remain grateful to Gary and Sally Greenstreet for donating their family piano to our parish (it sure sounds great).

The Greenstreets are going to join us for Mass on Saturday, Oct. 21st, at 5pm. We will dedicate the piano and bless them as they will celebrate their 59th wedding anniversary on October 24th.

Blessing of the Animals—
About 20 dogs and 8 or so cats were accompanied by their human companions on the recent “day of blessing” for pets and animals.



If any human companions missed the chance to bring your pets, look for the prayer card at the church doors.



As we find ourselves making progress toward building our new **Community Center** (with frequent Building Committee” meetings, leadership meetings, Capital Campaign committee meetings, cooperation with our architects and consultants, and meeting with the Archdiocese to report on our progress), our **Capital Campaign** has, as they say, “plateaued.” We have been inching upward on our Campaign “thermometer” – hoping to reach (soon) the \$1.3 million mark. We are also pursuing gifts from a variety of foundations and other sources.

If you are still waiting to make a pledge of commitment, please do so soon. There is so much good will in our community right now and we have been encouraged by the active parish-wide participation we have seen.

As of this month, we are closing the old parish center (the convent), so that we can do what is called “abatement.” Small levels of asbestos were discovered in floor tiles, for example, and all of that needs to be professionally removed prior to demolition — which may happen before Christmas!

We want to thank Chris Augeri and his many helpers who removed an enormous amount of “stuff” which had previously been stored in the convent. We also want to thank the generous helpers who pitched in on the “Convent Clean Out Sale.”

Our new Community Center is not going to build our community, as if from “scratch.” It is going to build on the community we already have ... that is precisely how it is going to **bless our future!** Let us thank the good Lord!

Upcoming Key Dates/Events:

October 15th:

- First Communion Classes, 10:15am to 11:45am
 - Confirmation Classes, 10:15am to 11:45am
 - High School Youth Group, 1:15pm

October 21st:

- Confirmation Retreat at the Grotto! 9am—4pm

October 22nd:

- First Communion Classes, 10:15am to 11:45am
 - Captains Youth Group, 1:15pm

October 29th:

- All Saints' Day Celebration!

Come to Mass dressed as your favorite saint!

November 1st:

All Saints' Day!

November 5th:

- First Communion Classes, 10:15am to 11:45am
 - Confirmation Classes, 10:15am to 11:45am
 - Jr. High Youth Group, 1:15pm
 - 5th - 6th Grade Youth Group, 1:15pm

November 12th:

- Youth Masses at 9am & Noon
- Family Faith Fun Carnival for Families, between the Masses at the Gym

Everyone is welcome!

Join us for LIFT Youth Groups!

Our parish community is working hard to inspire and bring together our youth. Our LIFT Program is designed for our seventh through twelfth grade teens. Each Sunday, from 1:15pm to 2:30pm, we have teen time! Please join us!



LIFT JV is for our 7th and 8th graders!

We meet every first Sunday of the month at 1:15pm in the school hall. (Nov. 5th!)



LIFT Varsity is for our 9th to 12th graders!

We meet every third Sunday of the month at 1:15pm in the school hall. (Today!)



LIFT Captains is for our teen leaders!

We meet every fourth Sunday of the month at 1:15pm in the school hall. (Oct. 22nd!)

Our First Family, Faith, Fun: October 8th!

Last weekend, we had our first Family, Faith, Fun Day of the year. It was an amazing day! We began with our monthly Youth Mass and then we celebrated our Family, Faith, Fun Day in the gym. Our teen leaders guided the children of our community in games, crafts, and activities to learn about our Catholic faith. **THANK YOU** to our teen and adult leaders who led our children!

Come and join us Sunday, November 12th, for our next Family Faith Day!



HEY TEENS! WANT TO GROW IN FAITH?

Come with our parish group to the Steubenville NW Conference in July 2024! If you are currently in 8th-12th grade, you can join us next summer!

Our fundraising events have begun, so please contact Andrea Swanson if you'd like to join us: aswanson@archdpdx.org.

Important Dates

October 15: 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 18: Confessions, 7pm

October 19: Adoration, 8:30am-8:30pm

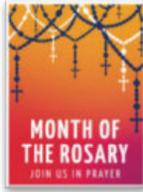
October 20: Confessions, 9am

October 22: 29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

World Mission Sunday

JLP Celebration! 12:30-3:30pm

October 25: Confessions, 7pm



Next Week's Readings— October 21st & 22nd

29th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Isaiah 45, 1, 4-6

Psalm: 96

2nd Reading: 1 Thessalonians 1, 1-5b

Gospel: Matthew 22, 15-21



In November, we will dedicate ourselves to praying for “All Souls.” **Praying for the dead** can be a helpful part of the grieving process, but let’s not forget that it is also part of our strong Catholic tradition to pray for

those who are no longer here on earth with us. So, where did the practice come from?

The earliest Scriptural reference to prayers for the dead comes in the Second Book of Maccabees. The Books of Maccabees recount the struggle of our Jewish ancestors for their freedom. The Second Book of Maccabees tells how Judas Maccabee, a Jewish leader, led his troops into battle in 163 B.C. When the battle ended, he directed that the bodies of those Jews who had died to be buried. As soldiers prepared their slain comrades for burial, they discovered that each was wearing an amulet taken as booty from a pagan Temple. This violated the law of Deuteronomy and so Judas and his soldiers prayed that God would forgive the sin these men had committed (Second Maccabees 12, 39-45). This is the first indication in the Bible of a belief that prayers offered *by the living* can help free the dead from any sin that would separate them from God in the life to come. It is echoed in the New Testament when Paul offers a prayer for a man named Onesiphorus who had died: “May the Lord grant him to find mercy from the Lord on that day.” (Second Timothy 1,18) *More to come next week...*

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Mass Intentions for October 17th—22nd, 2023:

Tues. Int. of Pascual Sablan by family

Wed. +Victoria San Nicolas by family

Thurs. +Jim Wilson by Theresa Lang

Friday Int. of Geri Kovach by Linda Harrison

Sat. (5pm) +Virginia Cassara by the Lamont Family

Sun. (9am) +Albert Bickel by the Bickel Family

(12pm) People of the Parish

*To arrange for a Mass intention, please contact the parish office.
Please plan ahead if you are requesting a specific date.*



**In our prayers, let us remember all those
who have died, including:** John Imro,
Mary McNamara, and Fr. Ken Hume

**Let us pray for all those who are ill or homebound,
including:** Darlene Thayer, Shayna Ramirez,
Sue Anne Boettcher, Sandy Barrera, Mary Ragland,
Irene Heavenin, Bob Hungerford, John Bachmeier,
Greg Busch, Amanda Holmberg, Anita Verbout,
Erma Faoro, Christina Gardener, Carl Cawley,
Tiem Nguyen, Jim & Marvella Graiff,
Kathy Ackley, Sandra Blossom, Ann O'Reilly,
Richard Lund, Sr. Mary Ryan, Annie Braunstein,
Donna Hatley, Chris Kelly, Rose Petersen,
Jane Bachman, and Ann Renon

Stewardship



October 7th & 8th, 2023
Weekend Offertory: \$3,083.08
Online Giving: \$1,830.00
Total: \$4,913.08

**Weekly Offertory needed \$11,805.00*

As we have heard recently in Jesus' parables in St. Matthew's Gospel, Jesus was rejected by the religious and political leaders of His day, as well as ordinary citizens, but He was still obedient to God, the Father.

Similarly, living a life of good stewardship may cause us to be “rejected” by others, but we, too are called to be obedient. For example, a small gesture like saying grace before a meal in a restaurant may attract strange looks from some. But to others it is a sign that we are deeply grateful and that God is alive and well in our lives!

St. Paul said, “God will fully supply whatever you need...” (Philippians 4, 19) God really does provide for those who are grateful and generous. This is very difficult for a lot of people to believe. Many are skeptical and say it's just coincidence. If you are skeptical, try living a “stewardship lifestyle” for just one month – be supremely generous with your gifts of time in prayer, talent in charitable works, and treasure – then see how God provides for your needs. He cannot be outdone when it comes to charity and kindness. He simply cannot!

LA IGLESIA NOS ENSEÑA



Es un gran Banquete al que el Padre nos invita. A nosotros, gente sin ningún mérito, recogidos de los cruces de los caminos, Él nos ha invitado.

Según las Escrituras (Mateo 22, 1-14), el gran Banquete que sólo Él puede celebrar “preparará el Señor de los ejércitos para todos los pueblos un festín de manjares suculentos, un festín de vinos de solera.” ¡Cuán pobres resultan nuestros banquetes y nuestras fiestas al lado de ese gran banquete! Él “arrancará el velo que cubre a todos los pueblos, el paño que tapa a todos las naciones. Aniquilará la muerte para siempre.”

Jesus nos habla de la gran fiesta a la que el Padre nos invita – el Banquete al que nos abre de par en par las puertas: “El Señor Dios enjugará las lágrimas de todos los rostros.” ¿Es eso posible? Sí, es posible. Más aún: esa es la gran esperanza, el gran regalo del Padre, que esperamos y que celebramos, porque ya lo poseemos, como en la oscuridad. Lo que hacemos cada domingo en la Misa es la pregustación del gran Banquete, su anuncio, su promesa, y la celebración de su certeza.

Y esta fiesta es “la Salvación” que todos anhelamos. Y que sólo puede venir de Dios, Fuente de Vida. Sólo Él puede enjugar verdaderamente las lágrimas de todos los ojos, hacer desaparecer el velo de dolor que cubre todos los pueblos (¡todos!), y aniquilar para siempre la Muerte. Él quiere convertir nuestra vida en una gran fiesta.

Recordemos fielmente que cada uno de nosotros es “un llamado,” no porque tengamos algún mérito personas, ya que somos llamados sin ningún privilegio, para participar del Banquete definitivo del Reino.

Según San Agustín: “La Eucaristía es *banquete de bodas* abierto a todos. Este es el mensaje que el Evangelio nos transmita. Pero para asistir a la fiesta, el Señor nos pide unas actitudes personales: un “traje de fiesta,” una actitud de agradecimiento, y una respuesta positiva a su invitación a participar. ¿Tomamos en serio y damos importancia a esta invitación?”

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“**Señor,** ayúdanos a seguir adelante, creyendo en lo inesperado y haciendo realidad lo que parece imposible: un mundo donde reine la justicia y el amor, hasta que tú nos reúnas en torno a la mesa de tu fiesta eterna, que se prolongará por los siglos de los siglos. Amén.”

PARA REFLEJAR....



El Papa Francisco ha dicho que “convertir la Eucaristía en una simple obligación es aguar su carácter festivo y desfigurar por completo su sentido.”

El Señor espera que, aceptando su invitación, concurrámos con alegría y gozo, vistiendo “el traje de fiesta,” que es el vestido de justicia y santidad.

“**Señor,** al salir del templo y de la Eucaristía domingo tras domingo, no quiero que se me olviden las palabras que tú has hecho resonar en mi interior.

Ayúdame a mantener el carácter fundamentalmente ilusionado, propio de quienes te escuchan.

Deseo actuar siempre en sintonía contigo.

Hazme una persona a tu imagen: más de espíritu que de letra; más de creatividad que de rutina; más de constancia que de lamentos; y más de amistad que de leyes.

Que me alegre lo que a ti te alegra. Que ame lo que Tú amas.

Gracias por haberme invitado al banquete de tu amistad.

Grítame fuerte, Señor, para que nunca rechace tus llamadas. Amen.”



“**El don que cada uno haya recibido,** póngalo al servicio de los otros, como buenos administradores de la multiforme gracia de Dios” (1 Pedro 4, 10).

¿Qué significa ser un buen administrador, un cristiano corresponsable? Cuidar los recursos humanos y materiales y usarlos responsablemente es una respuesta; también es ofreciendo de su tiempo generoso, talentos, y de su tesoro. Pero ser un cristiano corresponsable significa más. Los corresponsables aceptan los dones de Dios con gratitud, los cultivan con responsabilidad, los comparten de manera justa y amorosa con los demás, y se los devuelven al Señor con creces.

El buen administrador o corresponsable es una persona que sigue a nuestro Señor Jesucristo. Por ser miembros de la Iglesia, Jesús nos llama a ser discípulos. La corresponsabilidad (*stewardship* en Inglés) tiene el poder de formar y moldear la manera en que entendemos nuestra vida y la forma en que la estamos viviendo. Los discípulos de Jesús, los cristianos corresponsables, reconocen que Dios es el origen de la vida, el dador de libertad, y la fuente de todas las cosas. Estamos agradecidos por los dones que hemos recibido y estamos dispuestos a usarlos de manera que muestren nuestro amor por Dios y por el prójimo.

La vocación que cada cual recibe de Dios es que seamos corresponsables de todos los dones que hemos recibido. Dios nos da este taller divino–humano, este mundo, y esta Iglesia nuestra. El Espíritu nos muestra el camino.

MINISTERIO HISPANO

Ana Carmina Pérez 503.289.7188

Pláticas Pre-Bautismales:

Tercer sábado del mes a las 10am.

Recuerde que necesita registrar a su hijo/a antes de asistir a la plática.

Bautismos:

El primer sábado del mes a las 9:30am y el último domingo del mes después de Misa.

Estas fechas son solo para niños menores de 6 años.

Los niños mayores de 6 años deberán de comunicarse a la oficina antes de apartar alguna fecha.

Preparación Sacramental para:

*Iniciación Católica para Adultos (RICA)
y Bodas – por favor llame a la oficina*

Misas de Quinceañeras:

Misa de Acción de Gracias para Quinceañeras en grupo, el segundo sábado del mes a la 1pm.

Confesiones:

Los miércoles a las 7pm,
los viernes a las 9am,
y por cita entre semana.

Adoración al Santísimo:

Cada jueves de las 8:30am a las 8:30pm.

Misa con Unción de los Enfermos:

Segundo miércoles del mes inmediatamente después de la Misa de 8:30am.

En nuestras oraciones recordemos:

...a todos los que están enfermos,

incluyendo: Darlene Thayer, Shayna Ramirez, Sue Anne Boettcher, Sandy Barrera, Mary Ragland, Irene Heaverin, Sr. Mary Ryan, Bob Hungerford, Erma Faoro, Anita Verbout, Amanda Holmberg, Jim & Marvilla Graiff, John Bachmeier, Greg Busch, Sadrac Lopez, Carl Cawley, Kathy Ackley, Richard Lund, Sandra Blossom, Annie Braunstein, Donna Hatley, Chris Kelly, Rose Petersen, and Jane Bachman



...y a todos los que han muerto,

especialmente John Imro,
Mary McNamara, y Fr. Ken Hume

“Te pedimos, Señor, que tus siervos que han muerto ya para este mundo, vivan ahora para ti y que tu amor misericordioso borre los pecados que cometieron por fragilidad humana. Por Jesucristo, nuestro Señor.”

HORARIO PARROQUIAL

15 de octubre: XXVIII Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

18 de octubre: Confesiones, 7pm

19 de octubre: Adoración, 8:30am-8:30pm

20 de octubre: Confesiones, 9am

22 de octubre: XXIX Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario



Corresponsabilidad Parroquial—

8 de octubre: \$4,913.08

(El Ofertorio semanal necesita llegar al presupuesto Parroquial: \$11,805.00)

Pasando algo de tiempo con Dios todos los días (en el espíritu de corresponsabilidad):

- Sentimos lo profundamente que Dios nos ama y lo abundantemente que nos ha bendecido.
- Reconocemos a Dios como el Señor de nuestras vidas, y por lo tanto, somos capaces de renunciar a nuestro fuerte control propio.
- Podemos ver más claramente cómo Dios nos llama a vivir nuestras vidas y compartir nuestros dones.
- Establecemos la estrecha relación con Jesús que nos permite poner nuestras vidas en sus manos y confiar completamente en Él.
- Somos más capaces de hacer los tipos de sacrificios que la corresponsabilidad nos llama a hacer, porque sabemos que Dios tiene el control de nuestras vidas.

LA LITURGIA — LECTURAS

XXIX Domingo Del Tiempo Ordinario—22 de octubre

Primera Lectura: Isaías 45, 1, 4-6

Salmo: 95

Segunda Lectura: 1 Tesalonicenses 1, 1-5

Evangelio: Mateo 22, 15-21

EL DÍA DEL SEÑOR



Venimos a la Eucaristía cada ocho días en respuesta a la invitación del Señor. Estamos invitados (o mejor, *llamados*) a participar en el Banquete de Fiesta que Él ha preparado para todos los pueblos de la tierra.

En la celebración dominical, gracias a Dios, estamos atentos a la voz y la presencia de Él – venimos su Fiesta, escuchamos su Palabra, y recibimos su gracia abundante. Pero, después de la Misa, “la invitación” continúa en la rutina de nuestra vida diaria: en nuestras oraciones y esperanzas, y también en nuestros trabajos y afanes. Abrámonos a esa llamada también cuando nos grita desde las necesidades de los pobres, humildes, y necesitados.

Que nuestro encuentro dominical con Cristo nos ayude a brindarnos y a entregarnos más a los demás, a servirlos, y a comunicarles nuestra fe.

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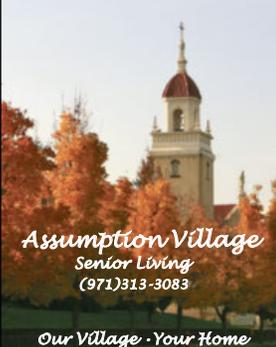


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