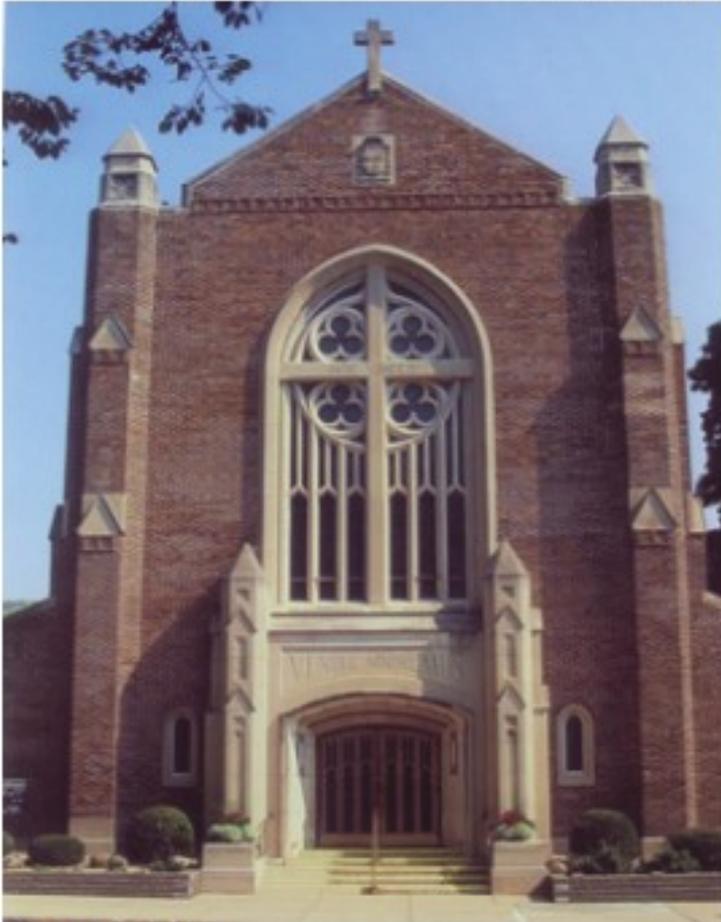


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A Message from Fr. Pilon...

In this 4th Sunday of Lent, we find ourselves unable to gather together and celebrate the great gift of the Paschal Mystery of Our Lord that is the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. But we can read the readings and still give the day to the Lord our God for the many wonderful blessings that He has bestowed upon us in this life. And we can look with fondness to the day when we can once again gather together and worship Him in the Memorial that His Son gave to us.

In the Gospel reading, we have the famous story of the man born blind who is healed by our Lord. The man, who had no idea of shapes and sizes and colors and anything else that our eyes take in, was for the first time able to see clearly all that was around him. And after he was healed, he was questioned by those in authority as to the authenticity of his blindness and the one who healed him. Even his parents were questioned, but they put the onus on him to answer the questions, only testifying to his blindness from birth.

When the man answers and is dismissed, Jesus seeks him out. Our Lord then invites the man to an even deeper faith in Him, and even admits to him that He is the Messiah. One of only two people to whom our Lord gives that direct response of "Yes, I am the Messiah." Last week's reading about the Samaritan woman at the well is the other one. And then Our Lord invites the man to a deeper faith. And this event gives insight into our own journey of Faith.

When we are conceived and come into this world, we are spiritually blind. Steeped in Original Sin we are separated from God and cannot see His goodness or know His friendship. But then our parents have us Baptized and we begin to grow in the Faith passed on to us and see the love and goodness of God. It is the greatest gift our parents pass on to us. And they take upon themselves the responsibility of teach-

ing us and helping us grow in that Faith.

But one day we need to take responsibility for that Faith on our own. We need to fight the temptations and forces around us that try to get us to reject the One who gave us that great gift. And our parents can no longer make the decisions for us. We have to respond. We have to have the courage to say that we do not know everything about Him, but we know all the good He has done for us. All the good He has done for those who believe.

And our Lord will come once again and seek us out to ask us to follow the vocation that the Father has in store for us. A vocation that will bring us true happiness. A vocation that will help us to spread the Gospel of Hope and help others to come to know, or come back to the knowledge they once had, and follow the Lord once again. And we want to respond like that young man and say yes.

As we continue in time of suspension of the Sacrifice of the Mass, we want to continue to pray for those around us. Pray for the sick and the dying. Pray for the end to this suspension and the return of the gift Christ Himself gave to us. Pray for our civil officials, that they may work to protect all human life from the moment of conception until natural death. I was struck recently by the language used by our civil officials with regards to the school closures. I find it interesting that a public entity that will not let you pray to God in the building, blames God for what is happening. They are calling them Act of God days, so they do not need to be made up, but I assure you this is not an Act of God. He may allow this to happen, but He did not cause it to happen. And I also find it interesting that the group that worked so hard to kick God out of public life is okay with blaming God for all that is going on. But I need to return to our prayer.

Pray for our Holy Father, Pope Francis, our Bishop Daniel Jenky, CSC, our clergy and religious and our Diocese and Parish. And pray that we may all return to the practice of our Faith as the most important aspect of our life, so that one day we can be reunited at the Heavenly Banquet, which I assure you NEVER gets suspended.

FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

Our Lady of the Cenacle Chapel Extended Eucharistic Adoration

***"The Eucharist feeds and forms the Church:
'Because there is one bread, we who are
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We are trying to compile a list of things to do during these times of quarantine-self and otherwise...

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As we work through this time of quarantine, let's remember to check on and be kind to each other.

Sunday, Fourth Week of Lent

*I know this much: I was blind before; now I can see
(John 9:25).*

I am spiritually blind, Lord, but you are the light of the world; light up the blind spots of my heart.

March 22, 2020

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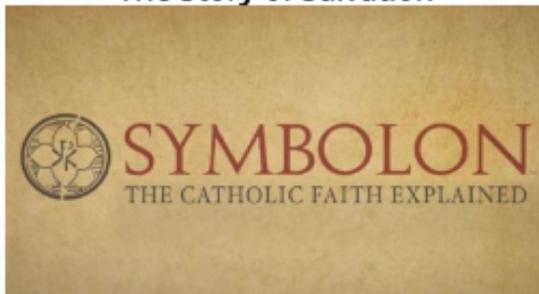
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Catechism Corner

» Can you regain the state of grace before going to Confession? «

**THESE Q & A ITEMS ARE ADDRESSING QUESTIONS*

USING THE BALTIMORE CATECHISM:

† *How can a person in mortal sin regain the state of grace before receiving the sacrament of Penance?*

A person in mortal sin can regain the state of grace before receiving the sacrament of Penance by making an act of perfect contrition with the sincere purpose of going to confession.

† *What should we do if we have the misfortune to commit a mortal sin?*

If we have the misfortune to commit a mortal sin, we should ask God's pardon and grace at once, make an act of perfect contrition, and go to confession as soon as we can.

Is it my will that a sinner should die, saith the Lord God, and not that he should be converted from his ways and live?

(Ezekiel 18:23)

Further reading CCC ¶ [1451 - 1458]



Religious Education

First Communion

Parents Retreat

With the coronavirus having so many public events and activities suspended, we thought it would be a good idea

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Religious Education

to make sure everyone is working from the same information source. The Parents' Retreat for First Communion for their children is being suspended until further notice.

As of this writing, we still are not sure when, or even if, the school year will resume. The distribution of the sacraments, especially First Communion which has been scheduled for the two Sundays in May following Mother's Day, May 17th and May 24th.

We have only had three First Communion Banners turned in thus far, These have been due for some time, and when we are in a position to get these Masses back on the schedule, it may be something that happens rather quickly and we need to ensure we have everything in place to proceed with the First Communion celebration – especially making sure we have Baptism Certificates for all First Communicants *and* their Banners. Please be sure to complete the banners and have them ready to turn in as soon as the parish office is back in business.

THE PRECEPTS OF THE CHURCH:

The Catechism of the Catholic Church (¶¶ 2041 – 2043) explains that there are five precepts that the faithful must dutifully follow.

2041 – The precepts of the Church are set in the context of a moral life bound to and nourished by liturgical life. The obligatory character of these positive laws decreed by the pastoral authorities is meant to guarantee to the faithful the indispensable minimum in the spirit of prayer and moral effort, in the growth in love of God and neighbor:

2042 – The first precept (“You shall attend Mass on Sundays and holy days of obligation.”) requires the faithful to participate in the Eucharistic celebration when the Christian community gathers together on the day commemorating the Resurrection of the Lord.

The second precept (“You shall confess your sins at least once a year.”) ensures preparation for the Eucharist by the reception of the sacrament of reconciliation, which continues Baptism’s work of conversion and forgiveness.

The third precept (“You shall humbly receive your Creator in Holy Communion at least during the Easter season.”) guarantees as a minimum the reception of the Lord’s Body and Blood in connection with the Paschal feasts, the origin and center of the Christian liturgy.

2043 – The fourth precept (“You shall keep holy the holy days of obligation.”) completes the Sunday observance by participation in the principal liturgical feasts which honor the mysteries of the Lord, the Virgin Mary, and the saints.

The fifth precept (“You shall observe the days of fasting and abstinence.”) ensures the times of asceticism and penance which prepare us for the liturgical feasts; they help us acquire mastery over our instincts and freedom of heart.

The faithful also have the duty of providing for the material needs of the Church, each according to his abilities.

Please remember to support the parish. It is vitally important in this time of Mass suspension that the church is able to continue her many Christian ministries.

WHAT TO DO WHEN YOU CAN'T PARTICIPATE IN THE MASS?

We are working on a setting up a number that people can call in to teleconference the rosary, and possibly more if it all works well.

There has been a growing group of faithful gathering at 1:10 p.m. on Thursdays to pray the rosary for the benefit of the evangelization team that has been assembling and working into formation. We intend to continue that practice; however, we will do it in a way that adheres to the “social distancing” being suggested as safe-guard against the coronavirus.

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ANOINTING & BAPTISM



LATELY I have been thinking about discipleship. A lot. I have been thinking about discipleship a lot. What exactly is meant by that term? Am I the disciple of Jesus that I think I am, or that I ought to be? I really don't think so. Discipleship means to that one is sitting, or has set, at the feet of the Master. And after a time, the disciple lives as exactly like the Master as possible. I capitalize the "M" in Master, because I'm talking specifically about discipleship to Jesus. Jesus is a Master among masters, just as he is Lord of lords and King of kings. Do I live the way Jesus lived? Not so much.

Our readings today shed some light on what it means to enter into discipleship. A careful reading reveals there is a process, an initiation, to enter in and progress into a life that follows the Way of Jesus.

We know that the Old Testament is God's letter of love to all of humankind foreshadowing a definite time of salvation, and indeed, the coming of a Savior.

The first reading shows God choosing David as a king to assume the rule of all Israel and take the place of Saul, who has disobeyed God in not doing all that God had ordered in regard to the defeat of the Amalekites. God commanded Saul and his army, through the prophet Samuel, to kill and destroy Amalek and everything he has, men, women, child-

ren and infants, oxen and sheep, camels and donkeys.

After Saul's army defeated Amalek, the Israelite army determined that it was wasteful to destroy the "best of the fat sheep, oxen and lambs." They even let the king of the Amalekites live – the one whom God told them specifically to kill! Obviously it displeases God when his people do not do what he commands, and this case was no different. It was then that he sent Saul to Bethlehem to choose from among the sons of Jesse the one who would be his new king. After seeing all of Jesse's sons presented to him, and not being moved by God to choose any, he asked Jesse if these were all his sons. There was one more who was out in the fields tending the sheep.

Saul then proceeded to anoint David, the first step, or initiation into living a life enveloped in God's grace. We have defined God's grace as a free gift of God by which He shares His Divine Life with us. That is nothing to be taken lightly. Our God is the ever-ancient One who brought all things into being; He is the One who never stops thinking of us, caring for us, *loving* us; indeed, He is Perfect Love personified; and one of the proofs of God's existence according to Saint Thomas Aquinas is to see Him as the "Un-caused Cause" of everything that is. And He chooses to freely share His life with us. That is some supernatural gift!

We now have an introduction of David as a prefigurement of Jesus as the eternal King of the universe. Remember too, that the Hebrew word Messiah (Mashiach, or משיח) and the Greek word Christ (Christos, or Χριστός) mean the "anointed one." Anointing (chrismation) is also part of Christian Baptism, along with the sprinkling of or immersion into holy water.

DARKNESS & LIGHT

As we continue into the Gospel for today, we have the passage of Jesus giving sight to the man who was born blind. I almost said restored the man's sight, but as he was born blind, this miracle was not a restoration but a brand new experience for the man.

This being Lent means there is a particular meaning for us in this reading. Of course, we are meant to look at the



man's blindness from a spiritual standpoint. The very first thing we might notice from this passage is that Jesus *sees*.. **"As Jesus passed by he saw a man blind from birth."** Typical of the beliefs of those times, the disciples ask Jesus the sinful responsibility for the man's blindness. Jesus responds by telling them the man is not blind due to the sinfulness of anyone, but rather is blind so that the works of God might be "made visible" through him.

Jesus further explains that while he is present, they are still in the light of day. Soon, however, the night would be upon them and no one would be able to work (see, because of the darkness). The man's physical blindness was meant to be a sign for all those present to be a corollary to the spiritual blindness we are in without Jesus stepping in and doing something on our behalf—in this case, giving sight to the blind.

This is a significant healing in that, Jesus uses earthly materials to accomplish the miracle, almost in a sacramental fashion. Jesus spits on the ground and made a pasty clay from his spit and the dirt and smeared it on the man's eyes. He then told him to go and **"wash in the Pool of Siloam—which means Sent."** Two things about this: first, the washing in the pool is evocative of baptismal washing, and second, the name of the pool is significant. It's the same directive we're given at the conclusion of the Mass—we are sent!

Now, about the man's conversion... We know he is blind from birth, and we know that Jesus gave him sight. Consider now how that applies to faith. Through our relationship with Jesus, and the teachings of his Church, we too have been given sight, you might want to call it *insight*. Our faith is purely a gift from God, we cannot come to faith on our own. Through this gift we see God's presence in our world. Even better, through this gift of faith, we have been introduced—or initiated—into the family of God. That means we are in a place spiritually to have relationship with our brother, Jesus.

Our relationship with Jesus is meant to grow so that when our days in this life have come to an end, we will be united with him forever in heaven. The blind man in today's Gospel continues strengthening his relationship and his ability to see truly who Jesus is. First, he identifies his healer as **"the man they call Jesus"** (v. 11). Then he acknowledges

him as **"a prophet"** (v. 17). And when the Pharisees push him to his limit asking if he wanted to become Jesus's disciple too, he replies, in verse 33 that Jesus is **"from God."** After he is thrown out by the Pharisees, Jesus hears of it and seeks him out again, asking **"Do you believe in the Son of Man?"** The blind man asks, **"Who is he sir, that I may believe?"** Jesus tells him **"You have seen him, the one speaking with you now is he."** Some translations have that statement from Jesus saying, **"The one who is speaking with you, I Am."** The use of the name of God, **"I Am"** is startling to the people witnessing these events.

Something to note here in the Pharisees questioning whether the (formerly) blind man wants to be a disciple to Jesus, necessarily implies the man would have to follow Jesus in his ministry and learn all he has to teach.

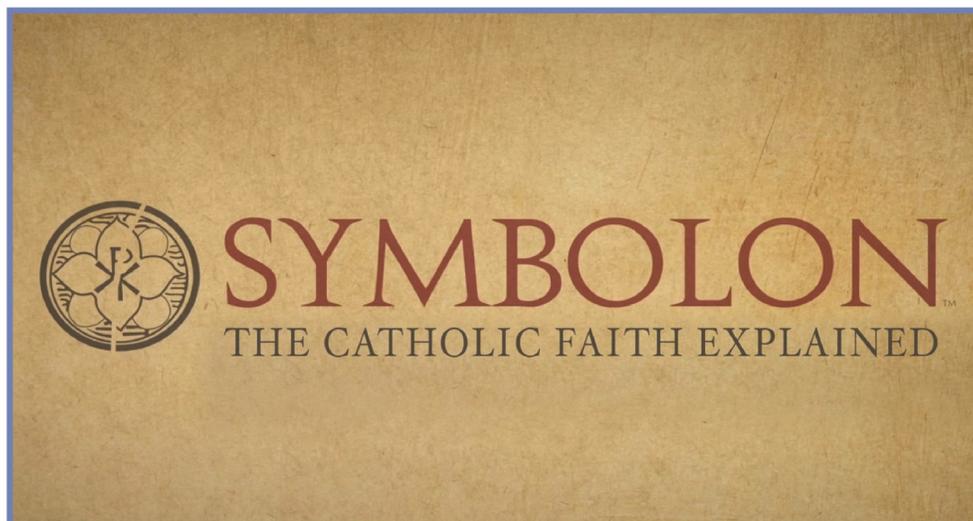
Discipleship to Jesus can be a daunting proposition to consider. Here, I am going back to my opening thoughts, trying to discern if I have the courage to live like Jesus. How does a married man live like Christ anyhow? A married man can't live the kind of austerity that Jesus and his apostles lived. So, in what way can I live so that I am living my life for Christ?

Laying myself wide open here, I can confess that I can live *more* austere. For example, one of the things I have changed in my life, at least during this season of Lent, is to have my shower as cold as I can stand it. I've given up the soothing comfort of a nice warm shower in favor of one that is definitely more jarring. I'm not taking ice cold showers, as I said, merely as cold as I can stand. Maybe they will at some point progress to a very cold shower, but I'm certainly not there yet.

And as I am on the topic of creature comforts, of sorts, I would like to call your mind to all of the suspensions of public events and activities due to this terribly disruptive novel coronavirus. Are you faring well? Have you been able to check in with your elderly family members and/or neighbors? I truly hope so. I hope you have weathered this storm as well as possible. I hope you have been able to see to the needs of your family members, teaching your children, and reassuring them that this will pass and all will be well again, by the grace of God.

I especially hope you are able to express to your children and show them how terribly you miss the Mass, and can teach them of its importance for our eternal well-being.

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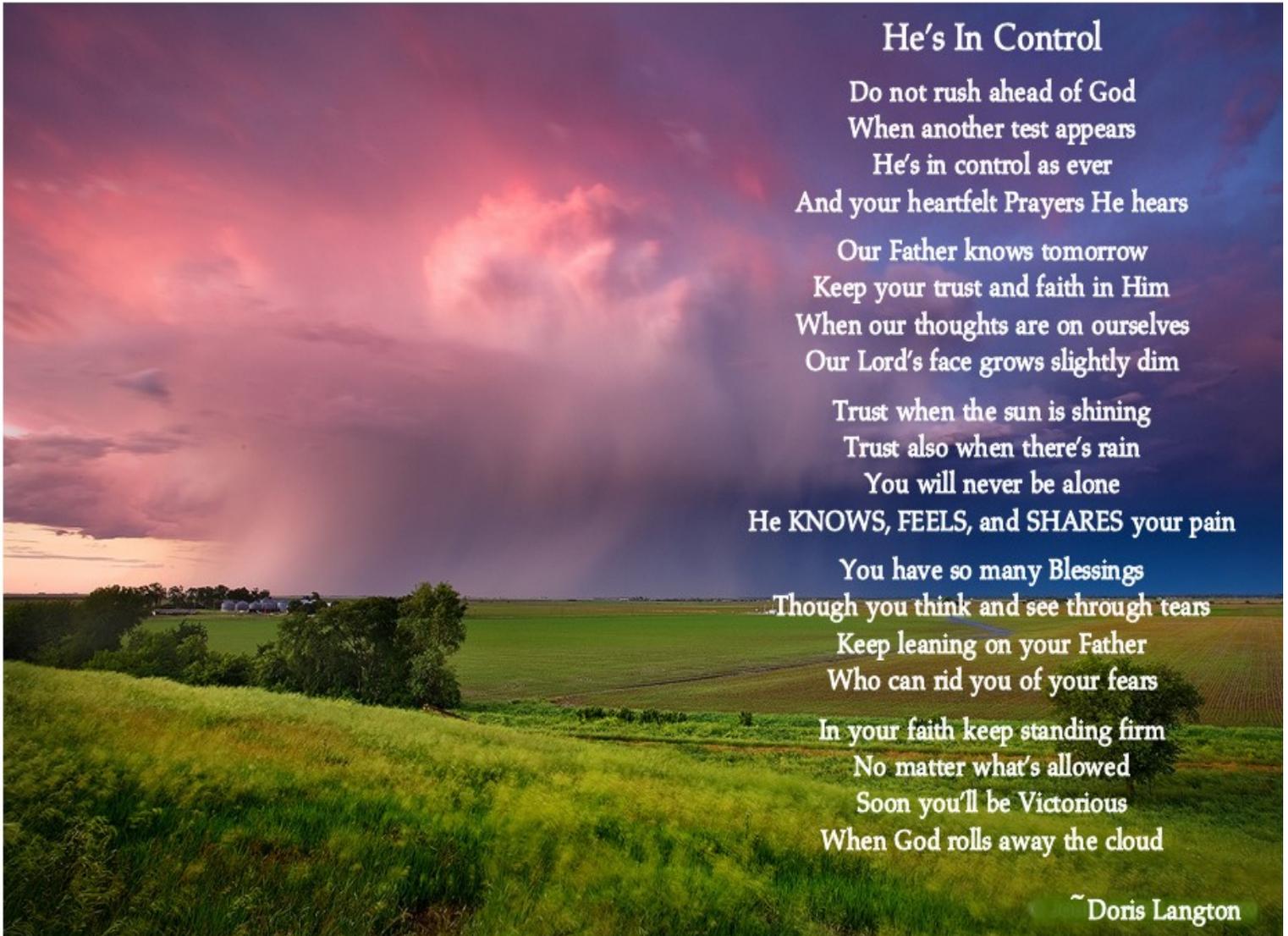
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