

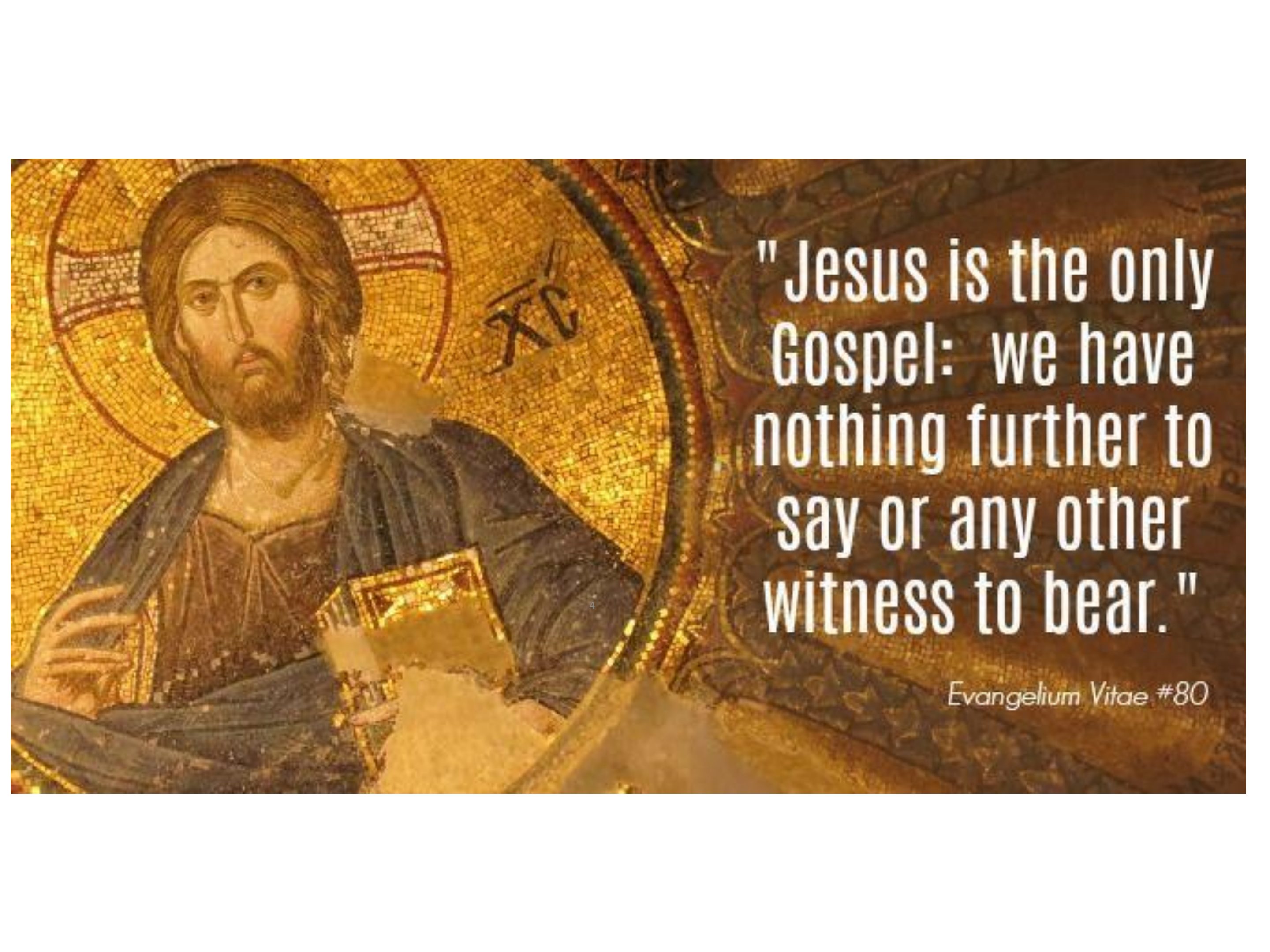


Eucharistic Mission: The Heart of Renewal





Ian's Story

A mosaic of Jesus Christ, likely from a medieval manuscript. He is depicted with long brown hair and a beard, wearing a blue robe over a brown tunic. He holds a book in his left hand. Behind him is a golden halo with a cross. The background is a dark, patterned surface.

"Jesus is the only
Gospel: we have
nothing further to
say or any other
witness to bear."

Evangelium Vitae #80

Our Story Takes on Meaning in the Light of the Great Story



*“When **My Story** Encounters **God’s Story** and becomes **Our Story** we begin to see our lives within the grand story of Salvation History.”* - Tom McGrath



I was.



God did.



I am.



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"Many are the plans in a
person's heart,
but it is the Lord's purpose
that prevails"

Proverbs 19:21

Who are you called to evangelize?

1. Identify someone in a spirit of humility
2. Intercede for that person in communion with the Holy Spirit
3. Connect in Eucharistic friendship
4. Invite that person on a path most suitable for him or her.



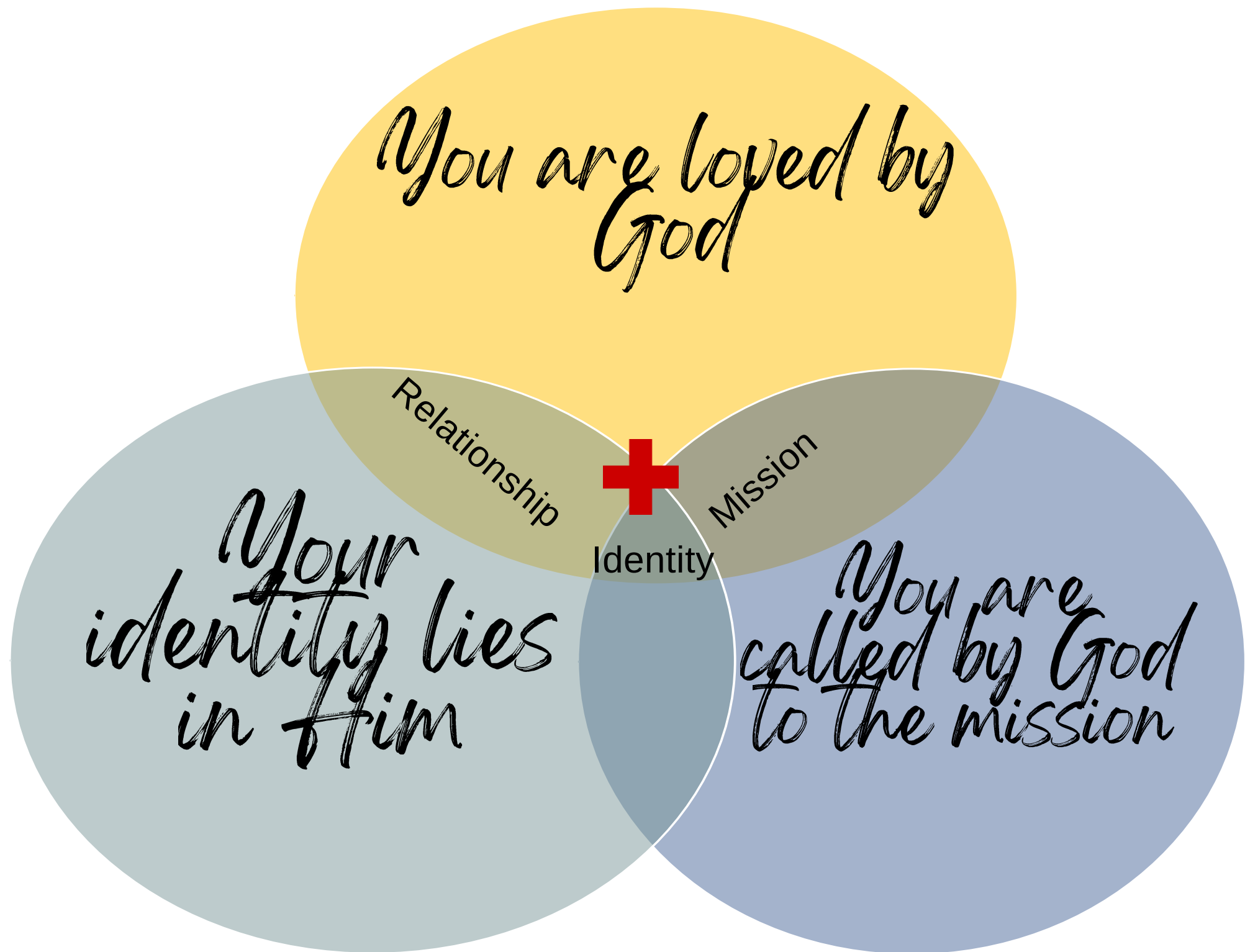


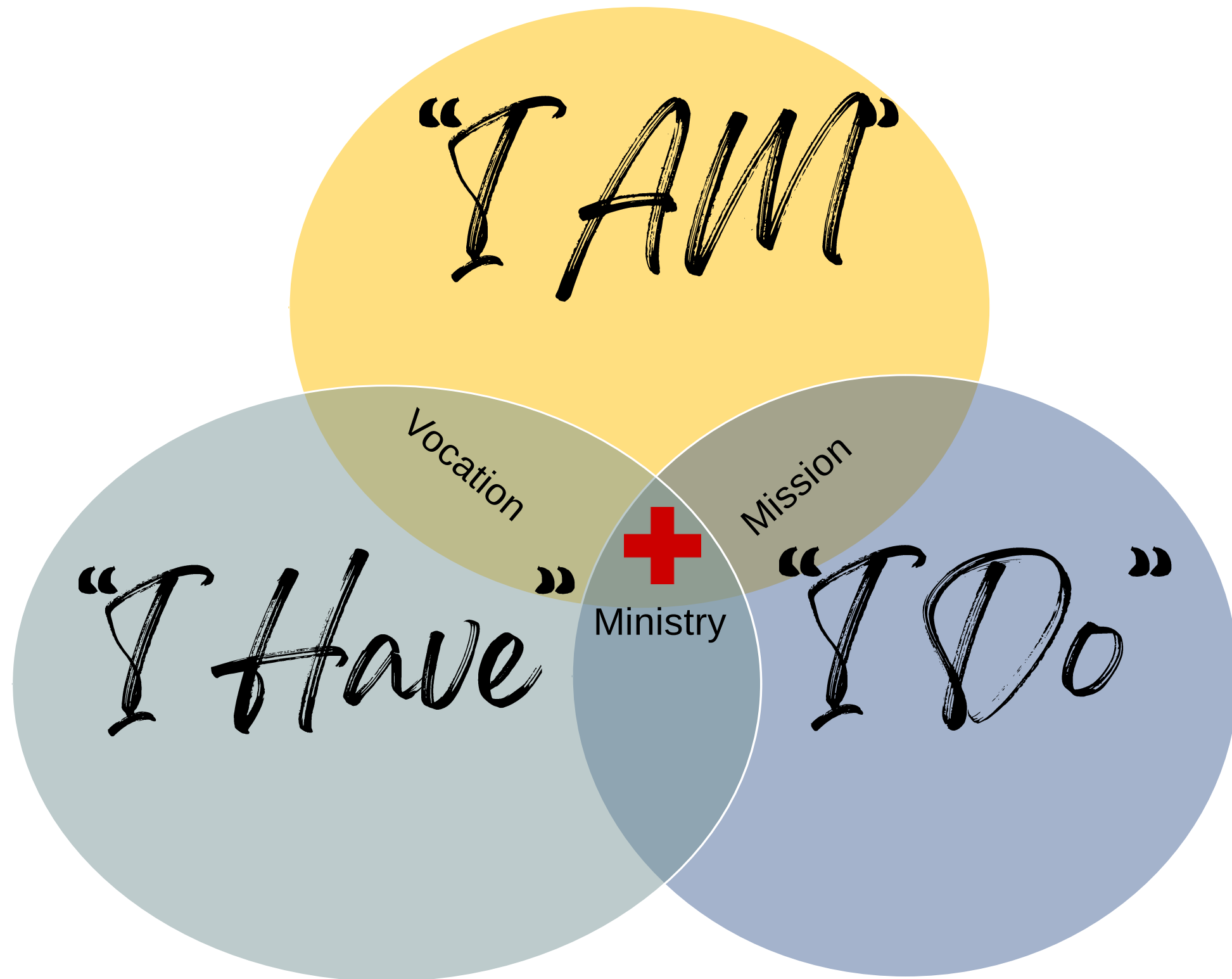






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I know your deeds, your hard work and your perseverance....

You have persevered and have endured hardships for my name and have not grown weary.

Yet I hold this against you: You have forsaken the love you had at first.

Consider how far you have fallen!

Repent and do the things you did at first.

Revelation 2:2,4-5



James Tissot, France. *The Sorrow of Saint Peter*
(*La douleur de Saint Pierre*), 1886-1894.¹²

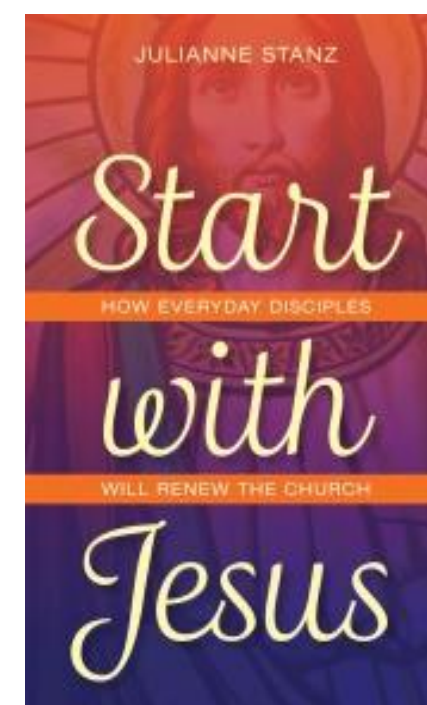
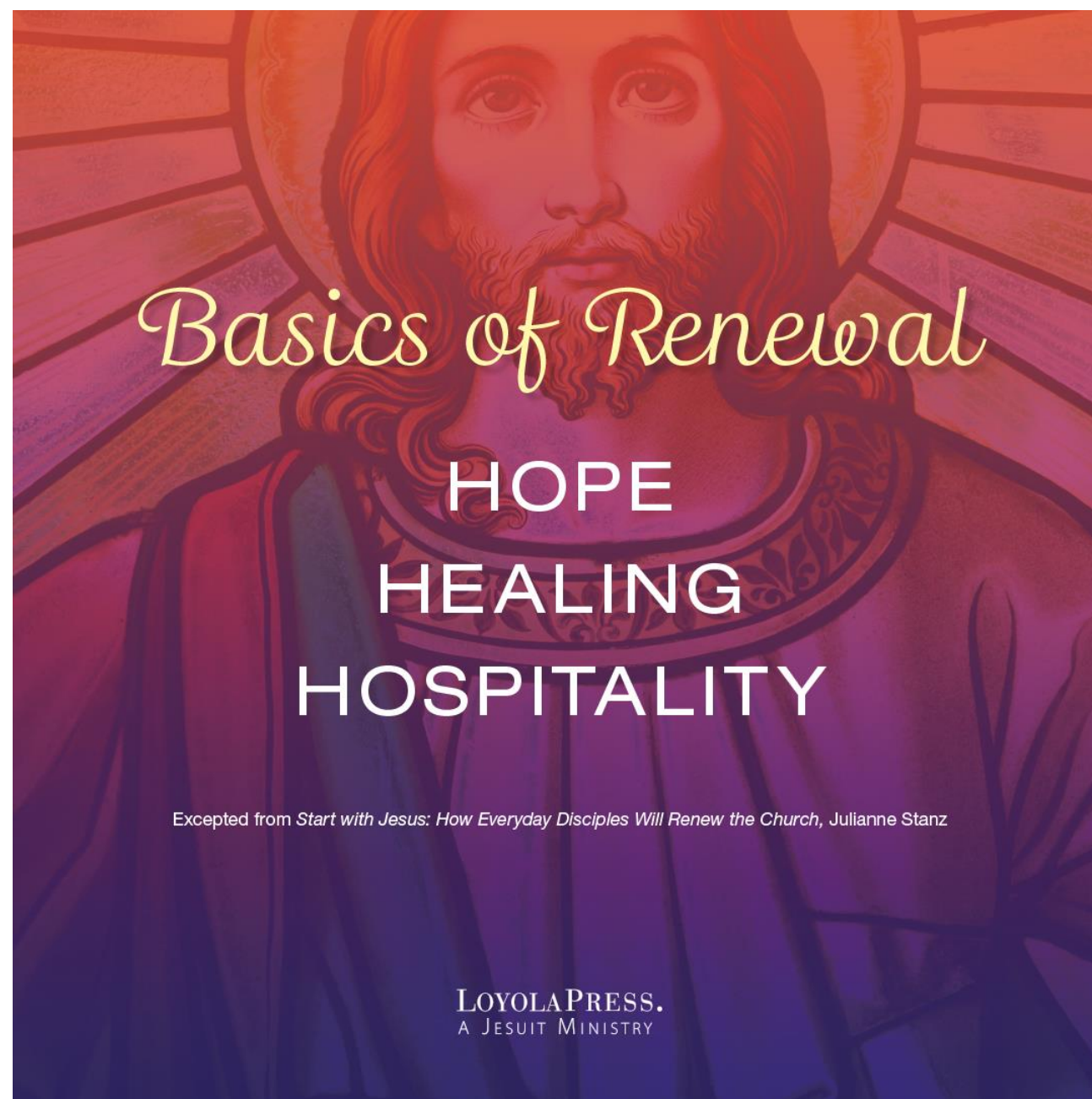


What are you thirsty
and hungry for?



The Heart of the
Eucharistic Revival
is Jesus Christ





Eucharistic Examen

1

Take: Choose a Scripture passage in which Jesus calls a person by name, and sit with it.

2


Bless: Reflect on some aspect of the Paschal Mystery: Jesus' Passion and Death, Resurrection, or Ascension. Pray for the courage to accompany the person in a spirit of self-giving and openness.

3

Break: Ask the Lord to show you how to break out of your comfort zone to make space to connect with the person for whom you have been interceding.

4

Give: Ask the Holy Spirit to help you practice the art of listening and discern a concrete invitation you can give to your friend to draw closer to Jesus.



“If Eucharist is the
heart of parish
life, then prayer is
the heartbeat.”

JULIANNE STANZ, Start with Jesus:
How Everyday Disciples Will Renew the Church

#STARTWITHJESUS

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A JESUIT MINISTRY



Father I am hungry for the
love of God,

Give my soul this food,

My Lord in the Eucharist

St Catherine of Siena

Give us this day.....









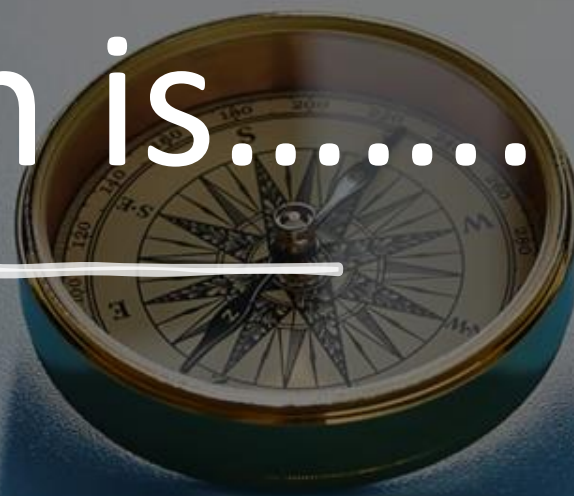


**Mission is at
once a passion
for Jesus and a
passion for his
people.**

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I AM A MISSION

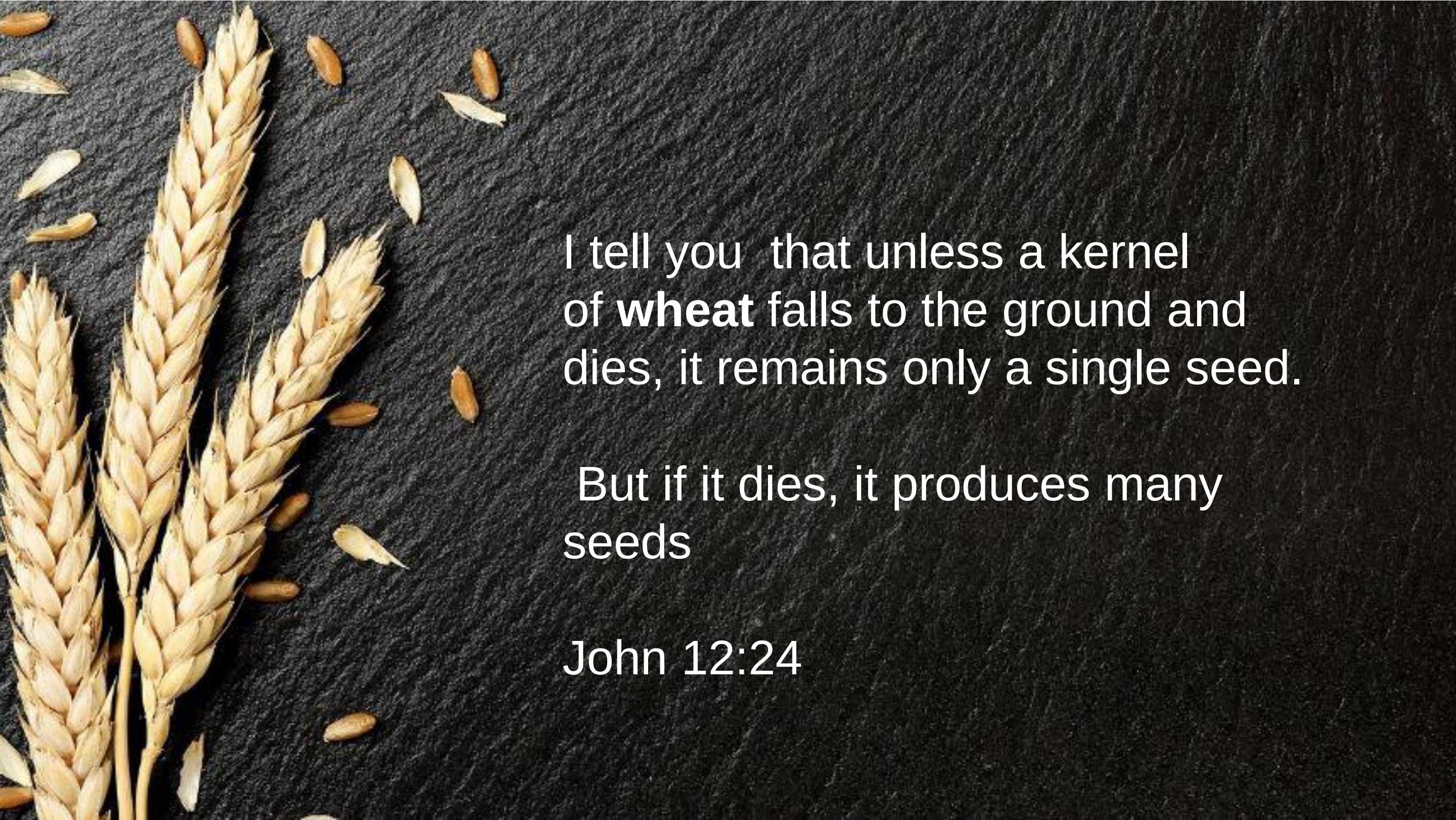
My mission is.....



What do I need to START doing?
What do I need to STOP doing?
What do I need to KEEP doing?

-In my life to be a disciple of Christ
and in my ministry to
form disciples?





I tell you that unless a kernel
of **wheat** falls to the ground and
dies, it remains only a single seed.

But if it dies, it produces many
seeds

John 12:24







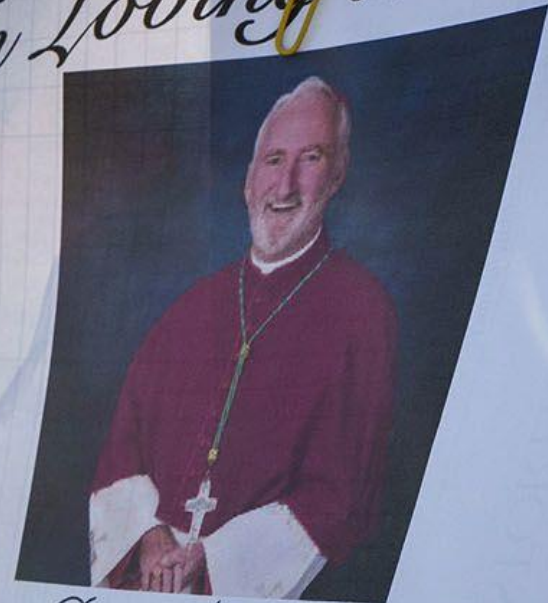








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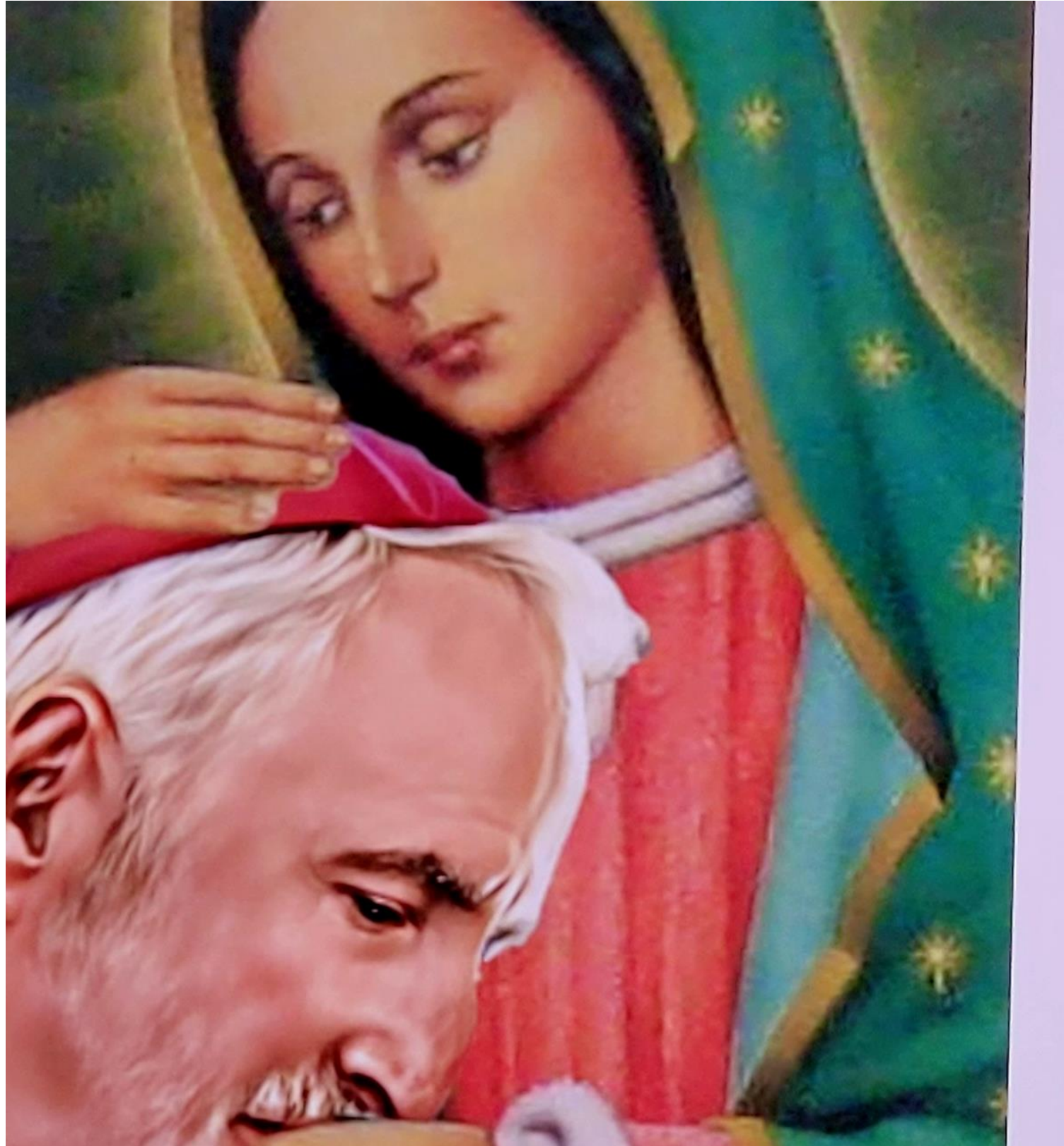


Bishop David G. O'Connell

*Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord,
and let the perpetual light shine upon him
May he rest in peace. Amen.*

WE LOVE YOU!!





The Difference Between

Falling Apart

Breaking Open







Given
For You



*Blessed and Broken
For You*

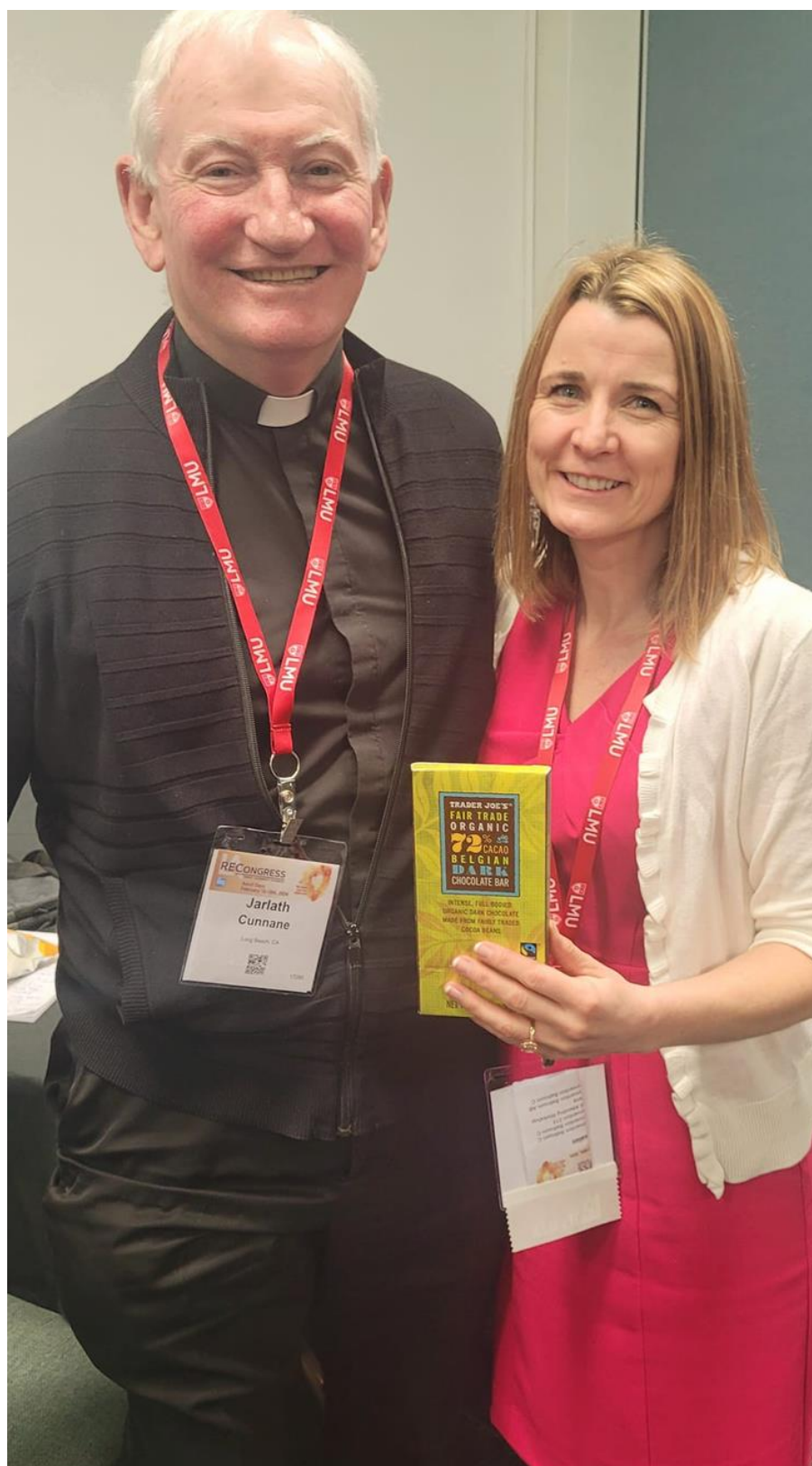
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The Great Commission

When the eleven disciples were on the mountain where Jesus had said, "I will be with you always, to the end of the age." They saw him, they fell down before him. Then Jesus said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the end of the age."

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*Do this in
Remembrance
of Me*

1 COR 11:23-26

What is THE spiritual moment
that God is calling us to at this
moment in the Diocese of
Saginaw?



**“Open yourselves
with docility to the
gifts of the Holy
Spirit! – St.**

Pope St John Paul II

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