

## 事物之

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#### 引言

在這世界上,很多人都在追求喜樂,但大多數的 人都是追求物質的喜樂,而這種喜樂都會隨著物質的消 逝而失去。相反,基督的喜樂是基於福音精神,耶穌曾 説:「你們的憂愁却要變成喜樂。」(若16:20)。



#### 與主結合的喜樂

鮑思高神父教多明我沙維豪説:「成聖很簡單,要 時常喜樂,和善盡自己的本份。」基督徒的喜樂是來自 耶穌和祂的福音,天主聖言常帶給人一種正面的思想, 而這種正面的思想常帶給人一種正面的態度,這種正面 的態度也幫人產生正面的行動和正面的生活。最後,天 主的聖言能帶給人喜樂和平安。當人擁有福音的喜樂和 平安時,便不會這麼緊張地追求物質的享受和能遠離罪 惡的誘惑。另一方面,修和聖事和聖體聖事都能給予我 們心靈的平安和力量,使我們能戰勝憂愁,在痛苦中, 仍懷有希望。除了福音和聖事外,祈禱也會帶給我們喜 樂。在教會的神修傳統中,多唸短誦是會幫我們常與主 結合,例如:耶穌聖心,賜我良善心謙。正如聖母常把 耶穌的話,放在心中,反覆思想。聖方濟各沙雷氏亦教 我們一種噴射式的祈禱,即在萬事萬物中,看到天主的 臨在和美善。耶穌説:「我是葡萄樹,你們是枝條;那 住在我內,我也住在他內,他就結很多的果實,因為離 了我,你們什麼也不能作。」(若15:5) 從耶穌那裡,我 們會獲得平安和喜樂。

#### 信德的喜樂

基督徒的喜樂亦是一種信德的喜樂,我們深信天主 愛我們每一個人,祂是我們的天父,祂會照顧一切。天 主沒有答應天是常藍的,但祂答應祂的愛常在。耶穌 説:「直至現在,你們沒有因我的名求什麼;求罷!必 會得到,好使你們的喜樂得以圓滿。」(若16:24) 祈禱未 必帶給我們解決問題的答案或方案,但會帶給我們解決 問題的力量。當我們面對痛苦、困難、甚至死亡時,我 們當然不會時常面帶笑容或開心歡笑,但藉著祈禱和全 心信賴天主,我們會獲得復活主耶穌的平安。我們祈禱 未必獲得我們所祈求的,但我們深信天主會賜給我們最 好的。耶穌説:「你們仰觀天空的飛鳥,牠們不播種, 也不收穫,也不在糧倉裏屯積,你們的天父還是養活牠 們。」(瑪6:26) 信德使我們看到天父的慈愛, 使我們獲 得內心的平安,使我們能接納自己和體諒別人。

#### 愛德的喜樂

在耶穌的善心撒瑪黎雅人的比喻中,那位善心的 撒瑪黎雅人沒有因著別的理由,而只是為了一顆善心去 幫助那位受傷的路人。正所謂助人為快樂之本,愛德使 人參與天主那份慈悲和愛情,使人充滿慈愛和平安。當 我在學校服務的時候,每次看到學生快樂,自己也覺 快樂。我相信在我們的堂區內,那些參加「樂融融」活 動的兄弟姊妹,當看見那些接受款待的兄弟姊妹的笑容 時,自己也覺快樂。另一方面,喜樂會使人變得比較溫 良和謙遜,而喜樂也幫人比較容易去愛和寬恕。倒轉過 來説也可以,愛和寬恕也帶給人喜樂。在鮑思高的九歲 奇夢中,聖母教小若望不要用拳頭去教導別的小朋友, 要以溫良去勸告他們。自始,鮑思高就以歡樂和溫良去 幫青少年修德成聖。慈幼會的主保聖方濟各沙雷氏指 出,一滴蜜糖比一桶醋更能吸引昆蟲。歡樂和溫良能幫 助我們修德成聖,成為真正的基督徒。

#### 結論

喜樂神修能助人去愛和寬恕,使人成為基督的和平 工具,使別人也能體會天主的愛和平安。



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## 二零二二年六月份牧民議會 議決事項

- 牧民議會繼續跟進「共議同行」交流分享,集思廣益,建設富凝聚力和款 待文化的堂區。
- 2. 7月3日舉行「尋羊運動」派遣禮。通告刊於第3頁。
- 3. 定期舉辦「樂融融」愛心服務及分派口罩行動,關顧堂區有需要的教友和社區的街坊。6月的外展服務分享刊於第6頁。7月進行的活動資訊刊於第3頁。
- 4. 跟進關顧新教友,持續培育成長。6月26日舉行靈修營的報導刊於第12頁。
- 5. 傳信、禮儀、互愛委員會繼續加強與下屬善會的聯繫,推廣及參與培育組及善會舉辦的活動,促進合作。7月神修資訊刊於第7及13頁。
- 6. 各核心小組繼續與慕道班及新教友、青少年,及主日學家長(年青夫婦家庭)聯繫及同行, 跟淮商議日後計劃和發展方向。

## 二零二二年七月份動態 堂區禮儀活動

1st (周五)	首瞻禮六 恭敬耶穌聖心	10th (周日)	常年期第十五主日 「尋羊運動」派遣禮 上午十時 常年期第十六主日	<b>20th</b> (周三)	三三追思亡者 晚上六時
	晚上八時			24th (周日)	常年期第十七主日
3rd (周日)	常年期第十四主日	17th (周日)		31st (周日)	常年期第十八主日

敬禮聖安多尼 逢周二 晚上六時彌撒

明供聖體 逢周四 晚上七時

誦唸「向聖若望鮑思高禱文」 每月最後一天的各台彌撒後 「習練善終」祈禱 每月逢首周一的各台彌撒後 「進教之佑聖母降福」經文 每月廿四日的各台彌撒結束前

### 鳴謝捐贈《羊牧之聲》

願聖母進教之佑及聖安多尼酬謝你們, 賜你們身心健康,家庭和睦,主寵日隆。

葉煥屏	\$1000	詹碧森	\$500
雷羅蓮好	\$100	家庭玫瑰組	\$300
潘宅	\$200	劉宅	\$300
聖安多尼之友	會 \$300	譚歡天	\$300
精叻馬	\$200	母親祈禱會	\$200
龐蔣靜儀	\$100	男聖體會	\$500
太極福傳會	\$500		

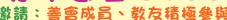








## 尋羊運動2022 邀請:善善會成員、教友積極參與







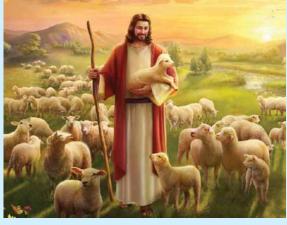




#### Mark 16:15

作為門徒,就是要時刻準備好把耶穌的愛 帶給他人,這會在意想不到的地方發生: 在大街、在廣場、在工作期間,在旅行 中。(《福音的喜樂》127)

## 外 展 尋 羊派 遣 禮



日期: 7月3日 (常年期第14主日) 時間: 上午 10:00 彌撒結束前舉行 行動:街上福傳、派發堂區禮包



#### 為「尋求新羊」祈禱

聖神,請快來臨,進入我心;聖神,願祢來臨,改變我 心;使我心充滿火熱和希望;聖神,我相信祢,使我有 愛。

亞爸!父啊!感謝祢召選了我們,使我們有機會認識祢, 接受祢的聖子為我們帶來的救恩。求祢把聖神的德能傾注 在我們身上,在我們心中發揮效力,並把祢給我們的愛和 救恩帶給身邊的兄弟姊妹。亞孟。



### 「樂融融」家庭同樂日



日期:7月10日(主日) 時間:下午2:30 - 4:30

招待:40個家庭

參觀聖堂, 散播福音種子

內容:為家長安排講座

為小朋友安排有趣活動

派發豐富禮物



#### 堂區口罩義賣









## 歡欣慶祝69周年 堂區教

## 堂區教友作 与世界的光」 Inniversary







聖安多尼堂大家庭於6月11日(周六,天主聖三節前夕)慶祝建堂69周年暨主保瞻禮。

我們今年邀請到香港教區夏志誠輔理主教蒞臨主持<mark>堂慶感恩祭,包括為15位</mark>兄弟姊妹施放堅振聖事,以及為1位學生主持初領聖體聖事禮。

堂慶彌撒開始前,我們見證夏主教主持祝福「聖安多尼麵包」,並唸經文:「上主、我們的天主, 祢是可讚頌的, 祢使萬物飽享祢的恩澤; 懇求祢, 恩賜祢的僕人聖安多尼的轉禱, 在信友取用這麵包時(畫十字聖號), 滿渥天上的恩寵, 使他們一心追求屬神的事, 並在愛德上日益進步。」

麵包祝福禮後,夏主教主持【聖安 多尼之友】入會及許諾儀式,一位新會員 郝士成聯同幹事會成員宣誓:「我們加入 聖安多尼之友會,並且許諾要效法聖安多 尼:熱愛天主聖言,做耶穌基督的傳人, 活出愛主愛人的誡命。」

襄禮主保瞻禮彌撒的司鐸包括吳多祿 神父、黃家輝神父、張心鋭神父、梁熾才 神父、李海龍神父及梁啟光神父。

在講道中,夏主教以當日所選的瑪竇 福音第5章14節,勉勵大家牢記在心,作 「世界的光」,在生活中效法主保聖安多 尼的德行,關愛社區的貧困者,使信仰和 福音的光在人前照耀。

聖安多尼被譽為「聖經的活庫」,善於分享聖言,願這位我們敬愛的主保 福佑我們堂區的福傳工作,尤其「尋羊運動」及「耶穌出巡愛西環」,建設教 會,拓展天國。







本堂送贈給

教友的小冊《聖安多尼金玉良言》,啟發我們努力成為世界的光:「信友經過基督光輝的照耀,便會發出閃閃生輝的善言,及容光煥發的善表,好能灼熱人心;正如水晶經過太陽光線的照射後,會起反射作用一樣。」

堂慶感恩祭後,大家獲派堂區早年印行由余秉昭神父著的《晨鐘續集》,及「聖安多尼麵包」。 願福音聖師聖安多尼繼續為我們代禱,而聖神帶領 堂區大家庭紥根聖言,攜手建立更多活出信望愛的









彌撒後,牧民議會成員及歌詠團在影音室 與夏主教小聚片刻。期間,歌詠團的兄弟姊妹 獻唱兩首聖歌:《方濟各的祈禱》及《願主祝 福你》。慶典在拍攝大合照便圓滿結束,感謝 天主!

## 獻給:我們至敬摯愛的聖體主~耶穌



「聖體相伴,逆境曙光」這句話,從它的孕育到誕生, 見證了我們聖安多尼堂非常務送聖體員,特別是基督聖體聖 血節籌備小組在聖神的引領下所凝聚的心血,亦讓我們深切 體會到聖體主賜予的這句話的深意。

在堂區推行時,感恩有聖安多尼堂這大家庭一呼百應, 多謝牧民議會和禮委支持;更加要多謝當日出力協助的祭衣 房同事、輔祭會、聖言宣讀組、歌詠團、琴師、攝影組、攝 影及直播組,及人本化,有賴你們的協助,慶典才得以順利 進行,還要多謝每一位出席參與的兄弟姊妹。



6月5日(五筍節)慶典當日,兩位神長、議長、委長等人在大門口迎接夏志誠輔理主教蒞臨。待夏主教稍作休息,慶典隨即開始,吳神父簡單而莊嚴地恭迎聖體到祭台,非常務送聖體員俯伏朝拜我們的君王,我們的聖體主。接着夏主教帶我們進入朝拜明供聖體的精髓及氛圍。夏主教的講道非常精彩,他提到在最後晚餐,愛情被誤會,被出賣血。構蹋的那一夜,耶穌留下了愛情的信物——祂的聖體聖血。人在痛苦失意時,若有人陪伴,就會有力量去面對。當我們看見祂的聖體,就記起祂的愛情、憐憫及慈悲。有聖體主的臨在,我們無懼逆境;順境逆境不在於外在環境,而是在於

我們親近主還是遠離主,親近主就是順境,離開主就是逆境。無論在任何環境中,只要全心依靠信賴祂,幾時都有曙光——希望及光明。主教亦鼓勵我們成為其他人的希望與光明。



最為觸動的是聖體遊行及舉揚聖體的一刻,我們熱切渴望聖體主來到我們面前,好能近距離凝視著主耶穌基督。在 他緩緩的降福中,聖體光觸摸了每一位參加者的心靈,不少 兄弟姊妹淚盈於睫,此情此景是基督臨在於聖體聖事的最美 好見證。在美妙的歌聲中,吳神父恭送聖體回聖體櫃,最後 我們一起揮著手唱花地瑪聖母,感謝聖母媽媽為我們所作的 代禱。衆人都滿載主的祝福回去。



6月19日下午1:00,我們非常務送聖體員組繼續慶祝基督聖體聖血節,舉行四小時的朝拜明供聖體敬禮,由吳多祿神父及張心鋭神父主持。張神父教導我們,送聖體員必須朝拜聖體,朝拜與領受聖體是分不開的,我們會謹記張神父的教導。而吳神父的祈禱故事發人深省,他說:有等逆境中的磨難,有如光禿禿山頂的颶風,隨時把人吹下萬丈深淵,祈禱能將我們同天主連在一起,有如我們在山頂巨石後,颶風從左右兩邊吹至,反將我們壓在大石上,屹立不搖。當吳神父捧著聖體走到我們中間,我們得以再一次近距離凝視著我們的主耶穌基督,聖體鴻恩在祂的降福中再次傾瀉在參加者身上、心裏……

全因有各位兄弟姊妹的支持和協助兩次敬禮聖體的活動,我們才得以順利完成。有賴大家的參與,給了我們很大的支持,我們會繼續努力。感謝天主!

#### 感言分享

非常感謝「送聖體員組」的安排,讓我們提早領受「聖體聖血節」的恩寵;非常榮幸禮儀由夏志誠輔理主教主持。6月5日,除夏主教激昂動人的講道外,最高峯要算是當聖體遊行及舉揚聖體的一刻最為動容,使我感到自己的不堪及不足。感謝天主一直的帶領及包容。

聖言宣讀組-陳佩霞

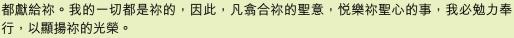
## 耶穌愛我 我的祈禱 奉獻給祢

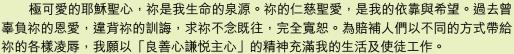
6月是【耶穌聖心月】,本堂特別預備「心形彩色咭紙」,擺放在鮑聖廊。教友可填寫祈禱意願在咭上,並放入特備的籃子內。堂區代為在耶穌聖心像前作奉獻。



### 向耶穌聖心誦

良善心謙的耶穌聖心,我願在祢的愛內,將 我的靈魂肉身、整個的生 命,一切的工作與痛苦,





仁慈的耶穌聖心,求你將聖心的愛火,移植到我心裡,使它發出高度的熱,以鎔化我的心。並願我的名字,刻在祢的聖心上,永不除去。亞孟。





## 基督聖體聖血節

6月18日,樂融融愛心派口罩小組,包裝好物資,準備於翌日——基督聖體聖血節暨父親節——前去石塘咀垃圾站派給清潔工。

基督聖體聖血節前夕組織了外展隊伍。6月19日 出發前,葡萄園的青年、新教友及本堂教友接受吳 多祿神父的派遣和祝福。





親節愛心行動









清潔工友好開心見到青年人關心他們





#### 7月神修話語

常年期第15主日 聖經金句

## 你應當全心、全靈、全力、全意愛上主,你 的天主,並愛近人如你自己。(路10:27)

And he answering said, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy strength, and with all thy mind; and thy neighbour as thyself.

Luke 10:27

#### 生活反省

無論是猶太教徒或是基督徒「愛天主在萬有之上,並愛人如己」都成了2大宗教的金科玉律。以上的聖言綜合了上愛天主和下愛近人的天主教訓導綱領,亦是主耶穌所說最重要的兩條愛的誡命。如果我們能夠真正在生活中實踐,便「離天主的國不遠了」。(谷12:34)

可能有人會問,我們為甚麼要愛?若望宗徒很清楚告訴了我們:「愛就在於此:不是我們愛了天主,而是祂愛了我們,且打發自己的兒子,為我們做贖罪祭。」(若一4:10)「我們應該愛,因為天主先愛了我們。」(若一4:19)

無論是人與天主,或人與人之間的愛,也應凌駕在所有法律,並建構在共融合一的基礎上。天主是愛的泉源,由於聖三無限的愛不斷溢流,令普世的教會好比泉湧出來的小溪,教友都活在那美麗的恩寵流域的溪水旁。主耶穌曾對門徒説:「我給你們一條新命令,你們該彼此相愛,如同我愛了你們。」(若13:34)可見我們的愛是以基督的愛為標準和原動力。我們是否實踐過天主愛的誡命?

我的近人是誰呢?是我的鄰居嗎?是我的近親嗎? 我的仇人也是我的近人嗎?我們連誰是我們的近人都不 知道,又如何愛天主在萬有之上?又如何愛近人呢?猶 太人所説的「近人」,僅指本國人;但耶穌所説的「近 人」,是指所有的人類,在人群中不要分彼此:不分種 族和宗教,不分朋友和敵人。

在路加福音中司祭和肋未人看見了受傷的路人時,並沒有伸出援手,祇是看看便走了;唯有那撒瑪黎雅人,當看見這受了傷的猶太人時,不顧民族歷史仇怨,動了慈悲心,停了下來,照顧傷者,送到客店後還繼續吩咐店主代為照顧。耶穌這個比喻,不單告訴我們如何去實踐愛,也關心我們生活中是否有實踐愛。

誰不問回報地憐憫需要幫助的人就是受惠者的近人。就如我們堂區的愛心飯局及向有需要的人派發物資和福傳,都是愛的表現,這些行動使我們距離拉近,成 為他們的近人。 撒瑪黎雅人活出了「全心、全靈、全力、全意」去 愛世人的精髓時,也就是做到了上愛天主:因為「凡你 對我這些最小兄弟中的一個所做的,就是對我做的。」 (瑪25:40)

天主三位一體的共融完美示範了聖三自遠古創世之初至今無限溢流的愛情,就算我們心裡相信、口裡宣認不斷獻祭還是不夠,因為主曾説過:「我喜歡仁愛勝過祭獻。」(瑪9.9)因此,我們必須在生活中活出基督愛的精神,就如慈善的撒瑪黎雅人一樣,消除自私偏見和驕傲的心態,在日常生活中懷著無私愛德的關懷、照料近人的需要。

當我們遇到相同的處境時,是否能真正實踐基督的愛,又或是因缺乏勇氣而會感到力不從心?我們單靠自己的力量,當然會感到十分困難。因為離開了天主,我們將一事無成。只有依靠著天主,與祂經常聯繫,們的愛才會永不止息。「假使有人說:我愛天主,我們的愛才會永不止息。「假使有人說:我愛天主,我們的常兄,就不能愛自己所看不見的天主。」(若壹4:20)我們除了愛近人外,是否可以更上一層樓,去按主耶穌的訓導實踐:「你們當愛你們的仇人,當為迫害你們的人祈禱」呢?(瑪5:44)

#### 祈禱

全能慈悲的天父,感謝祢先愛了我們,我們願意全心、全靈、全意投靠祢,愛慕祢,使我們在聖三滿溢的愛內,能夠愛慕追隨基督,學習彼此相親相愛,去報答祢無私、毫不保留的大愛。

因為祢樂見我們在祢聖愛內共融合一,成為祢的肢體,求祢派遣聖神來到我們心中,使我們充滿愛心,不分種族、宗教、敵友和社會階層,去和平共處,相親相愛,放下戰爭和暴力衝突成為普世人類的近人,慷慨地為有需要的人服務。亞孟。

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## 家庭之愛:聖召與成聖之路



香港教區於6月25日下午在聖母無原罪主教座堂舉行第十屆世界家庭大會暨《愛 的喜樂》家庭年閉幕感恩祭,由周守仁主教主禮。這也是回應教廷平信徒、家庭和 生命在羅馬於舉行6月22日至26日舉行的第十屆世界家庭大會,主題為「家庭之愛: 聖召與成聖之路」。因疫情關係,教宗方濟各希望是次會議能以「多點而分散」的 方式進行,並邀請全球各教區以各自方式慶祝。

為回應教宗的呼籲,教區婚姻與家庭牧民委員會邀請全港堂區選派不同類別 的夫婦及持守婚盟者出席上述感恩祭,表現大家的團結共融,見證「愛的喜樂」。

當天,聖安多 尼堂派了五對夫婦 及一位持守婚盟者 參與彌撒,代表著 堂區內與他們有相 同背景及姻狀況的 弟兄姊妹,在感恩 祭中領受周主教的 隆重降福。各堂區













代表在禮成 後獲贈以第 十屆世界家 庭大會的正 式圖像為設 計的變色杯 一隻,作為 特別紀念。



## 一屆世界家庭大會





作曲:Marco Frisina 填詞 (粤語版):佚名 編曲/監製:鄭汝森

主唱:郭蕙漩、鍾明崇、余晞晉、

何柏橋、梁逸妍

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1. 齊成聖相親,愛這一家, 同微笑吧,那怕傷疤。

真光照遍幾多年華,得恩寵,亞肋路亞!

(重唱) 願您相信祂! 願您一生相信! 讓我真心愛,伴您勇敢相信愛。

2. 尋求探真,美好精彩。來傳福音遠至深海。 基督帶領,溫馨滿載,一起跑這艱辛障礙賽。



## 教宗叮嘱:

家庭在生活中定睛仰望高天

第十屆世界家庭大會的開幕儀式有如「樂譜」一般,交織著音樂和生命經驗,並為省思和祈禱留下空間。教宗方濟各於6月22日傍晚在大會上發表講話,敦促家庭接受上主來改變自己,「在生活中定睛仰望高天」,以應對生活的苦與樂。《愛的喜樂》宗座勸諭是這次大會的基礎。

本屆世界家庭大會以羅馬為主要會場,同時也在全世界舉辦活動,讓眾多家庭能聆聽和分享彼此的擔憂與希望。當天傍晚,若干家庭在保祿六世大廳內講述了他們的經歷,為許多有著類似經驗的家庭發聲。



教宗鼓勵這些家庭:「你們從自己的現實處境出發, 試著從那裡開始攜手前行:夫婦同心,在家庭內並與其它 家庭一起、與教會一起前進。我想到慈善的撒瑪黎雅人的 比喻。他在路上遇見受傷的人,走上前去照顧他,幫助他 重新踏上旅途。我希望這正是教會之於你們的寫照!慈善 的撒瑪黎雅人親近你們,幫助你們繼續你們的旅途,繼續 邁出步伐。」

夫妻之愛不是獨自前行、而是與主同行的旅途。教宗提到其中一個做見證的家庭的經歷:這對養育三個孩子的年輕父母,當初未婚生子,而且害怕結婚。教宗強調,「家庭生活不是『不可能的任務』。因著聖事的恩寵,天主使之成為與祂同行、絕不孤單的美妙旅途」。

「我們可以說,當一男一女相愛時,天主賜給他們一份禮物,即婚姻。這份絕妙的禮物本身蘊含了天主聖愛的力量:強勁、持久、忠貞、能在每次失敗或脆弱後破鏡重圓。婚姻不是一道有待辦理的手續。人們結婚的目的不是為了得到一張寫著『守規矩的天主教徒』的標籤,或是因為教會要求,或是為了辦喜酒。人們之所以結婚,是因為他們想要以基督的愛作為婚姻的基石,祂的愛堅若磐石。在婚姻裡,基督把自己送給你們,讓你們得到彼此贈予的力量。」

人人都能走上成聖之路。加辣·科爾貝拉(Chiara Corbella)的父母在開幕式上做出見證。加辣是個信德深厚的少婦,她在懷孕過程中發現罹患腫瘤,為了保住孩子的性命,她婉拒一切會傷害胎兒的治療方法,等到產後再繼續療程,最終病逝。她的列真福品案於2018年啟動。

教宗由此指出,十字架的道路能開啟那扇通往永生的窗。「十字架是每個人、每個家庭生活的一部分。你們見證出加辣患病和死亡的艱苦十字架並未摧毀家庭、沒有消除你們內心的寧靜和平安。……你們沒被生活擊垮,並未絕望、發怒,你們身上反倒流露出深切的寧靜和莫大的信

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寬恕能治癒每一個創傷。來自剛果民主共和國的夫妻講述了他們經歷過的婚姻危機。教宗對此表示,待人不誠懇、不忠不信、財物運用不當、貪戀權勢、謀求飛黃騰達、累積怨恨、心硬如石,這些危機都會出現在家庭裡。「目睹家庭破裂是一大悲劇,我們不可冷漠以對。」同時,這對非洲夫婦的經歷也「傳遞出希望」。

丈夫保祿説,就在他陷入危機深淵時,上主回應了他心中最深的渴望,挽救了他的婚姻。教宗強調,事情正是如此。「每個人都打從心底渴望愛永不止息,期盼與愛人共同編織的故事不要中斷。人人都有這份渴望。沒有人希望愛情的『保鮮期短暫』,或者『有一天會過期』。因此,人的缺失、疏忽和過錯一旦導致婚姻觸礁,當事人就會十分煎熬。然而,即使是在暴風雨中,天主也看得見人心深處的渴望」。

另一組見證人是逃離烏克蘭戰爭的家庭,以及接納他們的家庭。教宗表示,「要是少了慷慨接納的家庭,社會就會變得冰冷、不適合居住」。逃離烏克蘭的家庭反映出「許多男女不得不逃離家園的面容和經歷」。教宗感謝這些家庭始終信賴天主上智的安排,「通過具體的相遇對象,看見天主施恩於己」。「戰爭迫使你們面臨人的冷酷無情和殘暴不仁,但你們也遇見了人情味濃厚的人們。那是人最糟糕和最美好的面向!重要的是,大家不要停留在最糟糕的一面,卻要弘揚每個人都能發揮的美善。」

面對家中本就人口眾多、還願意敞開家門接納難民的家庭,教宗向他們致以由衷感謝。教宗說:「你們對我們坦白說出,你們這麼做是為了向天主獻上感恩,本著信仰的精神,視之為上主的召叫。」「事實上,接納之舉本身就是家庭的『特恩』,尤其是人口眾多的家庭的特恩!

教宗最後勉勵在場的所有家庭「在生活中定睛仰望高 天」,「懷著勇氣和喜樂」繼續向前邁進。

(資料:梵蒂岡新聞網)

#### 第二屆世界祖父母和長者日文告:

## 教宗:祖父母和年長者是溫柔革命的工匠

聖座於5月10日公布了教宗方濟各第二屆世界祖父母和年長者日文告,主題為「雖已年老,仍然結果」(詠92:15)。今年將於7月24日慶祝這節日。教宗在文告中勉勵年長者成為「和平相處和關注弱小的導師」,同時也邀請堂區和團體行慈悲善工,探望孤獨的長者。



教宗開門見山地指出,我們的世界處在疫情和突然而至的戰爭風暴中,和平及發展在全世界範圍都受到了傷害。然而,另一個實際危險就是沒有看到另一些「流行病」和威脅人類家庭及我們共同家園的「其它形式的暴力」,那就是忘記了年長者,將他們丟棄,認為他們不再「結果實」。

聖詠中「雖已年老,仍然結果」這一句話與「世界對這個人生年齡的看法背道而馳;也與我們一些老年人 低頭認命的態度相左,他們活著看不到希望,不再對未來有任何期待」。教宗提到,在許多人看來,「年老令 人懼怕」,他們把老年視為疾病,避免與年長者有「任何形式的接觸」。

至於解決這個問題的方式,那就是往往將他們送到負責照顧長者的機構,藉此接受了那允許將「我們」與「他們」分離的「丟棄文化」。教宗説:「事實上《聖經》這樣教導,長壽是一個福分,年長者不應是被拋棄、被遠離的人,而是天主仁慈而慷慨地賜予豐厚生命的活標記。那守護長者的居所是蒙祝福的!用

教宗指出,這個年齡難以得到理解,因為我們沒有作好接納它的準備,再説所提供的是「護理方案,而不是護理計劃」。我們注視的是面容上的皺紋,而不是一種視野,以致於將丟棄文化內在化。《聖詠》則告訴我們,信靠上主,「我們就會找到每日加倍地讚美的力量」(71:14)。

因此,「我們將發現,成為老年人不僅是身體的自然退化或時間不可避免的流逝,也是一種長壽的恩典。 老化不是一項宣判,而是一種祝福!」

接着,教宗指出在精神上積極度老年生活的方式,即「勤奮誦讀天主聖言、每日祈禱、常領聖事和參加禮儀」。此外,也要培養與天主和與他人的關係,尤其關愛我們的近人,包括窮人和受苦的人。教宗在此也交給年長者一項使命:對溫柔的革命作出重大貢獻。

「祖父母和年長者們,我們有一項重大的責任,就是教授現時的男女,以我們注視自己孫輩的善於理解和 溫柔的同樣目光看待他人。在關懷近人方面,我們磨練了自己的人性,今天我們能成為和平相處和關注最弱小 者的生活導師。」

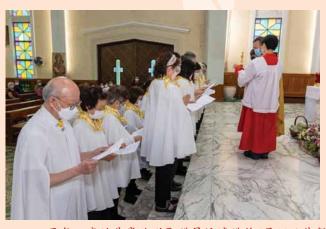
教宗寫道,「我們蒙召結出的果實之一,乃是守護世界……像大聖若瑟、溫柔和殷勤的父親那樣,在我們心中守護著烏克蘭、阿富汗、南蘇丹的弱小者」。能形成這個意識,正是因為我們知道「我們無法獨自得救,幸福乃是衆人共同分享一塊麵包」。因此,祖父母和年長者必須向那些自以為他們在與別人的對立中已有成就的人見證這一點。

教宗表示,「所有的人,包括最弱小的人都能做到這一點。換句話説,我們本身就接受護理,經常是受到來自其它國家的人的照顧,這是説明一起生活不僅可能,也有必要的一種方式」。

在文告的結尾,教宗邀請衆人一起慶祝世界祖父母和年長者日,堂區和團體去「家庭或受到接待的護理院」探望他們,因為在相遇中能產生友誼。「我們要確保沒有人在這一天過著孤獨的生活。探訪孤獨的年長者 是我們這個時代的一項慈悲善工!」

「讓我們懇求聖母,溫柔的母親幫助我們衆人成為溫柔革命的工匠,共同使世界擺脱孤獨的陰影和戰爭的 惡魔。」

#### 送聖體員派遣禮





兩年一度的非常務送聖體員派遣禮於6月19日基督聖體聖血節早上8:30彌撒中舉行,有36位組員延任 適逢新一屆幹事改選,會長一職繼續由曾月霞留任,鄧燕萍及吳家念當選為副會長及秘書。 如有興趣加入非常務送聖體員組的兄弟姊妹,可到辦事處留下姓名及電話,本會幹事會與你聯絡。

## 主日學耶穌聖心像巡遊活動

王平輝修士

六月是特別敬禮耶穌聖心的月份。在這月份即將結束的時候,「聖安多尼堂主日學」於6月26日(常年期第13主日)為兒童學生舉行了耶穌聖心像巡遊活動。我感到非常榮幸能收到主日學導師的邀請,與他們一起唱歌,一起玩,一起祈禱,將整個六月份的學習和生活奉獻給耶穌聖心。

耶穌教導我們,讓小孩子到我跟前來,不要阻止他們。(谷10:14)的確,耶穌非常喜愛小孩子。當我看到他們一張張天使般的面孔,可愛的笑容時,我深深地被感動。在天父面前,我們都需要變成小孩子。在教他們唱歌的時候,他們非常投入,大聲地歌唱,讚美天主。音樂確實很奇妙,用唱歌的方式使我可以更好地融入他們。他們在學習唱歌時也很開心。與他們在一起,我都覺得很開心。





#### 「第二屆世界祖父母及長者日」

「第二屆世界祖父母及長者日」將於本年7月24日舉行。本屆主題為:「(他們)雖已年老,仍然結果」(詠92:15)。該主題旨在喚起我們重新肯定祖父母及長者的可貴之處。他們常被置於家庭、公民社會及教會團體的邊緣,但他們在人生和信仰上的豐富經驗,能對社會和教會團體帶來很大的貢獻。我們應推廣代與代之間,尤其是祖父母與孫輩之間的對話。教會既已踏上共議同行的旅途,這些對話尤其有需要。

為幫助教會團體舉辦相關慶祝,宗座「教友、家庭及生命部」已提供相關的牧民建議(見宗座部門的網頁:www.laityfamilylife.va)。教宗將於本屆慶典當日,頒賜全大赦予祖父母、長者及信友,條件如下:

#### 基本條件:

不依戀任何罪惡,並領受修和聖事(在履行下列其中一項善工之前或之後的三周內滿全)、在彌撒中領聖體,及按照教宗的意向祈禱(可誦念天主經及聖母經各一遍來滿全)。

#### 須履行以下其中一項善工:

- 1. 基於真心懺悔和愛德,當日親身參與教宗在梵蒂岡宗座大殿主持的隆重典禮,或於世界各地舉行的其中一項相關活動;
- 2. 親身或以網上視像方式,奉獻相當的時間去悉心探望有需要或有困難(如患病、被遺棄、殘障或類似狀況)的長者;
- 3. 無法出門參禮的患病長者,以及所有因重大理由不能外出者,若決意擺脱一切罪惡及願意盡快滿全三個慣常條件, 同時以心神參與上述慶典活動,尤其透過媒體,收聽教宗當日的訓勉和收看慶典活動,並將自己的祈禱和生活上的 困苦,奉獻給慈悲的天主。

上述全大赦亦可讓予煉靈。

香港教區主教公署 2022年6月20日









早上,大家一齊參加堂 區主日8:30彌撒,隨後46人一 同乘專車往碼頭。到了長洲鮑 思高慈幼靜修院,雖然天氣酷 熱,大家稍作休息,先行參觀 修院。午飯後,進行學習四福 音。

大家安靜的坐在禮堂內 聽講解,在培育組的教導協助 下,分四小組,有神聖誦讀, 也有聲藝表演。大家把該小 組學習的福音章節仔細閱讀分 享,然後表演出來。一時場面 十分溫馨愉快。

最後在聖堂裡作晚課祈 禱,大家接著離開靜修院,結 束了一天的學習營。



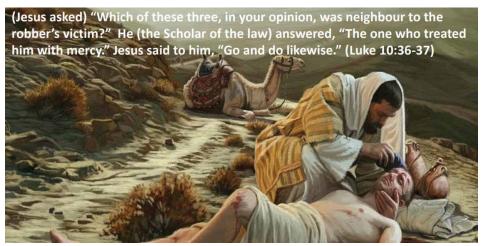




今次活動感謝培育組的帶領和幫忙,也可看到新教友對學習聖言的熱 衷。



## Living Word of God - July 2022



#### Reflection

Because we have obeyed the commandments, attended Mass on Sundays and devoted much time serving in church ministries, most of us consider ourselves religiously safe as long as our faith is not under challenge. However, we may stumble and fall and fail our Lord's onspot inspection of our sacrificial love to our neighbours.

The bible verses following the parable of the good Samaritan give us a clear message that our faith is never meant to be book knowledge and theological study, but rather it demands us to live our Christian faith in reality and practice the true essence of Christian fellowship love in the secular world. In the book of Deuteronomy (Deut 6:5) written centuries before Christ, we can see that the practice of faith was somewhat similar to what is happening in today's secular world on caring and helping marginalized families living in sub-divided tiny flats as well as the homeless.

Indeed, what God wants us to do is not only found in the pilgrimage at stratosphere in the ends of the earth. Rather, it is very often as close as serving the needs of a neighbour. The biblical literature shows that by extending and receiving hospitality we can embrace the traditional values deeply embedded in all cultures in the biblical time.

The parable of the good Samaritan presents us with a moral lesson in which the saints and Fathers of the church consistently understood it as an allegory in which the traveler is the fallen human person (Adam), Jericho is the secular world, Jerusalem is the holy city in heaven, and the good Samaritan is Our Lord. Such interpretation is found in St. Irenaeus, Clement of Alexandria, Origen, St. Ambrose and St. Augustine. They saw the Samaritan as Christ, who heals us of our wounds. St. Ambrose saw the man as Adam who had come down because of sin; he was attacked because of his sinful and lack of sanctifying grace conditions. St. Augustine added the Baptism sin remission signs through the interpretation of oil and wine, but he insisted that our weakness remained because the effects of original sin made us unable to transcend without sanctifying grace. That was why the wounded man needed to be looked after in the inn, signifying the ecumenical Church. The same applies to all of us. We need to stay in the Church throughout our life so that we may be completely cared for, and prepare ourselves to enter the New Jerusalem in the Kingdom of Heaven. (St. Augustine, Sermon 131.6 ML38.732)

The parable teaches us that we should also learn to heal our wounds and improve our spiritual lives through the grace of sacraments we receive from the Church. A charitable act, however simple it is, represents a gesture of Jesus' hospitality expressed. It reminds us of the duty to be kind to

the unfortunate, and be unprejudiced and indiscriminative against those who are of a different group from us.

In another parable of Jesus a man went to a friend at night pleading for three loaves of bread because he wanted to serve another friend who had just arrived from a long journey, with hospitality (Luke 11:5-8). In this context, hospitality was expected of everyone, even the poorest of the poor, and it could be offered even in a shabby dwelling. The friend in Jesus' parable who had to beg for bread was obviously not a rich man. Neither was his friend who could not get up without waking up his children (probably because they all squeezed into the same small bed). As such it reminds us offering our neighbour hospitality needs not be a well-planned event; it can be impromptu as an on-spot inspection of our love and mercifulness for our neighbours.

Mother Teresa answered to that calling willfully and began her mission among the poorest of the poor in Calcutta of India. She has become the sign of mercy of our time.

Jesus asks us to "Go and do likewise." Jesus wants us to follow the Good Samaritan example and sharpen our awareness of those who are in need. Jesus demonstrated to us that the unreserved Christian tender loving care and all-inclusive charity acts in our daily life should embrace all the people in need and deprived of love.

#### **Prayer**

Our Lord Jesus, thank you for being our guide and teaching us the way to serve our neighbours with hospitality. Please help us transmit your unreserved love to the world by spreading the good news of your words not merely by talking, but also by doing charity acts. We beg for your sanctifying grace to transform us not just in our acts, but in our hearts as well such that we will also have the virtues of the Good Samaritan to love and serve our neighbours. Amen.



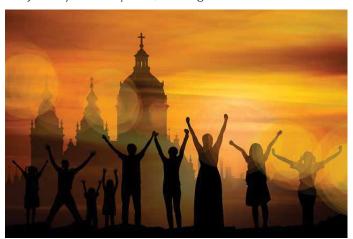


By accepting the call to marriage and family, you too have left the "nest" and set out on a trip, without knowing beforehand where exactly it would lead, and what new situations, unexpected events and surprises, some painful, would eventually lie in store for you. That is what it means to journey with the Lord. It is a lively, unpredictable and marvellous voyage of discovery. Let us remember that every disciple of Jesus finds his or her repose in doing God's will each day, wherever it may lead.

A second disciple is told not to "go back to bury his dead" (vv. 59-60). This has nothing to do with disobeying the fourth commandment, which remains ever valid and is a commandment that makes us holy. Rather, it is a summons to obey, above all, the first commandment: to love God above all things. The same thing happens with the third disciple, who is called to follow Christ resolutely and with an undivided heart, without "looking back", not even to say farewell to the members of his family (cf. vv. 61-62).

Dear families, you too have been asked not to have other priorities, not to "look back", to miss your former life, your former freedom, with its deceptive illusions. Life becomes "fossilized" when it is not open to the newness of God's call and pines for the past. Missing the past and not being open to the newness that God sends always "fossilizes" us; it hardens us and does not make us more human. When Jesus calls, also in the case of marriage and family life, he asks us to keep looking ahead, and he always precedes us on the way. He always precedes us in love and service. And those who follow him will not be disappointed!

Dear brothers and sisters, providentially, the readings of today's liturgy speak of vocation, which is the theme of this Tenth World Meeting of Families: "Family Love: a Vocation and a Path to Holiness". Strengthened by those words of life, I encourage you to take up with renewed conviction the journey of family love, sharing with all the members of



your families the joy of this calling. It is not an easy journey: there will be dark moments, moments of difficulty in which we will think that it is all over. May the love you share with one another be always open, directed outwards, capable of "touching" the weak and wounded, the frail in body and the frail in spirit, and all whom you meet along the way. For love, including family love, is purified and strengthened whenever it is shared with others.

Betting on family love is courageous: it takes courage to marry. We see many young people who do not have the courage to marry and many times mothers say to me: "Do something, speak to my son, he will not marry, he is thirtyseven years old!" - "But, madam, stop ironing his shirts, start to send him away little by little so that he will leave the nest". Family love pushes the children to fly; it teaches them to fly and pushes them to do so. It is not possessive: it always about freedom. In the moments of difficulty and crisis – every family has them – please do not take the easy way: "I am going home to mommy". No, move forward with this courageous bet. There will be difficult moments, there will be tough moments, but always move forward. Your husband, your wife, has that spark of love that you felt in the beginning: release it from within and rediscover love. This will help in moments of crisis.

The Church is with you; indeed, the Church is in you! For the Church was born of a family, the Holy Family of Nazareth, and is made up mostly of families. May the Lord help you each day to persevere in unity, peace, joy, and in moments of difficulty, that faithful perseverance, which makes us live better and shows everyone that God is love and communion of life.

(Holy Father's Homily, X World Meeting of Families Closing Mass, 25 June 2022)



#### For the elderly

We pray for the elderly, who represent the roots and memory of a people; may their experience and wisdom help young people to look towards the future with hope and responsibility.

#### 為老年人祈禱

老年人是一個民族的根源與記憶,祈願他們的經驗和智慧能幫助年輕人,懷著希望及責任感展望未來。





them. The family is the first place where we learn to love. We must never forget that the family is the first place where we learn to love.

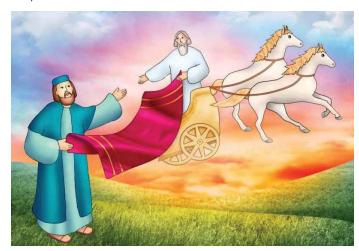
Brothers and sisters, even as we reaffirm this with profound conviction, we also know full well that it is not always the case, for any number of reasons and a variety of situations. And so, in praising the beauty of the family, we also feel compelled, today more than ever, to defend the family. Let us not allow the family to be poisoned by the toxins of selfishness, individualism, today's culture of indifference and culture of waste, and as a result lose its very DNA, which is the spirit of acceptance and service. The mark of the family is acceptance and the spirit of service within the family.

The relationship between the prophets Elijah and Elisha, as presented in the first reading, reminds us of the relationship between generations, the "passing on of witness" from parents to children. In today's world, that relationship is not an easy one, and frequently it is a cause for concern. Parents fear that children will not be able to find their way amid the complexity and confusion of our societies, where everything seems chaotic and precarious, and in the end lose their way. This fear makes some parents anxious and others overprotective. At times, it even ends up thwarting the desire to bring new lives into the world.

We do well to reflect on the relationship between Elijah and Elisha. Elijah, at a moment of crisis and fear for the future, receives from God the command to anoint Elisha as his successor. God makes Elijah realize that the world does not end with him, and commands him to pass on his mission to another. That is the meaning of the gesture described in the text: Elijah throws his mantle over the shoulders of Elisha, and from that moment the disciple takes the place of the master, in order to carry on his prophetic ministry in Israel. God thus shows that he has confidence in the young Elisha. The elderly Elijah passes the position, the prophetic vocation to Elisha. He trusts the young person, he trusts in the future. In this gesture, there is hope, and with hope, he passes the baton.

How important it is for parents to reflect on God's way of acting! God loves young people, but that does not mean that he preserves them from all risk, from every challenge and from all suffering. God is not anxious and overprotective. Think about it: God is not anxious and overprotective; on the contrary, he trusts young people and he calls each of them to scale the heights of life and of mission. We think of the child Samuel, the adolescent David or the young Jeremiah; above all, we think of that young sixteen or seventeen year old girl who conceived Jesus, the Virgin Mary. He trusts a young girl. Dear parents, the word of God shows us the way: not to shield our

children from the slightest hardship and suffering, but to try to communicate to them a passion for life, to arouse in them the desire to discover their vocation and embrace the great mission that God has in mind for them. It was precisely that discovery which made Elisha courageous and determined; it made him become an adult. The decision to leave his parents behind and to sacrifice the oxen is a sign that Elisha realized that it was now "up to him", that it was time to accept God's call and to carry on the work of his master. This he would do courageously until the very end of his life. Dear parents, if you help your children to discover and to accept their vocation, you will see that they too will be "gripped" by this mission; and they will find the strength they need to confront and overcome the difficulties of life.



I would like to add that, for educators, the best way to help others to follow their vocation is to embrace our own vocation with faithful love. That is what the disciples saw Jesus do. Today's Gospel shows us an emblematic moment when Jesus "set his face to go to Jerusalem" (Lk 9:51), knowing well that there he would be condemned and put to death. On his way to Jerusalem, Jesus met with rejection from the inhabitants of Samaria, which aroused the indignant reaction of James and John, but he accepted that rejection, because it was part of his vocation. He met rejection from the very start, first in Nazareth - here we think of that day in the synagogue of Nazareth (cf. Mt 13: 53-58) – now in Samaria, and he was about to be rejected in Jerusalem. Jesus accepted it all, for he came to take upon himself our sins. In a similar way, nothing can be more encouraging for children than to see their parents experiencing marriage and family life as a mission, demonstrating fidelity and patience despite difficulties, moments of sadness and times of trial. What Jesus encountered in Samaria takes place in every Christian vocation, including that of the family. We all know that there are moments when we have to take upon ourselves the resistance, opposition, rejection and misunderstanding born of human hearts and, with the grace of Christ, transform these into acceptance of others and gratuitous love.

Immediately after that episode, which in some way shows us Jesus' own "vocation", the Gospel presents three other callings on the way to Jerusalem, represented by three aspiring disciples of Jesus. The first is told not to seek a fixed home, a secure situation, in following Jesus, for the master "has nowhere to place his head" (Lk 9:58). To follow Jesus means to set out on a never-ending "trip" with him through the events of life. How true this is for you married couples!



#### Saint Anthony's Church Parish Newsletter No. 623

## **Shepherd Flock's Dialogue July 2022**



#### Liturgy activities for the month of July 2022

First Friday of the month
Feast of Sacred Heart of Jesus Mass
8:00pm (Chinese)

**3rd July**14th Sunday of the Year
Sheep Seeking Commissioning Rite
10:00am Mass (Chinese)

10th July 15th Sunday of the Year 17th July 16th Sunday of the Year

20th July

Commemoration of All Faithful Departed Mass 6:00pm (Chinese)

24th July
17th Sunday
of the Year

31st July
18th Sunday
of the Year

Events for St. Anthony's Church
\* Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration

\* Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration (every Thursday evening 7:00pm)\* St. Anthony's Day (every Tuesday)

Welcome to 11:30 AM English Mass

Pope Francis Homily
X World Meeting of Families
13th Sunday of the Year

# Family Love: a Vocation and a Path to Holiness



In this Tenth World Meeting of Families, it is now the time for thanksgiving. Today we bring before God with gratitude - as if in a great offertory procession - all the fruits that the Holy Spirit has sown in you, dear families. Some of you have taken part in the moments of reflection and sharing here in the Vatican; others have led them and participated in them in the various dioceses, creating a kind of vast "constellation". I think of the rich variety of experiences, plans and dreams, as well as concerns and uncertainties, which you have shared with one another. Let us now present all of these to the Lord and ask him to sustain you with his strength and love. You are fathers, mothers and children, grandparents, uncles and aunts. You are adults and children, young and old. Each of you brings a different experience of family, but all of you have one hope and prayer: that God will bless and keep your families and all the families of the world.



Saint Paul, in today's second reading, spoke to us about freedom. Freedom is one of the most cherished ideals and goals of the people of our time. Everyone wants to be free, free of conditioning and limitations, free of every kind of "prison", cultural, social or economic. Yet, how many people lack the greatest freedom of all, which is interior freedom! The greatest freedom is interior freedom. The Apostle reminds us Christians that interior freedom is above all a gift, when he says: "For freedom Christ has set us free!" (Gal 5:1). Freedom is something we receive. All of us are born with many forms of interior and exterior conditioning, and especially with a tendency to selfishness, to making ourselves the centre of everything and being concerned only with our own interests. This is the slavery from which Christ has set us free. Lest there be any mistake, Saint Paul tells us that the freedom given to us by God is not the false and empty freedom of the world, which in reality is "an opportunity for self-indulgence" (Gal 5:13). No, the freedom that Christ gained at the price of his own blood is completely directed to love, so that – as the Apostle tells us again today – "through love you may become slaves of one another" (ibid.).

All of you married couples, in building your family, made, with the help of Christ's grace, a courageous decision: not to use freedom for yourselves, but to love the persons that God has put at your side. Instead of living like little islands, you became "slaves of one another". That is how freedom is exercised in the family. There are no "planets" or "satellites", each travelling on its own orbit. The family is the place of encounter, of sharing, of going forth from ourselves in order to welcome others and stand beside