

16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Wisdom. 12:13,16-19, Rom 8:26-27, Mt 13:23-43

THEME: IN GOD WE HAVE A MERCIFUL FATHER WHO CARES FOR ALL.

My dearest people of God. We have come again today in the presence of God to offer him our Sacrifice of praise and thanks. let us realize that as Children of God we are all welcomed in the presence of God always not minding our present condition or situation.

Any time you come to Church, feel free and relaxed for you are in your Father's house. A father, who is so loving to all his Children. A Father, who is interested in your welfare.

In our first reading today, from the book of Wisdom, we are reminded again that our God is a Just God. He cares for everybody, not minding gender, race, tribe, colour, old or young. In Him we have a father who has our interest at heart always. He always looks at us, his children, with mercy and love. He does not reward us according to our failings.

As a merciful Father, God gives us time to come out of our sins and mistakes in life. Any time we come back to him God is always there to receive us back and forgive our sins. let us open up to God and confess our sins to him.. For God has already opened up his two hands to welcome us back with his mercy and blessings. Come to him with faith and trust.

In the second reading today, from St. Paul's letter to the Romans, St. Paul is inviting you and me not to pray and work alone again, but to invite the Holy Spirit of God to help us in our prayers and in all that we do. For the Holy Spirit of God is the power of (god in the life of believers, leading us to success and victory as children of the living God.

May we always bear in mind that in God we have a loving father, who will never fail us. He is there for us always, any time, any moment, to listen to us and to care for our needs. He is full of love and mercy for everybody. let us continue to call him Father and he will continue to take us as his loving Sons and Daughters.