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April 23rd, 2017, Divine Mercy Sunday



Weekly Words from The Rock

Here is a story that speaks to us of the mercy of God. (The author of the story is unknown).

After a few of the usual Sunday evening hymns, the church's pastor once again slowly stood up, walked over to the pulpit, and gave a very brief introduction of his childhood friend. With that, an elderly man stepped up to the pulpit to speak, "A father, his son, and a friend of his son were sailing off the Pacific Coast," he began, "when a fast approaching storm blocked any attempt to get back to shore. The waves were so high, that even though the father was an experienced sailor, he could not keep the boat upright, and the three were swept into the ocean."

The old man hesitated for a moment, making eye contact with two teenagers who were, for the first time since the service began, looking somewhat interested in his story. He continued, "Grabbing a rescue line, the father had to make the most excruciating decision of his life: to which boy he would throw the other end of the line. He only had seconds to make the decision. The father knew that his son was a Christian, and he also knew that his son's friend was not. The agony of his decision could not be matched by the torrent of waves. As the father yelled out, 'I love you, son!' he threw the line to his son's friend."

"By the time he pulled the friend back to the capsized boat, his son had disappeared beyond the raging swells into the black of night. His body was never recovered."

By this time, the two teenagers were sitting straighter in the pew, waiting for the next words to come out of the old man's mouth. "The father," he continued, "knew his son would step into eternity with Jesus, and he could

not bear the thought of his son's friend stepping into an eternity without Jesus. Therefore, he sacrificed his son. How great is the love of God that He should do the same for us." With that, the old man turned and sat back down in his chair as silence filled the room.

Within minutes after the service ended, the two teenagers were at the old man's side. "That was a nice story," politely started one of the boys, "but I don't think it was very realistic for a father to give up his son's life in hopes that the other boy would become a Christian."

"Well, you've got a point there," the old man replied, glancing down at his worn Bible. A big smile broadened his narrow face, and he once again looked up at the boys and said, "It sure isn't very realistic, is it? But I'm standing here today to tell you that THAT story gives me a glimpse of what it must have been like for God to give up His son for me. You see . . . I was the son's friend."

Holy Humor

Here are two stories for your enjoyment.

Benjamin listened closely as Rabbi Greenbaum read from the Bible.

'May I ask a question?' Ben asked. Of course, go ahead, ask your question,' replied the rabbi.

'Well, the Bible says that the children of Israel crossed the Red Sea,' continued Ben, 'also that the children of Israel built the temple, the children of Israel did this and the children of Israel did that. Didn't the grown-ups ever do anything?'

A woman named Edna finds herself in dire trouble. Her business has gone bust and she's in serious financial trouble. She's so desperate that she decides to ask God for help. She begins to pray... 'God, please help me. I've lost my business and if I don't get some money, I'm going to lose my house as well. Please let me win the lotto.'

Lotto night comes and somebody else wins it.

Edna again prays.... 'God, please let me

win the lotto! I've lost my business, my house and I'm going to lose my car as well.' Lotto night comes and Edna still has no luck.

Once again, she prays, 'My God, why have you forsaken me?? I've lost my business, my house, and my car. My children are starving. I don't often ask you for help and I have always been a good servant to you. PLEASE, just let me win the lotto this one time so I can get my life back in order.'

Suddenly there is a blinding flash of light as the heavens open and Edna is confronted by the voice of God Himself:

'Edna, meet Me halfway on this. Buy a ticket.'

Answer for the Week

Question: Father, this is Divine Mercy Sunday. What is mercy? Is forgiveness the same as mercy?

Answer: No, they are different. Mercy is looking within a person's heart and seeing the utter pain sin has done to the heart. It is doing something about the pain. That is the story of God. God could see the pain and destruction sin had caused within the human heart.

What did he do? He sent his son to suffer, die, and rise so that a person could be made whole and right with God.

The definition of forgiveness is the pardon and remission of an offense.

There are two key words here.

1. Forgiveness is about pardoning. To pardon is the action of forgiving or being forgiven for an offense.
2. Forgiveness is about remission of an offense. Remission means the cancellation of a debt, charge, or penalty.

Thus, in forgiveness, not only is one offered forgiveness; too, there is a promise of no further recourse.

Question for the Week ; Father, we have First Communion next weekend. What do you remember about your First Holy Communion?

I'll provide the answer next week.

God's blessings! Father Schuster



Would you like to join in the challenge this Easter season (50 days) to open up the Bible and read the Acts of the Apostles? I hope you will. Devoting five or ten minutes each day to reading the living Word of God provides new meaning to all our daily actions. Fun and surprising insights and connections come to life through a scripture lens.

Thoughts from Cheryl

Do you remember the first time that you were totally on your own? When your parents' home was a place to visit, not to live anymore? When your go-to person for help and advice was not available to support and back you up? As I was reading about the ascension of Jesus in the first chapter of Acts, a feeling of 'what do I do now' came over me. How

difficult it must have been to hear the angels words, "Men of Galilee, why are you standing there looking at the sky?" It was time for the Apostles to return to Jerusalem, stand firm in faith, wait for the Holy Spirit, and begin to witness to the resurrection of Christ and build his Church. It was time to act.

Many of you are aware that Resurrection hosted the Chrism Mass on Monday, April 10. Over 1,000 people attended from across the entire diocese. It was a beautiful Mass and celebration. What enabled us to pull it off was the involvement of more than a hundred Resurrection parishioners to wait on tables, greeters at every door and entry way, ushers to assist people in finding a place to sit, oil distributors to fill hundreds of bottles with sacred oils, musicians to lead the assembly in song, bakers to make bars and cookies for the reception, and helpers to set up and tear down tables and chairs multiple times. As you can imagine, the willingness of parishioners to take action and share their time and energy made it a very memorable event. Thank you to all volunteers who took their responsibilities seriously creating a level of trust and confidence in what we were doing together. Your presence, your actions, might have been the spark that initiated a God moment for others. God is making us instruments of unity and service.

This week, Resurrection had another opportunity to welcome people throughout Minnesota and even other states as they attended healing services with Fr. Ivo Pavic. I would like to express our appreciation to the planning committee for all of their hard work in organizing this four day event. We encourage you to extend a warm hand of hospitality to those around you. Many may be visitors from a far distance. Consider asking them if they were here for the healing mission and invite them to share their story. In addition to the healing services, we will be having an afternoon of prayer and devotion on this Divine Mercy Sunday. In Acts Chapter Two, we hear about the Holy Spirit filling the hearts of the apostles and disciples at Pentecost. Immediately they began speaking in different tongues. People from other countries who were present heard the apostles speaking in their native language. "They were astounded and bewildered, and said to one another, "What does this mean?" Some of you attending these healing services many be asking this same question. Seeing the visual movement of the Spirit in people's lives for the first time can be startling. But the same Holy Spirit that was present at the first Pentecost, is still with us today. Let us desire to know the Holy Spirit, listen to the Spirit's guidance, and allow the Spirit to act in our daily lives.

Enjoy God's embrace.

Parish News

Food for Friends In April, we will be collecting pancake mix and syrup. The students are very appreciative of the extra item we send home on a monthly basis. Last week's peanut butter and jelly was a true blessing, as it was prior to spring break. There is much gratitude for making this ministry a success. Each month our goal has been met. Thank you.

Divine Mercy Sunday, April 23rd. All the following events will be in the Zenk Hall:

1:00-2:00 pm Movie—"A Time for Mercy"

2:00-3:00 pm Testimony of Mercy

In the Church

Reconciliation: 2:00– 5:00 pm

3:00-5:00 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Chaplet of Divine Mercy, Rosary and other prayers.

6:30-8:00pm Holy Mass, followed by Healing Service with Fr. Ivo Pavic in the Zenk Hall.

Resurrection's 50th anniversary Mass will be held on Sunday, June 11th at 10:00 am. *We will not be having the 8:30 am Mass or the 11:30 am Mass on that day. We will have the Saturday 8:00 pm Mass.* If you know charter members that have moved away or are members of the other parishes in town, please let them know about this celebration or call us with their names and addresses so we can send them an announcement. More details to follow.



2nd Collection Next Weekend for St. Vincent de Paul

100% of what you donate goes directly to our friends in need. We are a unique ministry in that we visit our friends in need at their homes and we can

see firsthand what their needs may be. We could not provide this help without the wonderful support from our parishioners. We are blessed to be able to help with shelter, utilities, gas and food. If you are interested in becoming a member of this rewarding ministry, please contact Kathy Geisler at 281-5358. St. Vincent de Paul meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:00 pm in Room C.

33 Day Retreat April 26th– May 31st. Join us for a 6 week small-group retreat in preparation for Marian consecration during the 100th anniversary year of the apparitions of Our Lady of Fatima. We will offer Wednesday and Thursday evenings and Thursday morning. Men's focus group available on Wednesday evenings. Group consecration opportunity on the Feast of the Visitation, May 31st. See the kiosk in the Gathering Space for more information.



Liturgy Notes from Joann

Christ is risen! Christ is risen, indeed!



Have you seen the new Paschal candle? The candle is from *Marklin Candle* and the design is called APIS MATER which is Latin for "Mother Bee". The design of the candle is a vibrant honeycomb that wraps around the entire candle and pays homage to "the work of bees" and the joy of community life.

The bee is more honored than other animals, not because she labors, but because she labors for others. -- St. John Chrysostom

We light the new Paschal candle from the Easter fire. Father sings "Christ our light" and we respond "Thanks be to God", not once, but three times! We follow this "pillar of light" from the darkness outside to the darkness inside the church where the single flame, this "light of Christ" is shared with each and every one of us. Suddenly the darkness becomes light as we share the "light of Christ" with one another. What a powerful image for evangelization!

The sanctifying power of this night dispels wickedness, washes faults away, restores innocence to the fallen and joy to mourners, drives out hatred, fosters concord, and brings down the mighty. On this, your night of grace, O Holy Father, accept this candle, a solemn offering, the work of bees and of your servants' hands, an evening sacrifice of praise, this gift from your most holy Church. But now we know the praises of this pillar, which glowing fire ignites for God's honor, a fire into many flames divided, yet never dimmed by sharing of its light, for it is fed by melting wax, drawn out by mother bees to build a torch so precious.

The words above are taken from the EXSULTET, the proclamation of praise which begins every Easter vigil. When you understand the life of a beehive, how they live in community and how they communicate with one another – you can appreciate not only the beauty and wonder of this candle but also the connection we have with all of creation – with the work of GOD'S hand. I encourage you to take a look at the video below, from *Marklin Candle* to understand more about this candle and the work of bees. You will learn that a bee tells the other bees in the hive where to find nectar by doing something called a "waggle dance". The scientific community has a name for this dance - *evangelization*. www.marklincandle.com/pages/praised-bee

**Psalm Refrain for April 30 –
3rd Sunday of Easter
(Psalm 16:11)**

Lord, you will show us the path of life.

Liturgical Ministries

NOTE: Please remember to find a substitute if you are unable to fulfill your ministry as scheduled.
Thank you. April 29th/30th

Altar Servers

- 8:00 pm Reilyn Schoenfelder, Cassie Schoenfelder
- 8:30 am Joe Copeland, Autumn Strauss
- 10:00 am James Nelson, Fred Noser
- 11:30 am Gavin Kor, Gabriella Schimnich

Eucharistic Ministers

- 8:00 pm Rick & Jane Haeflinger, Walter & Patricia Max
Debbie Olson, Chad Rasmussen, Patricia
Schoenfelder, Elizabeth Teuteberg
- 8:30 am Joseph & Marcie Becker, John Paul Becker, John-
Howard Carroll, Calvin Guyer, Nancy Hass,
LeeAnn Mueller, Audrey Nervig, Deb Rowekamp,
Scott & Mary Schwalbe
- 10:00 am Diane Beiswanger, Margaret Beiswanger, Regina
Boehmke, Gloria Flicek, Daniel Galkowski, Julie
Galkowski, Douglas & Melody Hudson, Richard
Streit, Robert Techentin, John Wurst
- 11:30 am Allen & Marianne Aksamit, Janet Helgren, Denise
Kelly, Janice Larson, Jackie O'Connell, Catherine
Tiegs, Rebecca Woodcock

Lectors

- 8:00 pm Therese Schoenfelder
- 8:30 am Martin Cormack, Micki Miller
- 10:00 am Mary Chestolowski, Juli Thompson
- 11:30 am Lynette Lenocho

Greeters

- 8:00 pm Rita Strickland, Eileen King
- 8:30 am Duane & Fran Robb, Brian & Christine Dvorak
- 10:00 am Shannon & Tom Knoepke, Renee Kreter
- 11:30 am Anne Wright

Ushers

- 8:00 pm Richard Clark, John Schoenfelder, Braeden
Schoenfelder
- 8:30 am Tom Brown, Eric Ladin, J.R. Miller, Kenneth
Mueller
- 10:00 am McKenna Chestolowski, Eric Chestolowski, James
Maronde, Jim Sinn
- 11:30 am Brett Parks, Karen Reopelle, Gavan Schotzko

Rosary

- 7:30 pm Jerome Taubel

About the Parish

Weekly Bulletin deadline is Monday before noon.
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Parish Office Hours

Monday-Friday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Mass Schedule

Saturday 8:00 pm

Sunday 8:30, 10:00 & 11:30 am

Daily Mass 8:30 am Monday - Friday

Rosary, Prayer and Devotions

Rosary: 8:10 am Monday-Friday

Saturday: 7:30 pm (starting January)

Adoration Chapel: 24 hours, 7 days

Parish Registration

We warmly welcome new parishioners and request that they register by calling the parish office.

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Communion for Shut-ins

Each First Friday and upon request.

Call the office for assistance.

Hospital Visitation

Please notify the parish office if any parishioner is confined to a hospital and would like a visit from a priest.

Calvary Cemetery

Joseph Vroman 288-1770

www.calvarycemeteryrochester.org

Rochester Catholic Schools

RCS Office 507-424-1817

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

For those considering becoming Catholic contact Joann Reier: 288-5528.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Saturday from 6:45 - 7:45 pm

Sacrament of Baptism

Baptism preparation is held the second Tuesday of each month.

Consult the Parish Office for the Pre-Jordan class and to schedule a baptism.

First Communion

First Communion/Reconciliation is usually in second grade.

Confirmation

Confirmation is a two year program starting in ninth grade with Confirmation being at the end of the tenth grade.

Marriage

Please make arrangements with the parish at least six months prior.

Weekly Calendar

Monday, April 24

Finance Council Meeting 6:00 pm

First Communion Dress Rehearsal
6:30 pm

Heart of Trinity Prayer Group 7:00 pm

Tuesday, April 25th

RCIA 6:00 pm

Knights of Columbus Meeting 7:00 pm

St. Vincent de Paul Society

Meeting 7:00 pm

Wednesday, April 26th

Food For Friends 4:30 pm

Faith Formation Classes Gr 6-10
6:00/7:30 pm

33 Days of Morning Glory Retreat 7:00 pm

Thursday, April 27th

Faith Formation Committee Meeting

5:30 pm

33 Days of Morning Glory Retreat 9:15 am
and 7:00 pm

Adult Choir 7:00 pm

Friday, April 28th

Widow Prayer Group Meeting 9:15 am

Confirmation Practice 6:00 pm

Saturday, April 29th

Society of Divine Mercy Monastery

6:30 am

Confirmation 11:00 am

St. Francis School News

NWEA testing continues this week.

The weekly all school Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday, April 25th at 9:15 a.m.

Our monthly all school HERO assembly will be held on Tuesday, April 25th at 1:20 p.m. in the gym.

Community News

Holy Spirit School Annual Rummage Sale, 5455 50th Ave NW on April 22 from 7:00 am-1:00pm. Bag Sale will start at 11 am. The gym will be full with many items for all!

Ladies of the Parish, You are cordially invited to come to our Council of Catholic Women gathering to be held on Tues., April 25th at Holy Redeemer Church, 22 E. 22nd St., Eyota, MN. Begins with Mass at 7:00 pm, followed by our speaker, Janie Maki, Faith Formation Director, speaking on her faith journey, with meeting, refreshments and fellowship.

Preschool & Childcare Openings at Rochester Catholic Schools Beginning in the fall of the 2017-2018 school year, Rochester Catholic Schools will offer expanded child care opportunities for children ages 3, 4, and 5 year olds. Families can choose from a menu of options to design a program that meets their needs. With these flexible, affordable care options, parents can feel comfortable knowing their young children are in a safe, loving, Christ-like learning environment throughout the day including before and after school. Rochester Catholic Schools still has available preschool openings. To learn more or to take a tour, email admissions@rcsmn.org! We would love to meet you!

Win a 2017 Jeep Grand Cherokee Latitude 4x4 & Attend Hearts of Gold! You're invited to the 7th Annual *Hearts of Gold, A Purple Tie Affair* on Saturday, April 29, 2017 at the Rochester International Event Center! *Hearts of Gold* is an elegant evening of fun and fellowship to benefit Lourdes High School. Tickets are on sale now at <http://bidpal.net/heartsofgold2017> Can't attend, but would like to help? Contact Carrie at advancement@rcsmn.org to learn about volunteer opportunities. You could win a 2017 Jeep Cherokee Latitude 4x4! Purchase a \$100 raffle ticket for a 1 in 600 chance to win the 2017 Jeep or the second or third prize of \$2,000 or \$1,000, respectively. For more information, visit RCSMN.org or email advancement@rcsmn.org.

You're invited to the **100th Anniversary of Fatima Celebration** on **Saturday, May 13** beginning at 12:45 PM at the farm of Andy and Natalie Price, Kasson. Guest Speakers include Rev. Thien Nguyen, Rev. Msgr. Thomas Cook, and Mother Assumpta, Prioress General of the Dominican Sisters of Mary, Mother of the Eucharist. Mass will be celebrated by Most Rev. Bernard Harrington at 5:00 PM. There will be Adoration, Rosary Procession and Benediction. Confessions will be available throughout the day. The farm is located at 23274 670th Street, Kasson, just 15 miles west of Rochester on Highway 14. More information: call Andy Price 507-259-7675; website www.giftoffatima2017.com or email stjosephdrivingschool@kmtel.com

Mass Intentions

Mon., Apr., 24th	8:30 am	†Souls in Purgatory
Tues., Apr., 25th	8:30 am	†Einer Hanson
Wed., Apr., 26th	8:30 am	Reparation of Sins
Thurs., Apr., 27th	8:30 am	†Joseph Reier
Fri., Apr., 28th	8:30 am	†Amelia & Nora Reisdorfer
Sat., Apr., 29th	8:00 pm	†Earl Wampach
Sun., Apr., 30th	8:30 am	†Joyce Wieseler
	10:00 am	†Patrick J. & Mary O'Shaughnessy
	11:30 am	For the Parish

Financial Blessings Sunday, Apr 9th, 2017

Church Support.....	\$12,053
Capital Projects.....	\$530
Children's Collection.....	\$81
EFT Church Support.....	\$360
EFT Capital Projects.....	\$15

Readings for the Week of April 23, 2017
 Sunday: Acts 2:42-47/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24/1 Pt 1:3-9/Jn 20:19-31
 Monday: Acts 4:23-31/Ps 2:1-9/Jn 3:1-8
 Tuesday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17/Mk 16:15-20
 Wednesday: Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34:2-9/Jn 3:16-21
 Thursday: Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34:2, 9, 17-20/Jn 3:31-36
 Friday: Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/Jn 6:1-15
 Saturday: Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19/Jn 6:16-21
 Next Sunday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2, 5, 7-11/1 Pt 1:17-21/Lk 24:13-35 ©Liturgical Publications Inc

Perpetual Eucharistic Adoration Hours of Need



Call Tim Fague at 507-288-6578 to sign up. Any hour is welcomed.

*** We are looking for a second adorer in these hours.**

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
1 am*	11 am	1 am	11 am*	12 pm	3 am*	12 am*
		3 am*		1 pm	2 pm	5 am
		4 am*			4 pm*	8am*
		9 am*			5 pm*	2 pm
						9 pm
						10 pm

Faith Formation



News from Sheila, Sunday School dresscm@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x101

Now that we have renewed our faith, what are tangible ways that we can, as a family, thank God and continue to grow in holiness? Travel to holy places on pilgrimage!

It was a sunny Saturday and a 2.5 hour road trip to West Bend, Iowa as my family and I ventured to the Redemption Grotto. If you and your children are intrigued by rocks and rock formations, caves (grottos), playing at parks, swans, gift shops, and astonishing, breathtaking, and beautiful Catholic churches then this is the spiritual destination you are seeking! You and your family can continue to grow in holiness by making holy places a part of your "day-trip-get-away" or vacation experience. For more information you can check out the website at: www.westbendgrotto.com.



News from Stacey, Grades 1-5 dre1to5fm@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x108

First Communion: Dress Rehearsal and Group Photo Day is on Monday, April 24th at 6:30pm in the church. One parent needs to attend this practice. Please remember to bring your photo order forms.

Monday Movies in May: On three Mondays (May 1st, 8th, and 22nd), we will be showing a 30-50 minute, animated movie in Room C at 6:00pm. After the movie, we will share what we learned and follow up with a game, activity, or craft. Our focus is faith formation for families with children in grades 1-5. No pre-registration or fee required. On May 1st, we will see "Mother Teresa- Seeing the Face of Jesus." All children, friends, and families are welcome!

Totus Tuus for Grades 1-6: The theme for this year is *Mysteries of Salvation* and *The Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary*. Totus Tuus 2017 is June 26-30, 9:00am-2:30pm, \$15/child or \$30/family. Information brochures and registration forms are available in the Gathering Space and online under faith formation, grades 1-5, summer activities.

Virtues in Practice: For April we are practicing *forgiveness* with the help of St. Patrick and Blessed Margaret of Castello. If we define *forgiveness* as pardoning those who offend you, how can we practice this virtue? Think of a time when someone really hurt your feelings. Did you forgive the person? Did it take a while? Imagine if you never forgave them, how would it affect them, and how would it affect you? St. Patrick and Blessed Margaret of Castello, pray for us!



News from Rosemary, Grades 6-10 dre6to10ym@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x104

Wednesday classes resume for grades 6-9 this week, April 26th.

Second year Confirmation (10th grade): Practice for sponsors and candidates is Friday, April 28th at 6:00pm in the Fr. Zenk Hall. Please bring \$3 per person for pizza. **Confirmation day:** candidates arrive 9:30 am in room C. Sponsors arrive 10:40 am in the Fr. Zenk Hall. Mass will begin at 11:00 am. Please allow around 2 hours for Mass.

Please see the Confirmation displays in the Gathering Space, take a name of one of the candidates, and keep them in your prayers as they approach this very special day!

First year Confirmation (9th grade): Faith Sharing groups meet April 23rd (6:30 pm) and April 30th (11:00 am). Please make sure you can attend one of these sessions.

Applications for the Prayer and Fiat Teams for Camp Summit are due this week. Please bring them to the parish office c/o Rosemary by April 27th!

Summer activities: See the displays in the Gathering Space for more information for Totus Tuus, Camp Summit, Steubenville Rochester, and the parish mission trip.



News from Georges, Grades 11-12, Young Adult dre11to12yam@rescathroch.org or 288-5528 x116

Spaghetti Dinner just got a whole lot more fun!

This year, to raise money for Youth Summer Scholarships we will host a Square Dance in Fr. Zenk Hall at 4:30pm on May 21st. Veteran caller Mike Driscoll will start the evening off with lessons.

Fire Nights: May 7th 4:30pm Topic Night: *Prayer* / May 14th, 4:30pm Topic Night: *Homosexuality*

Our final **Fusion Event** for the year will be May 5th. Debbie O'Meara will share her stories of miraculous healings and scientific discoveries in the field of nutrition that led her to found "Autoimmune Angels."

Fr. Ivo Pavic's final healing prayer service will be at 6:30pm April 23rd. This Croatian priest's gift of healing has touched many parishioners already. Come to be prayed over for physical healing and spiritual renewal.