

Eucharistic Homily

Thirteenth Lord's Day after Pentecost

September 8, 2019

In order to pray, we have to know who God is and who we are. The two sacraments of Holy Baptism and Holy Communion are the most practical and most powerful ways we come to know our gracious God and our identity as beloved children.

God makes lots of promises in the Bible, but in baptism God marks you out specifically as a recipient of His gracious promises. It's easy to waver in our faith or to doubt God's love for us, but God's service to us at His family table each week is His reaffirmation of His love and favor towards us. If you want to know who God is and what He's like, come receive all the blessings of the broken body and shed blood of Jesus. If you're uncertain about who you are or what God really thinks about you, remember your baptism and then come to the Lord's table with gratitude as a beloved child of God.

If you've been baptized into Christ and are seeking to live faithfully and obediently for Him, you are invited to partake of this feast that our gracious Father has provided for us. These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

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