

Eucharistic Homily

Second Lord's Day in Lent

February 28, 2021

Jesus got Himself in trouble with the Pharisees because he ate with sinners and outcasts. They thought that only the perfect and purebred should be allowed to eat at God's table, but Jesus took a very different approach: "It is not those who are healthy who need a physician, but those who are sick.... I have not come to call the righteous but sinners to repentance." In other words, those who are trusting in their own righteousness have no place at God's Table.

We come as sinners, and Jesus gives us His righteousness.
We come sick, and Jesus restores our souls.
We come hungry, and Jesus feeds us His body and blood.

Thanks be to God, Jesus still invites sinners to come feast at his Table and receive His life and blessing.

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 God has provided for us. These are the gifts of God for the people of God.

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