

Eucharistic Homily

Seventh Lord's Day after Pentecost

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There are lots of good reasons for studying logic, but the best reason is that the Bible is filled with complex logical arguments. The Apostle Paul, in particular, used logic to prove the truth of the gospel.

Rom. 8:32 contains a glorious promise of God's staggering blessings to us: "He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things?"

Paul uses the *a fortiori* argument to reason from the greater to the lesser. If God loves us so much that He sent His own Son to die for us, then how could He fail to supply us with everything else we need? If God has not withheld from us the most staggering gift of His own Son, then why would He withhold from us any other good gift?

This Table gently rebukes us for thinking of God as stingy by reminding us that our heavenly Father is far more gracious, far more generous than we can imagine.

If you've been baptized and are trusting in Christ, then come feast with your Lord in faith and thanksgiving.

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