For if the sacred liturgy holds first place

in the life of the Church, then the Eucharistic Mystery stands at the heart and centre of the liturgy, since it is the font of life that cleanses us and strengthens us to live not for ourselves but for God and to be united to each other by the closest ties of love.

- Pope St. Paul VI, Mysterium Fidei, 1965

How Do YOU Live Out the Eucharist Each Week?

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After every Mass, we are sent forth. Our deacons or presiders end the Mass by telling us to, "Go forth, the mass is ended, or "Go and announce the Gospel of the lord," or "Go in peace, glorifying the lord by your life," or finally, "Go in peace." But why do they say this to us?

The easy answer is because, things are just getting started for those of us in the pews! Every aspect of the Mass calls us to be missionary disciples in the world. Once we receive Christ in the Eucharist, it becomes **our duty** to share Him with everyone. Christ is not meant for us alone; we are given His Body and His Blood so that we will share it. So how do we do that? We're so glad you asked! Check back here to read about how other parishioners just like you live out this call to action. Want to share how you have lived out your calling? Write Elizabeth Kos at <u>ebkos@stpaulviparish.org</u> and tell her your story. You just might appear here and inspire your fellow parishioners to be Christ for another!

Mark your calendars for Fr. Luke Spannagel to lead us in an Explanatory Mass! January 23, 2024, at 6:30pm St. Mary Church





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