

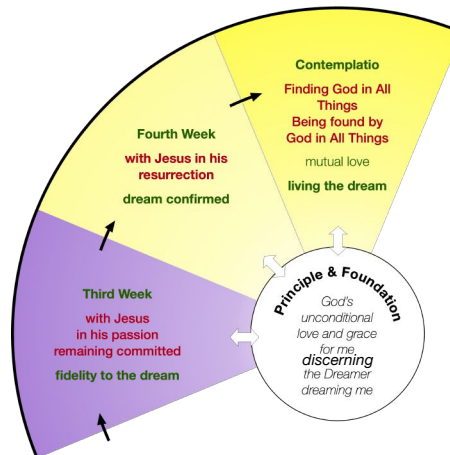


Giving the Third and Fourth Weeks



'Giving' the Third and Fourth Weeks

The Paschal Mystery
from life to death to new life
losing life to receive life
receiving mutuality with God
"the cost and glory of discipleship"



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God who is love crucified

Living the dream has costly realities
Being with Jesus in suffering and death
Faithfulness in life-death-life choices

Prayer:

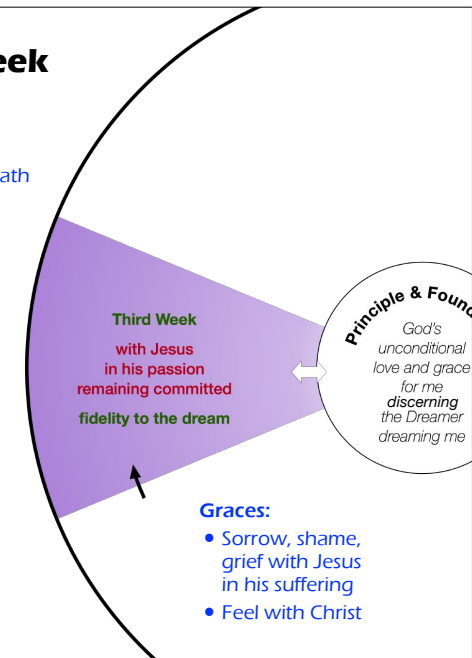
- Imaging... passion narrative
 - hidden divinity of Jesus
 - my sin contributing
 - application of senses
- Colloquy with Jesus

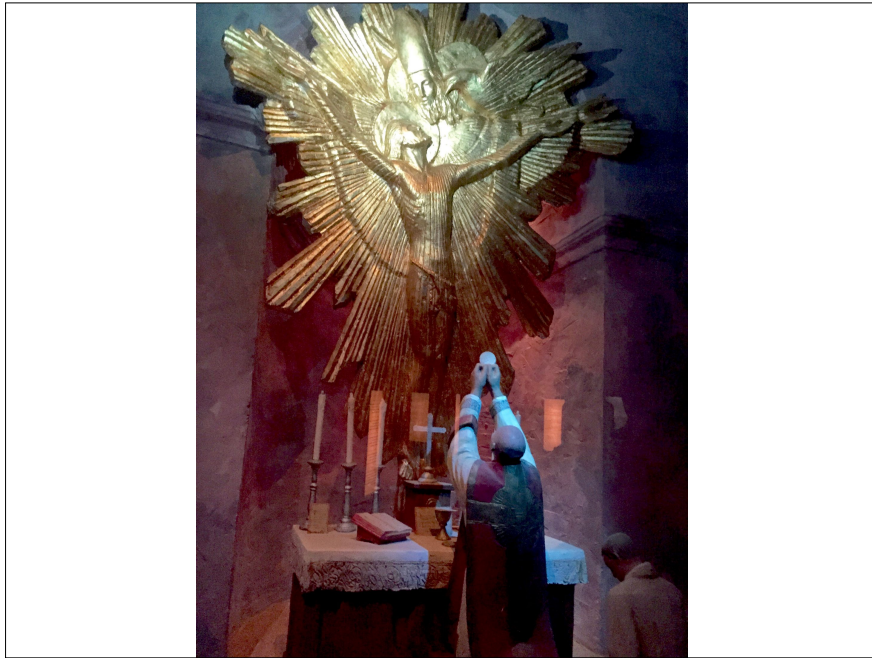
Discernment:

Focus on Jesus' experience - choosing to face and be with him in his suffering

Graces:

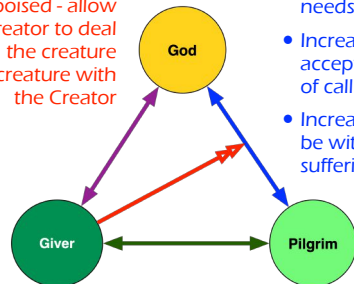
- Sorrow, shame, grief with Jesus in his suffering
- Feel with Christ





'Giving' the Third Week

Annotation 15:
poised - allow
Creator to deal
with the creature
and creature with
the Creator



more being with than 'giving' / guiding
rules regarding eating [210-217]
evasion [11-13]

Effect:

- Intimacy with Jesus in his suffering - he needs me?
- Increased capacity to accept costly aspects of call
- Increased capacity to be with others in suffering

Third Week
with Jesus
in his passion
remaining committed
fidelity to the dream



'Giving' the Fourth Week

God unlimited by death

Confirmation of the dream - fullness of life

Joy in fullness of life - matured through reality of death

Mutuality - co-

Graces:

- Joy and
- Awareness
- Wholeness

Prayer:

- Imaging... re
- Joy of ris
- Contemplatio - 4 fold
- Take Lord and receive...

Discernment:

Caught up in mystery of Love

Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty,
my memory, my understanding
and my entire will – all that I have and call my own.

You have given it all to me.
To you, Lord, I return it.

Everything is yours; do with it what you will.
Give me only your love and your grace.
That is enough for me.

Contemplatio
Finding God in All
Things
Being found by
God in All Things
mutual love
living the dream

Principle & Foundation
God's
unconditional
love and grace
for me
discerning
the Dreamer
dreaming me

'Giving' the Fourth Week

What is needed of me?

What is this affirming of my approach?

What 'growing edge' is this revealing?

What grace do I need?

continue to
allow Creator
to deal with
the creature
and creature
with the
Creator

God

Effect:

- Delight, joy, life...
- Ready to move on...
- Openness to and confidence in God

Giver

Pilgrim

more being with than 'giving' / guiding

Fourth Week
with Jesus in his
resurrection
dream confirmed

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The dream has become a dance...

Extend
your arms
in welcome
to the future.
The best
is yet to come!

(Anthony de Mello)