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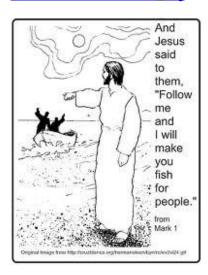
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JANUARY 22, 2012 THIRD SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME "B"



Today's Readings First Reading: Jonah 3:1-5, 10 Psalm - # 25 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:29-31: Gospel: Mark 1:14-20 Next Sunday – January 29th – Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time "B" First Reading: Deuteronomy 18;15-20 Psalm – # 95 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 7:32-35 Gospel: Mark 1:21-28

TODAY – In today's gospel we read about the call of Jesus' first disciples, Simon (Peter) and his brother, Andrew and two other brothers, James and John. They were all fishermen but when Jesus called them to follow him, they left everything and followed Jesus.

Today we continue to welcome our faithful priest, **FATHER MIKE MCCAFFERY**. Thanks, Father Mike.

CONNIE VAN DYK is on a sick leave for the whole month of January. Let us continue to pray for her. **ELSIE ALLEN** will be interpreting Today and Janet Varaska will be with us next Sunday, January 29th.

Let is also pray for **BARBARA BJELKE** who fell and hurt herself and dislocated her shoulder. She will need surgery. Her son says she has an appointment with a doctor on Wednesday January 18th to plan the surgery. She will also not be with us for a while, probably for a few months her son says. **Note:** No news yet from Barbara's son when the surgery will be.

TUESDAY, January 24th – Feast of St. Francis de Sales, who is he Patron Saint of the Deaf. Francis de Sales was a bishop. One day on his travels, he met a deaf man and took pity on him. Francis took the deaf man home with him and using homemade signs, he taught the deaf man about God. The deaf man, whose name was Martin, was baptized, made his confession and First Communion. When Bishop Francis de Sales died, Martin was inconsolable because he lost the one person that he could communicate with.

TODAY - January 22nd - St. Mark's Meeting after Mass.

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