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SEASON 12 — EPISODE 6

Who Do You Love?

GROUP QUESTIONS

1. When you are in pain, who or what do you reach for first?
2. What good things in your life is the Lord calling you to reorder?
3. How might the Lord be inviting you to give up your idols in Lent?
4. What healing have I experienced in the past from loving Christ the most?

LECTIO DIVINA

“For I will take you out of the nations; I will gather you from all the countries and bring you back into your own land. I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you will be clean; I will cleanse you from all your impurities and from all your idols. I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh. And I will put my Spirit in you and move you to follow my decrees and be careful to keep my laws.”

(Ezekiel 36:24 - 27)

JOURNAL QUESTIONS

1. Who or what do I love the most?
2. What am I placing my salvation in rather than God?
3. What idols is the Lord inviting me to give up?
4. What fears do I have about intimacy with the Lord?

QUOTES TO PONDER

“It would seem that Our Lord finds our desires not too strong, but too weak. We are half-hearted creatures, fooling about with drink and sex and ambition when infinite joy is offered us, like an ignorant child who wants to go on making mud pies in a slum because he cannot imagine what is meant by the offer of a holiday at the sea. We are far too easily pleased.”

– C.S. Lewis, *The Weight of Glory*

“Let yourself be vulnerable. Let your walls down, your carefully constructed fortresses breached, your fiercely guarded heart laid bare. Let your wounds be touched, your fears revealed, your deepest desires, damaged dreams, and most daring hopes unveiled before the Bridegroom, who has the power to redeem, restore, and resurrect them. Drop your independence and the idea—which you clutch so tightly—that you can do anything to protect and save yourself. And let Him love you.”

– St. Elizabeth

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