

Spiritual Mission: Creation of Man

This is the beginning of a 12 week journey to explore and define your spiritual mission.

A spiritual mission can be defined as a vocation or calling to go out into the world and spread faith. Maybe you are aware of your spiritual mission. Or maybe you are looking to flesh out some ideas of what your spiritual mission holds for you. Regardless of where you are at, trust the God will guide you if you allow Him to.

Opening Prayer

Heavenly Father, You are great, You are almighty.

Thank You for giving us the desire and the heart to be here.

May You be here to guide our conversation and allow us be open to You.

May we recognize the the life of Jesus and model our lives like Him.

May we recognize each others' lives to help support our growth, to be here for one another and to have confidence in our fraternity.

Come Holy Spirit and fill our hearts and minds in this time.

Amen

Creation of Man Narrative (Gen 1: 26-30)

Then God said, "Let Us make mankind in Our image, according to Our likeness; and let them rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the sky and over the livestock and over all the earth, and over every crawling thing that crawls on the earth."

So God created man in His own image, in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

God blessed them; and God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth, and subdue it; and rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the sky and over every living thing that moves on the earth."

Then God said, "Behold, I have given you every plant yielding seed that is on the surface of all the earth, and every tree which has fruit yielding seed; it shall be food for you; and to every animal of the earth and to every bird of the sky and to everything that moves on the earth which has life, I have given every green plant for food"; and it was so.

Reread in silence and reflect on the words in this passage.

What word or phrase stands out to you?

How is this word tied into what is going on for your current perspective?

(Optional) What is challenging in our culture to recognize the truth of our existence?

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We Are Made Well (Psalm 139: 13-17)

For You created my innermost parts;
You wove me in my mother's womb.
I will give thanks to You, because I am awesomely and
wonderfully made;
Wonderful are Your works,
And my soul knows it very well.
My frame was not hidden from You
When I was made in secret,
And skillfully formed in the depths of the earth;
Your eyes have seen my formless substance;
And in Your book were written
All the days that were ordained for me,
When as yet there was not one of them.
How precious also are Your thoughts for me, God!
How vast is the sum of them!

What memory comes to mind when you began to understand
and recognize that God is all knowing in what he created in you
and your life?

What recent experience have you had of God working in your
life?

Action Plan

This week, I need to

This week, I will pray for

What is your takeaway from mass to live out in your week: