



As the Calendar Year starts on the first of January, our Liturgical Year starts on the First Sunday of November with the Consecration of the Church. As members of the Church, we are called to renew our faith and resolve to follow the way of the Lord.

In this Sunday's Gospel (Matthew 16: 13-20) we see Peter declaring his faith in Christ as the Son of the Most High. Thus, he was made the rock upon which Christ built his Church.

May we cherish our personal experience with the Lord and may our faith resemble that of Peter.

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CONSECRATION OF THE CHURCH

NOVEMBER 6, 2022

Come and shine in purity at the altar of the Lord, where the priest stands in between God and all humanity.

He takes what the people give and lifts it up, heavenward on high. And the Spirit, full of light, is called down to sanctify the cup and the bread. Great and awesome Sacrifice!

Sinners, come receive the flesh and blood of Christ for the pardon of your sins.

Sedro-Liturgy of the Word for the Consecration of the Church

