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Friday of the Third Week in Ordinary Time

“We are not among those who draw back and perish, but among those who have faith and possess life.” Everything comes from the Lord, especially our perseverance, because we receive eternal life from Jesus. The letter to the Hebrews is a very encouraging word: “do not throw away your confidence; it will have great recompense. You need the endurance to do the will of God and receive what he has promised.” Jesus speaks about the Kingdom of God as sowing the seed and letting it grow. We have to allow time for that seed of faith to grow in us. Even if it is the smallest of seeds, like the mustard seed, it will accomplish its mission if we allow it to grow within us. We take refuge in the Lord, who saves us from the wicked. That is also the image of the branches of the plant which the birds dwell in. Jesus desires to save everyone. May we be participants in this mission.

God Love You!

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