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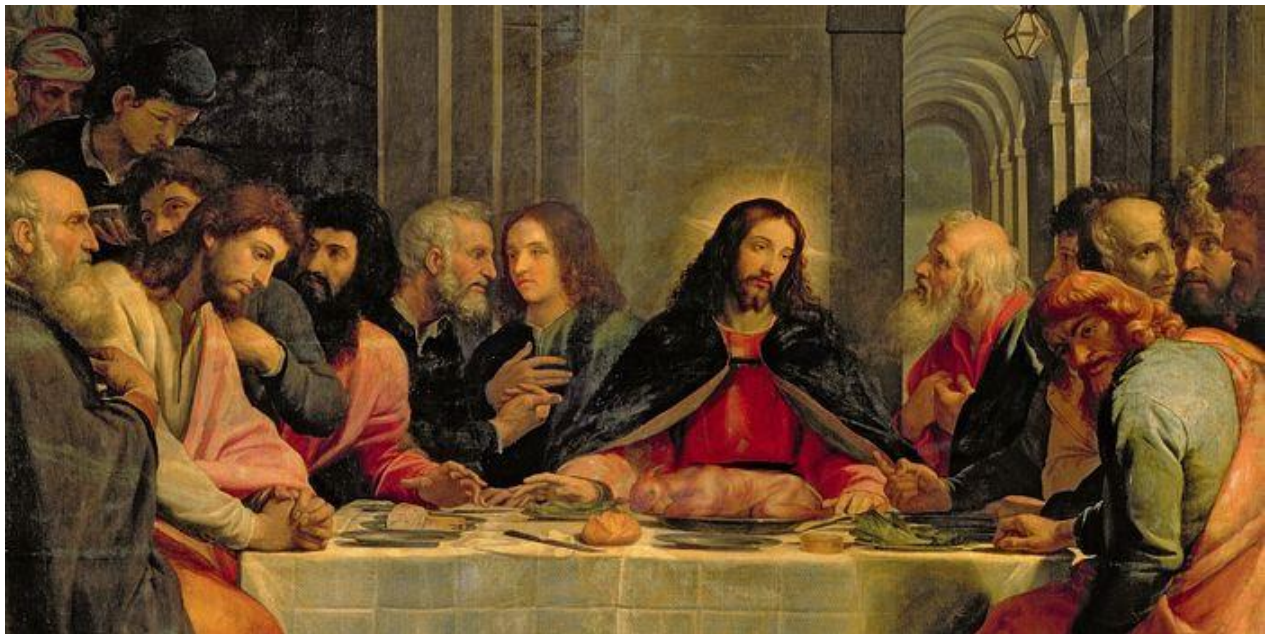
Saturday of the Fifteenth Week in Ordinary Time

*BVM on Saturday*

“This was a night of vigil for the Lord, as he led them out of the land of Egypt; so on this same night all children of Israel must keep a vigil for the Lord throughout their generations.” The Jewish people do that until this day. It is a time to transmit faith to their children especially. We, as Christians, continue this with the Paschal Vigil, where God the Father raised His Son Jesus Christ from the dead, winning the ultimate victory for all humanity over death. Indeed, God’s mercy endures forever! Scripture is fulfilled: Jesus is the “servant”, the “beloved”. *“A bruised reed he will not break, a smoldering wick he will not quench, until he brings justice to victory. And in his name the Gentiles will hope.”* The Resurrection is the victory for all!

God Love You!

*Fr. Jim Starasovich*



He is the Passover of our salvation. He is the Lamb born of Mary.  
– Melito of Sardis (Circa 160, On the Pasch)