

Daily Homily  
10 Week in Ordinary Time  
Friday  
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Again, Elijah, one of my favorites. We enter into Ordinary Time this week reading through his story at the daily Masses.

This is one of my favorite readings...

Elijah is all personality. He's a presence. Dramatic in many ways. And in many ways he brings the drama onto himself.

He is the sole prophet of the Lord. No one else is left. They have all been put to death by the reigning government of the day. Now they are in pursuit of this prophet. So, he hides.

This is a story that speaks more about God than it does Elijah... so lean into their relationship and how God relates to his beloved, faithful prophet... especially in his crazy, dramatic life.

In the midst of all the drama, God does not add to the dramatic... not through wind, earthquake, or even fire (this time) ... but God, the creator of the universe, comes in the simplest of ways: a tiny, whispering sound. And it's not the dramatic that gives Elijah direction and guidance about next steps, but it's the tiny, whispering sound that gives clarity.

It's not the dramatic that gives guidance and direction but the tiny, whispering sound that brings clarity. Today, if you need clarity about anything... if you need direction in life choices... if you need guidance on what to do next... don't look for the drama to steer the course... stop and listen for the tiny, whispering sound to cut through it all.