

Daily Homily
Twenty-Second Week in Ordinary Time, Thursday
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Intuition... I looked up a working definition... the ability to understand what's needed without the need for conscious reasoning.

It is said that parents, especially mothers, have an intuition regarding their children. They know what's needed in a moment without really needing proof or reasoning that something needs to be said or done.

I am enamored by Jesus' intuition. This is an intuition that He offers time and again to the Apostles. This time it's to Simon Peter... Jesus' isn't even a fisherman and he just seems to have this intuition that if Peter were to put out into deep water and cast his net, he won't regret it. And it happens... even though Peter has been at this work all night long. It makes no sense, but it happens.

I pray for that kind of intuition that Jesus has. I pray that His intuition regarding our life today will be regarded and respected and trusted – that when He asks us to do something, whether it makes sense or not – because it's Jesus, we just trust, and do it.