

Message From The Pastor

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We Should Trust God (And Mom)

I was quite young. Maybe, I was a student in first or second grade.

The school day ended. Out the front doors of the school building I walked with the other kids. Then, I looked toward the spot on Ramsey Street which I always found my mother waiting for me. But, she was not at the spot. As a matter of fact, as I frantically sought for her, she was not anywhere to be found on Ramsey Street!

One child after another walked away with their mother, father, sibling or a friend. Some departed in a car. I saw a few teachers leaving too! But, at that moment my mother seemed absent from my life. I foolishly clung to the rusty, green fence surrounding the school building as my saving help in need.

Was she ever coming to be with me? Will I be left on my own in my hour of need? Will I be okay? She is my mother. Why has she left me all alone? All crazy thoughts dominated my mind.

However, she did arrive. Albeit, later than I wanted. But, she came to my need, in her time, as the good, ever present mother she was to her senseless son clinging to the fence for safety. I learned a lesson that afternoon. I should have trusted she definitely would not abandon me, her son.

In a similar manner, God, our Father will never abandon His sons and daughters. No way! God, our Heavenly Father, may not manifest Himself at the time exact time you and I want. However, He is not absent to us. God is always with you and me. So, no need to cling to anything else.

Trust is what I did not have that day. Don't lose trust in God, your Heavenly Father

Peace
Fr. Marc

