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Catechizing Corner!

Today begins the season of Ordinary Time. At the beginning of the new liturgical cycle, the focus is on the beginning of Jesus' ministry. Thus the opening scene in today's gospel begins the Sundays in Ordinary Time with John and two of his disciples in Bethany. John sees lesus walk by and professes him as the "Lamb of God." Peter and Andrew thus begin to follow Jesus, who simply extends the invitation, "Come and See." Similarly, today's first reading from Samuel foreshadows the Gospel with the story of Samuel, who was also called by God and subsequently responded in obedience.

Mary Birmingham, Word and Worship Workbook,

<u>Cycle B</u> Paulist Press

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Disciple's Reflection for the Question of the Week

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

1/14/2024

A Call to Prayer

The Word of God John 1:35-42

Faith Sharing Questions of the week

Closing Prayer



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Call to Prayer

Begin by calling upon God: In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, Amen. Let us pause for a moment and listen attentively to this week's passage.

The Word of God John 1:35-42

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John

John was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he said, "Behold, the Lamb of God." The two disciples heard what he said and followed Jesus. Jesus turned and saw them following him and said to them, "What are you looking for?" They said to him, "Rabbi" – which translated means Teacher, "where are you staying?" He said to them, "Come, and you will see." So they went and saw where Jesus was staying, and they

Gospel Glossary

Behold is a command telling someone to look and see something

stayed with him that day. It was about four in the afternoon. Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, was one of the two who heard John and followed Jesus. He first found his own brother Simon and told him, "We have found the Messiah" – which is translated Christ. Then he brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, "You are Simon the son of John; you will be called Cephas" – which is translated Peter.

The Gospel of the Lord



Faith Sharing

Questions of the Week:

<u>Children</u>: Why do you think the disciples dropped everything and decided to follow Jesus?

<u>**Teen:**</u> Jesus told the two disciples , "Come and you will see." What are you, a modern disciple, looking for?

<u>Adult:</u> If Jesus asked you "What are you looking for?" What would you tell him and why?

<u>Family</u>: Andrew told his brother Peter, "We have found the Messiah!" Who would you like to tell and why?

Closing Prayer

God of heaven and earth, hear our prayers and show us the way to peace in the world. We ask this, as we ask all things, through Christ our Lord, Amen.