

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time of the Year

(Daniel 12.1-3, Hebrews 10.11-14, 18, Mark 13.24.-32)

THEME: There is Judgment at the End of Time.

The readings of this Sunday and the messages they bring to us, is a reminder to each and every one of us, that, there is life after death. It always calls to our attention that there is judgment for every person in this world at the end of time.

The first reading from the book of the prophet Daniel states: “Many of those who sleep in the dust of the earth shall awake, some to everlasting life, and some to shame and everlasting contempt. Those who are wise shall shine like the brightness of the sky, and those who lead many to righteousness, like the stars forever and ever.” (Daniel 12.2-3)

With all this in mind, we see the need for us to live a good life. A life worthy of the children of God. A life that is based on the message of the gospel. A normal life that is based on love of God and one another, on justice, peace and forgiveness.

For what ever life, we shall have at the end of time, will be determined by our present life now on earth. Whether to everlasting life full of joy and peace or to everlasting suffering. The choice is ours to make now, *we are still alive*.

A good life leads to everlasting joy and happiness with God, but a bad or evil life leads to eternal suffering and death.

Let us examine our lives and find out now, where we are heading to. There is still a chance for all of us to, change and amend our lives, if we are not doing well. And if, we see ourselves on the road to everlasting happiness in the house of God, let us keep the flag still flying and encourage others to follow Jesus, the way, the truth and the life. For, God’s “*will*” is that all should be saved.