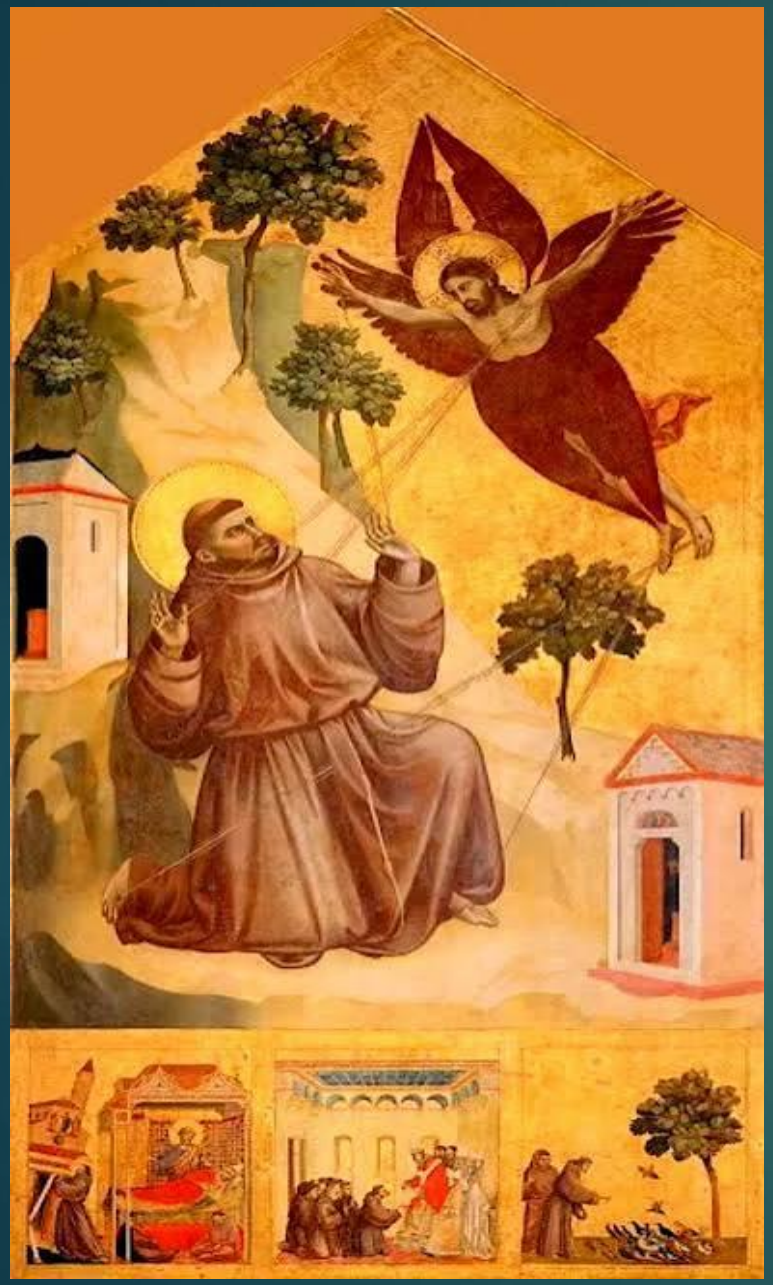
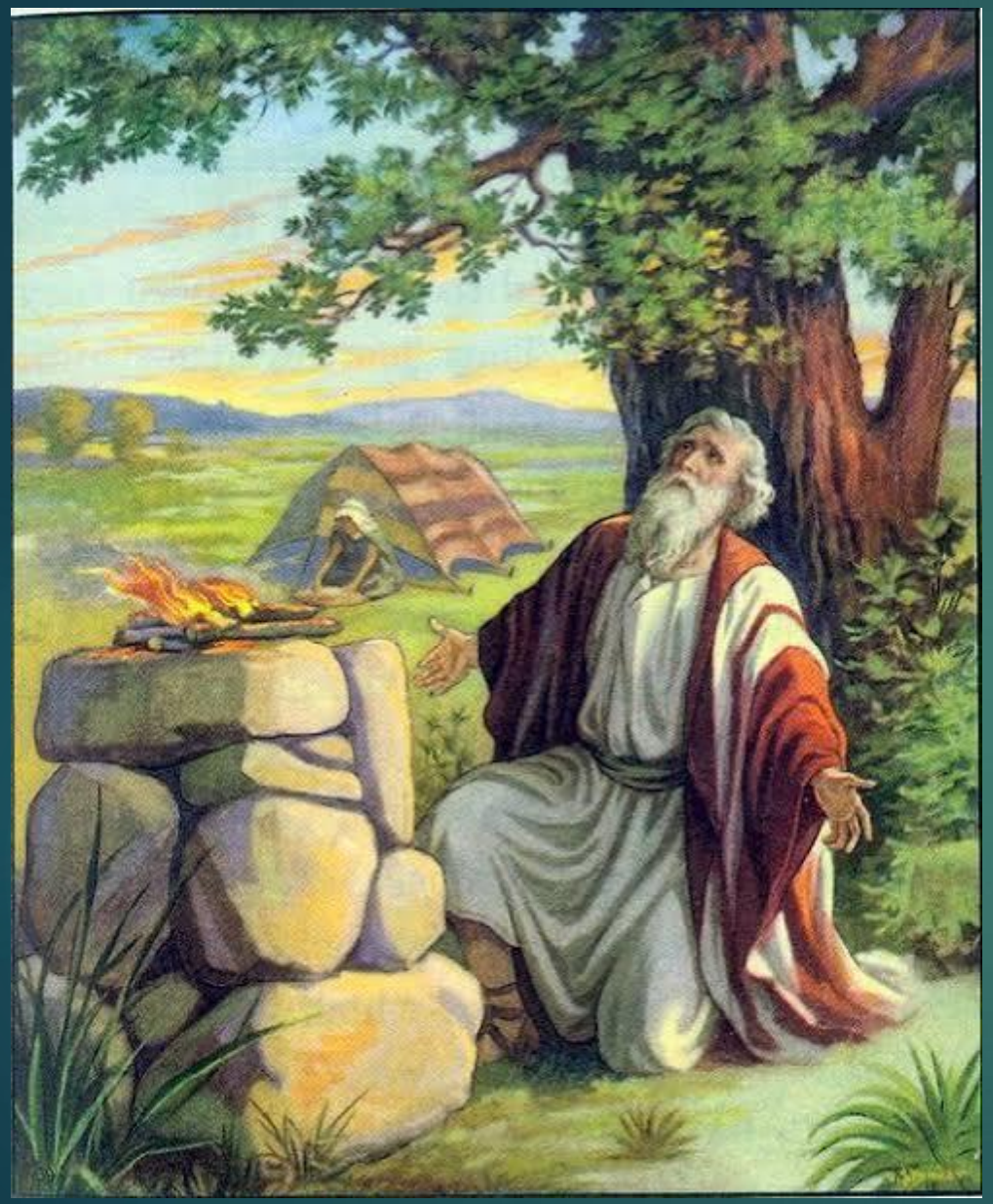


Man's Response to God
From Conversion to Mission

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God Takes the Initiative - MAN RESPONDS - YES OR NO

"Here I am, Lord, I come to do Your Will."

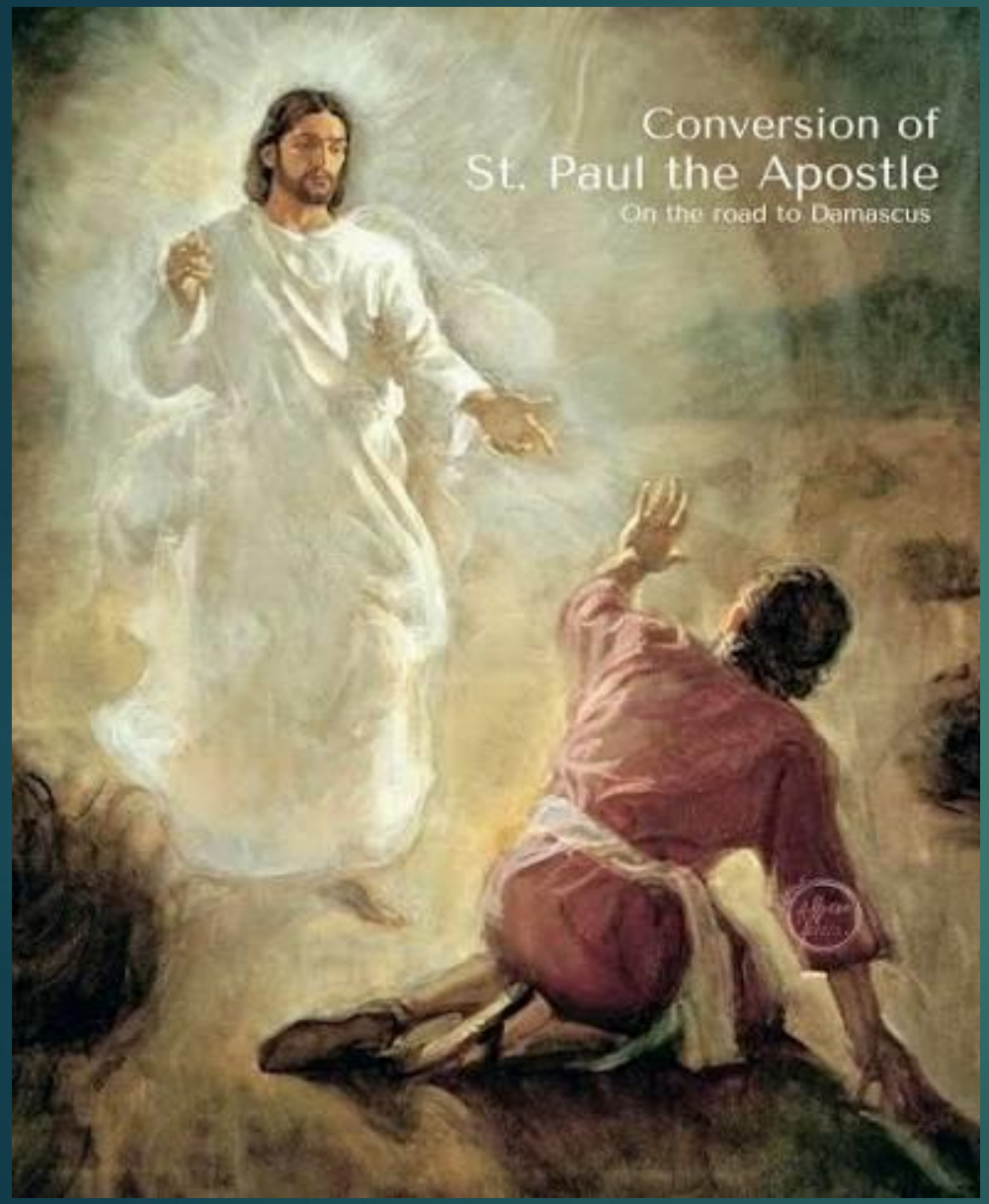
God Has Always Called Ordinary People

ORDINARY MEN AND WOMEN WERE CALLED BY GOD









HE REPENTED. WAS BAPTIZED AND PREACHED CHRISTIANITY UNTIL HIS MARTYRDOM. “Lord what shall I do? (Acts 22:10); “

“It is no longer I who live but Christ who lives in me.” (Galatians 2:12).



HE REPENTED HIS SINFUL LIFE, BECAME A PRIEST AND BISHOP AND A DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH IN DEFENSE OF THE FAITH.

"Our hearts are restless until they rest in You."
(Confessions).



HE RENOUNCED WORLDLY GLORY AFTER A WAR INJURY AND FOUNDED THE SOCIETY OF JESUS.

"What does it profit a man to gain the whole world and loses his soul." (Mark 8:36)



SHE RESPONDED TO THE CALL WHILE SERVING AS A RELIGIOUS SISTER SERVING THE POOR OF THE POOREST. SHE LEFT HER TEACHING POSITION AND GAVE UP COMFORT AND SECURITY.

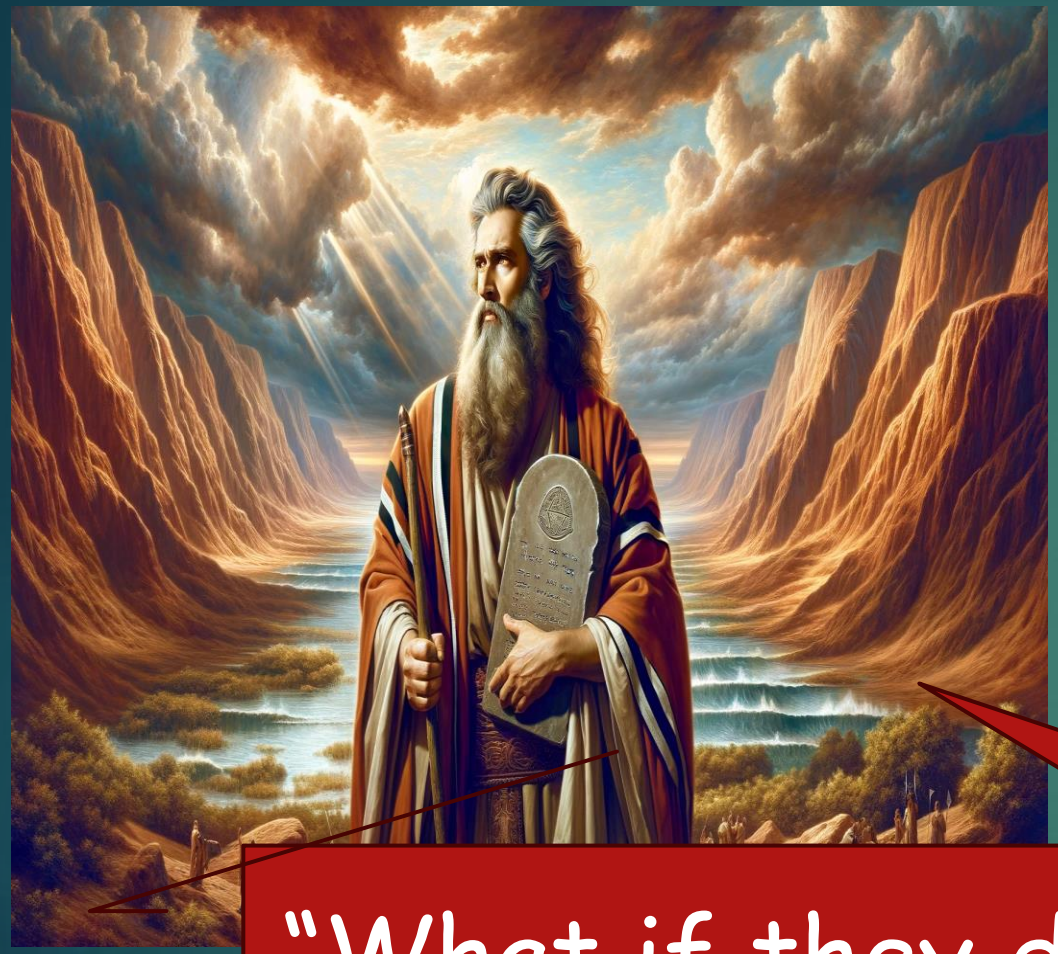


SHE RESPONDED TO GOD'S CALL - LEAVING HER FAMILY'S CASTLE AND WEALTH AND FOUNDED POOR CLARES A CONTEMPLATIVE RELIGIOUS ORDER OF WOMEN COMMITED TO A LIFE OF POVERTY AND PRAYER.



ABRAHAM'S RESPONSE TO GOD

MOSES' RESPONSE TO GOD



"What if they do not believe me?"

"Please send someone else."



ISAIAH'S RESPONSE TO GOD

"HERE AM I, SEND ME"



SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI

"LORD, WHAT DO YOU WANT ME TO DO?"



FRANK DUFF'S RESPONSE

"HE FOUNDED THE LEGION OF MARY"

ACTIONS TAKEN BY FRANK DUFF AS A RESPONSE TO GOD'S CALL

"HE GATHERED A SMALL GROUP"

"HE ORGANIZED A STRUCTURE

"HE MOBILIZED THE LAITY

"HE TRUSTED THE HOLY SPIRIT"

A TRUE LEGIONARY'S RESPONSE TO GOD'S CALL

- **PRAYER**
- **COMMUNITY BUILDING**
- **APOSTOLIC ACTION**



MARY'S FIAT - THE MOST PERFECT RESPONSE

"Be it done to me according to thy Word""

EXAMINATION OF CONSCIENCE

"YES OR NO"



WE ARE CALLED!

Come! Live in the light!
Shine with the joy and the love of the Lord!
We are called to be light for the kingdom
To live in the freedom of the city of God!
[Chorus]
We are called to act with justice
We are called to love tenderly
We are called to serve one another
To walk humbly with God

Come! Open your heart!
Show your mercy to all those in fear!
We are called to be hope for the hopeless
So all hatred and blindness will be no more!
[Chorus]
We are called to act with justice
We are called to love tenderly
We are called to serve one another
To walk humbly with God

Sing! Sing a new song!
Sing of that great day when all will be one!
God will reign and we'll walk with each other - As sisters and brothers united in love!
Chorus]
We are called to act with justice
We are called to love tenderly
We are called to serve one another
To walk humbly with God (2x)