

A Spiritual Journey of Forty Five Stations To the Cross
From Deacon Chris

Thursday of Week 2 in Lent

Sixteenth Station: Eleazar choses the only option open to him if he wants to remain faithful.

“We adore you, O Christ, and we praise you.”

R/ “Because by your holy Cross You have redeemed the world.

Scripture Reading

2nd Book of Maccabees Chapter 6 verses 18 to 31

Tuesday Week 33 Year 1

Reflection

Our Lord said that anybody who loses their life for his sake and the sake of the gospel will live forever. How do we relate to that? We may never be faced with that challenge. I wonder if we do face it more than we think. Is the choice between going to Church or going shopping or going out for the day not the same? It certainly isn't as dramatic as Eleazar but it could lead to it. We need help in making our choices. Not like the help that was offered to Eleazar but the help that comes from God through the Spirit.

Our Father.

Hail Mary.

Glory be.

I love you, Jesus, my love, above all things, I repent with my whole heart of having offended you. Never permit me to separate myself from you again. Grant that I may love you always; and then do with me what you will.