## Ordinary 2C - PRAY

Two weeks ago we celebrated the Epiphany with the arrival of MAGI in Bethlehem

It was an Epiphany – that word means revelation – that AHA moment when you get it MULTIPICATION TABLES – 12 of them!

3x6 6x3 (it's the same)

3x7 7x3 (It's the same)

POOF!!

That is what it was like on the Epiphany – Magi come, see the infant – and POOF!

Infant King of Kings and Lord of Lords

Epiphany is only one of three Epiphanies

1st - Magi

2<sup>nd</sup> – Last Week – Baptism of the Lord – Jesus gets baptized like everyone else – but then

A voice from heaven speaks

"This is my beloved Son in whom I am well pleased"

A whole new revelation for creation

3<sup>rd</sup> – Today – Cana – Mary says "Do whatever He tells you" WATER IS CHANGED INTO WINE

POOF!

Imagine the disciples seeing this happen – the 1<sup>st</sup> miracle Welcome to the new world of Jesus

Where the ordinary becomes extra ordinary
Ordinary water becomes extraordinary wine
And where ordinary wine can become blood of Christ
Not only at the last supper when JC says - - But right here on our altar when Fr. V

POOF!

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Mary is able to say "My soul magnifies the Lord & as a result all generations will call be blessed"

If we allow ourselves to magnify the Lord - to be Epiphanies of the Lord - we too will be blessed Look around - we are the image and likeness of God

We proclaim the presence of God in our midst by simply being

By being *Christians* we bring God's presence to others – that they may have an Epiphany For Christians – the extraordinary is ordinary – it is ordinary for us to have wine become blood

We live in miraculous times – Jesus is transforming the world into the KOG
We have been given the grace to be members of that Kingdom
AND

The mandate to bring the Good News of God into the World

## Your homework

How are you going to bring the Good News into your world? What are you going to do this week to grow the KOG?