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Altaration Session 4 Part 2– Due October 5

Opening Prayer

“And Jesus came and said to them, “All authority in heave and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and lo. I am with you always, to the close of the age.”

– Matthew 28:18-20

Lord, you promised to be with us always. Thank you for being a Father who keeps his promises. Help us to trust in your words. Give us a spirit of confidence and humble boldness not only to believe we are your children but to act like it. May we never doubt your presence within our lives or in the Eucharist. May our lives be a living witness of the mysterious reality taking place upon the altar at every Mass.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

- Watch Segment 4 Video 3 Will You Let Him?
 - Answer the following
 1. What does Mark mean when he says that we are all “called to be saints? Have you ever thought of yourself as a “saint in the making?” Why, or why not?
 2. In Mark’s words, “ The power to change the world flows off of the altar.” What does this mean?
 3. How might it change the way you approach Mass?
 4. Do you see the Church as a solid foundation that is immovable? Explain your answer.
 5. Are Christ and the Church Your foundation? If not, what is?
- Read Pages 48-49
 - Answer the following
 6. Had you ever heard stories like this about ordinary people doing extraordinary things because of the Eucharist?

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7. Knowing that these saints received the same Jesus in the Eucharist that you do at Mass, what do you think you might be capable of because of the Eucharist?
- Read Pages 51-57
 - Answer the following
 8. How long are you supposed to fast before Mass?
 9. Why do we fast before Mass?
 10. Why should we stay until the end of Mass?
 11. Why can it be a sin to miss Mass on Sunday's and Holy Day's of obligation?
 12. What needs to happen for it to be a sin?
 13. What is the Monstrance?
 14. What is their purpose?
 15. What does Consubstantial mean?
 16. What council decided to use the word Consubstantial in the creed?
 17. What does Transubstantiation mean?
 18. Is the Eucharist a symbol or actually the living Body and Blood of Christ?
 19. What was new to you in this lesson?