

Lectio Divina

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| ➤ Read and re-read , out loud and slowly
the Gospel | ➤ Pray - Thanksgiving - Repentance -
Petition |
| ➤ Meditate on reading as being spoken to
you, an experience in your life | ➤ Action - Attitude (Call to change / to
act / to do) |
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March 1st 2015 2nd Sunday of Lent - Year B - Mark 9: 2 - 10

In this week's gospel we see Jesus appearing in glory to the apostles. He took Peter, James and John up a high mountain before He became transfigured in their presence. This is a symbol of the painful journey the apostles must make with Jesus. On their journey with Jesus they get covered by a cloud and yet it is from within this cloud that they experience a renewed commitment to Him.

When are the times in our lives when a dark cloud has covered us in shadows and we found it hard to keep our commitments? Who were the Jesus people who brought us out of our darkness into a new light?

Prayer:

Thank you Lord for the transfiguration experience we had during our Parish mission recently. During this mission the presence of Jesus was alive and palpable. We wished we could stay there in our blissful moments with Jesus. Forgive us Lord for the times we refuse to come down from the mountain, where we had peace and comfort, to walk with those who are covered by a dark cloud. Help us Lord to experience that it is often when we are covered by a dark cloud we find a new commitment to Jesus who is always there waiting to help us.

