

FR.TK.REFLECTIONS 27th SUNDAY YEAR-C- 2025;

FAITH AND FIDELITY:

Readings today are about **faith and fidelity**. The power of faith and fidelity is **faith put into action**. The readings fit our world today in the light of **violence** which happens everyday in our families, society and the world.

Prophet Habakkuk complain we can make it our own (Hab 1:2-3, 2:2-4) we cry out violence but God seems not to intervene. We witness violence and destruction we can understand the prayer of the prophet for sure. However the Lord, has three things for the prophet, **the vision in our life, planting the vision and trusting the vision in our life**. There are good visions and bad vision, Hitler had vision but bad one the founding fathers had good vision for their countries though once you see what is happening in our world you wonder whether that vision is being practiced by our current leaders. The future obviously is a **product of people's decision, commitment and vision**. Vision has the power to change our world and shape our life. How would you like your family, community to be like, you must have input of your vision and make it practical.

We must **plant the vision** most this is done by how we deal with one another, how we affirm the sacredness of life, **how we make correct moral choices and what we do with our money** the vision doesn't come in a day it takes time but you must remain focused. We must teach this vision to others, preach it, keep it strong, plant the seed there will be harvest.

When the apostles asked Jesus to increase their faith (Lk 17; 5-10), He told them even a little faith like mustard seed **will work**

wonders what is important is faith in action.trusting the vision will bring what St,paul to Timothy is talking about(2tim 1:1;6-8,13-14) through faith we are given the **power,love and self control as opposed to being weak,self absorbed and short-sighted.**we are weak when we follow everybody else if people **cheat,gossip, or lie so we do too.**This is bad approach of life for sure.we must have a stand on what we believe.Faith **strengthen us against the tides of life and gives us power in time of moral weakness,it makes us loving to others that we don't be selfish.it gives us self control obvious**

Gods word teaches us important aspects of being **faithful in violent time,to have vision in our life and to plant the vision by our life and to trust that vision.**our faith has **power to change the world and to change our lives.**Having confidence in faith and its vision and trust in it,it will gives **light and life.**