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<u>Listening to the Word of God</u>

The 12TH SUNDAY of Ordinary Time

Job 38:1, 8-11

- 1. God: the limit-setter. God will only let chaos reign so far. God will only allow our suffering to go on so long. God will only allow our sins and disrespect to go on for so long. God will only allow the testing our faith to go so far. How do I feel about that?
- 2. God is unlimited. If something could limit God, then that would be God. Do I tend to sometimes limit God and therefore sometimes treat myself as god?

2 Corinthians 5:14-17

"So whoever is in Christ is a new creation:" We are in Christ, therefore we are to look like and act like a new creation. We are a people set apart. People should be able to tell by how we live our lives that we are different, that we are Christians. Can they? Am I any different in my actions and words than those who do not believe in Christ or God?

Mark 4:35-41

"The wind ceased and there was great calm. Then he asked them, "Why are you terrified? Do you not yet have faith?" Jesus is in our boat. We are in His Body. We receive Him in the Eucharist and in the Word. He is with us when we call to Him. Why then, am I sometimes afraid or worried about things? Do I not yet have faith?