



St. Peter Claver Catholic Community Presents  
**A Zoom Mini - Series: Sharing the Cure to a Wounded World**



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## 5th Gift: FEAR OF THE LORD heals SLOTH through FAITH

1. Opening Scripture Reflection – Hebrews 12:1-7
2. Gifts of Knowledge, Understanding, Counsel, and Courage
3. Fear of the Lord: *“His delight shall be the fear of the Lord.”*  
(Isaiah 11:1 – 9)



- a. Fallen Human Nature tends to be slothful and impatient
    - i. Not taking responsibility for myself - blames someone else (victim)
    - ii. Taking more responsibility for another (co-dependent)
  - b. Redeemed Human Nature - : *“None of us lives for oneself ... we live for the Lord* (Rm 14: 7-8) seeks to be balanced through faith
    - i. Freedom – Belonging to a support community
    - ii. Excel – Judge as a coach or mentor
    - iii. Advance – Accompany walking on common ground
    - iv. Reconciliation – Mutual Forgiving
4. Personal Testimony
  5. Patience... Passion... Compassion... Discipline to be an apostle.

### The Way to Holiness:

- a. Patience – Took Israelites 40 years to go 50 miles.  
God is patient!
- b. Passion – *“If God is for us, who is against us?”*  
(Rom. 8:31)
- c. Compassion – *“overcome evil with good”* (Rom 12:17-21)
- d. *“Rejoice in the Lord always; I say it again, rejoice!”* (Phil 4:4)

