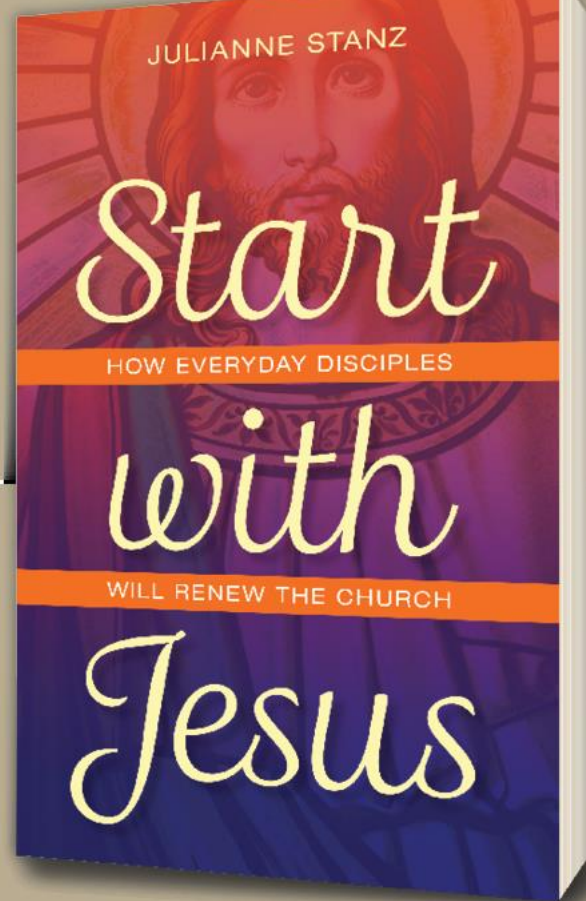


The background features a white spiral-bound notebook on the left and a light green teapot on the right. Watercolor-style flowers in shades of blue, pink, and red are scattered around the notebook. The title is written in a dark blue, cursive font on the notebook's page.

*Becoming the Women
God Calls You To Be*

Julianne Stanz

Evangelization



LOYOLAPRESS.
A JESUIT MINISTRY

finding **JOY**
in the journey

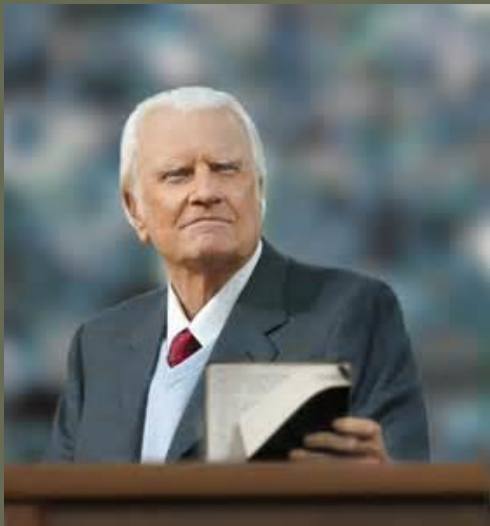


A journey of 18 inches

When I think of
evangelization...

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The women are the first at the tomb. They are the first to find it empty.

They are the first to hear: "He is not here. He has risen, as he said" (Mt 28:6).

They are the first to embrace his feet (cf. Mt 28:9).

They are also the first to be called to announce this truth to the Apostles (cf. Mt 28:1-10; Lk 24:8-11)

St. John Paul II (*Mulieris Dignitatem*, 16)



The single most important social influence on the religious and spiritual lives of children, particularly adolescents is their parents.

(Soul Searching: the Religious and Spiritual Lives of American Teenagers, p. 261)



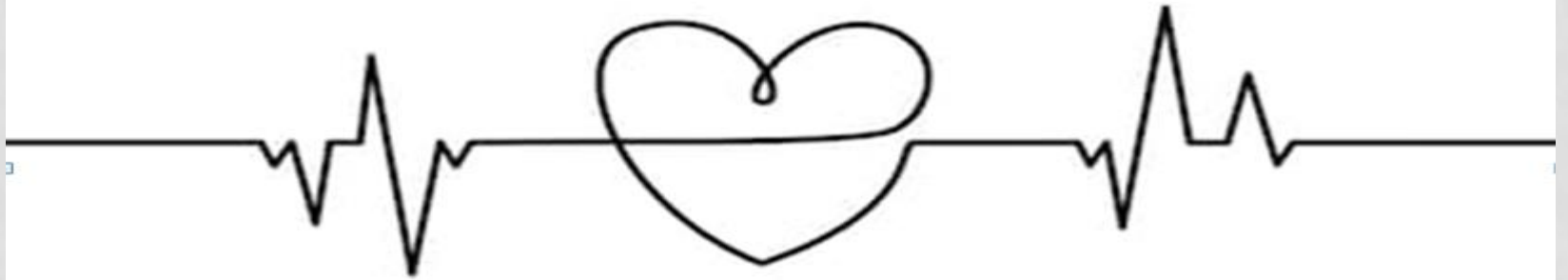






The word
disciple comes
from the Greek
word *mathetes*
meaning
pupil/student
of the master.
The Master is
of course, Jesus
Christ.

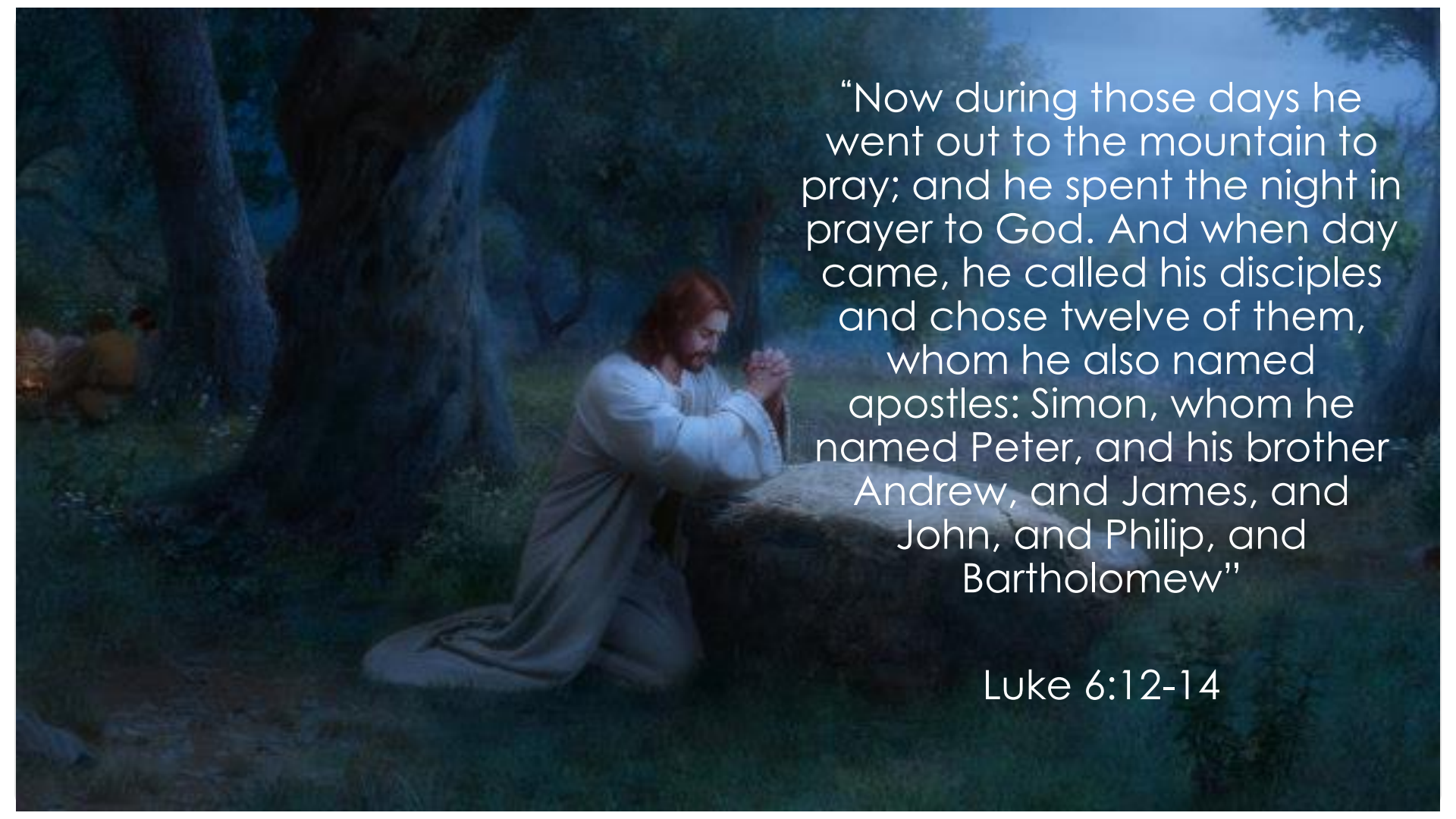
PRAAYER IS ESSENTIAL



THE FIRST METHOD OF JESUS




Prayer of Jesus on the Mount of Olives, Sebastiano Ricci

A digital illustration of Jesus kneeling in prayer in a forest. He is wearing a white robe and has his hands clasped in front of him. The scene is dimly lit, suggesting dusk or dawn, with a large tree trunk on the left and a misty background. The text is overlaid on the right side of the image.

“Now during those days he went out to the mountain to pray; and he spent the night in prayer to God. And when day came, he called his disciples and chose twelve of them, whom he also named apostles: Simon, whom he named Peter, and his brother Andrew, and James, and John, and Philip, and Bartholomew”

Luke 6:12-14



“If Eucharist is the
heart of parish
life, then prayer is
the heartbeat.”

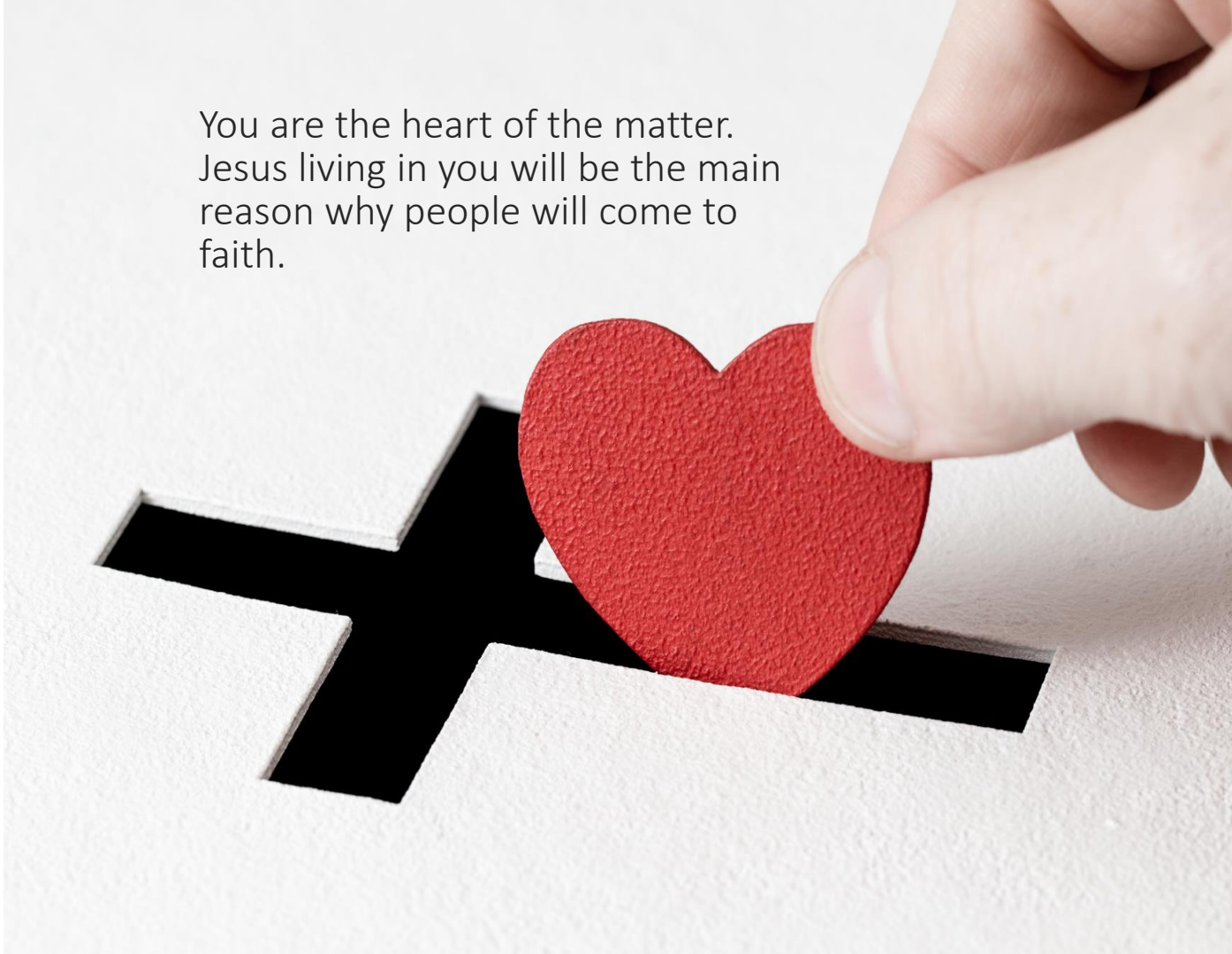
JULIANNE STANZ, *Start with Jesus:
How Everyday Disciples Will Renew the Church*

#STARTWITHJESUS

Share prayer



You are the heart of the matter.
Jesus living in you will be the main
reason why people will come to
faith.



WHAT'S YOUR STORY?



“Whether you were baptized as a child
or joined the Church as an adult,
you have a story of faith.”

Whether you sincerely live your faith in quiet
or have a great public ministry,
you have a story of faith.

Whether you have a grade-school knowledge of the
catechism
or have a theological degree,
you have a story of faith.”
- Go and Make Disciples, USCCB

The background of the entire page is a stained glass window. In the center, there is a depiction of a religious figure, likely Jesus, with long brown hair and a beard, wearing a red robe with a gold and blue collar. The stained glass is composed of various colored panes in shades of red, orange, and purple. Overlaid on this background is the text for the book cover.

Share Your Faith
S.T.O.R.Y.

Structure

Trial

Openness

Redemption and Renewal

You-nique

The Catechist's Backpack: Spiritual Essentials for the Journey, Julianne Stanz & Joe Paprocki

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Beware Your EGO





Isn't it interesting that science tells
us that we need four basic things to
survive?

Water

Air

Food

Light



Here's what Scripture tells us about
Jesus:

I am the source of living water

I am the breath of life

I am the bread of life

I AM LIGHT

Y'all need to stop with this "bread is not good for you" foolishness.

Jesus did not say I am the broccoli of life. Nor did He say give us this day our daily kale. Stop. Jesus is life. Jesus is the bread of life. Bread is life.

Give us this day.....

















Not a leader? You have been called!

- The Old Testament Prophets Said,
 - “I am too young” (Jeremiah)
 - “I am too old” (Sarah)
 - “I am not a speaker” (Moses)
 - “I am just a farmer” (Gideon)
 - “I am not in the mood” (Jonah)

Only Acceptable Response?

“I will go! Send me! (Isaiah)



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