

Women are welcome to preside and give the homily.
If you are interested please contact
Megan Heeney at 314-721-2977.

If you are interested in helping to prepare the liturgy or
share any talent you might have please let Megan know.
We always need readers, singers and musicians.

All women and men are invited
to join us in prayer.

We meet on the fourth Saturday of the month at 10:00
pm at St. Cronans. The next liturgies will be February
23rd, March 22nd and April 26th.

There will be a Winter Retreat February 2-3 e-mail
Megan at can@catholicactionnetwork.org.

Ree and Elsie are co-pastoring the Thérèse of Divine
Peace Inclusive Community February 3, 2007. The
Thérèse community will meet in Hope Chapel at the First
Unitarian Church of Saint Louis, 5007 Waterman
Avenue. Please join us!

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Prophetic Obedience



You can walk on the picket line and though you are
conscious of the terrible hostility around you
and there is a wrecked building across the way
and a whole vacant lot filled with bricks,
handy for a battle, you have this sense of courage.
Why? Because you have prayed for it;
and because you are with others.
-Dorothy Day

Women Led Prayer
January 26th, 2007
Sponsored by
Justice for Women in the
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Opening Song: *The Summons*

Welcome and Introductions:

Opening Prayer:

Reading 1: Mark 1: 9-11 Wedding Feast at Cana

His mother said to the servants,
'Do whatever he tells you.'



Reading 2: The Journey by Mary Oliver

One day you finally knew what you had to do, and began,
though the voices around you kept shouting their bad advice ----
Though the whole house began to tremble
and you felt the old tug at your ankles.
"Mend my life!" each voice cried.
But you didn't stop. You knew what you had to do,
though the wind pried with its stiff fingers
at the very foundations, though their melancholy was terrible.
It was already late enough, and a wild night,
and the road full of fallen branches and stones,
But little by little, as you left their voices behind,
the stars began to burn through the sheets of clouds,
and there was a new voice which you slowly recognized as your own,
that kept you company as you strode deeper and deeper into the world,
determined to do the only thing you could do----
determined to save the only life you could save.

Reading 3: Fear in Our Time- Dorothy Day



Homily

Sharing: On Prophetic Obedience
When have you faced fear
and found courage in the spirit
and in community?

Intercessions:

Sign of Peace

Closing Prayer

Closing Song: Servant Song

