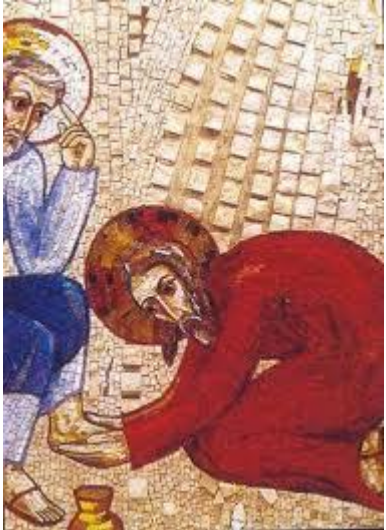


	Supper II : Jesus washes his disciples' feet	
Presence of God	Considering how God looks at me.	
History John 13,1 – 3	<p>2 During the evening meal, ...⁴ he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. ⁵ After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him.</p> <p>12 When he had finished washing their feet, he put on his clothes and returned to his place. "Do you understand what I have done for you?" he asked them. 13 "You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord,' and rightly so, for that is what I am. 14 Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. 15 I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you.</p>	
Petition	<i>Lord, may I know you more clearly, love you more deeply and follow you and your example more nearly!</i>	
Contemplation	<p>v 2 The last supper of the Lord <i>Do you remember the last time we met? We reflected on the last supper and the way Jesus felt. We said that, on the one hand, He was very happy because He was going to the Father and he was going to save those He loved to the end: He was going to give his life to save them. On the other hand, He was sad and terrified because He had to suffer a lot. But He was willing to obey his Father's will, whatever it took, and to die for those He loved. Imagine the place where Jesus was having dinner with his friends... What did it look like? Try to get into Jesus' heart to contemplate his feelings..</i></p> <p>v 4 y 5 Jesus washes the feet of those He loves <i>Jesus was with his friends (you are one of them), and wanted to show them how much He loved them: when He realized that their feet were dirty because of the journey, He squatted and washed their feet, one by one. Imagine Jesus squatting, kneeling and dirtying his own hands to make his friends' feet clean and fresh. He really wanted to make his friends happy.</i></p> <p>v 12 al 15 To do as Jesus has done <i>Jesus says that we should do as He has done. Imagine... in what ways can we "wash the feet" of the members of our family, our classmates, the elderly, the poor, the friends we share the Learning Services program with...</i></p>	<p>When Jews celebrated Passover, they remembered the "wonders" God had done for its People The greatest "wonder" Jesus does is to save men, those he loves to the end.</p> <p>Washing your guests' feet was a gesture of education and good manners, because feet got dirty. Besides, as they used to eat resting on their left elbow, they were too close to one another's feet. In general, this task was carried out by slaves. Jesus did not mind humbling himself to serve those He loved so dearly.</p> <p>Washing the other's feet means lowering ourselves to serve the others so that they can be better. This gesture can only be done by a person who loves the others very much.</p>

Colloquy

Let's sit on the carpet, on the promised land, near Jesus, to hear him in the silence of our hearts. Imagine Jesus is washing your feet right now. Imagine his hands. Are your feet very dirty? What kind of dirt must He cleanse? What dirty paths have you followed? How do you feel when Jesus touches your feet?

