Tuesday reflection,8th March 2022

Last Tuesday, we were reflecting on light and fire.

This Tuesday's First Reading is a beautifully poetic passage in which Isaiah compares the Word of God with rain and snow "which come down from heaven and do not return without watering the earth, making it yield and giving growth" (Isaiah 55:10-11).

But what is this 'word' which St. John calls "the beginning" (John 1:1) and became manifest in Creation and took on human form in Christ Jesus?

In a word it is LOVE.

Let us try rewriting part of the passage from Isaiah:

"so the Love which emanates from God does not return to God without carrying out His will and succeeding in what it was sent to do, which is to transform the face of the earth".

THE WORD OF GOD IS LOVE

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