



## **Homiletic Notes for Together in Mission 2019**

### **February 2 – 3: Announcement Weekend – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

From the second reading: Paul describes what love is and what love is not, and what it does and does not do. Among these, “love is patient, love is kind. It is not jealous, [it] is not pompous, it is not inflated, it is not rude, it does not seek its own interests, it is not quick-tempered, it does not brood over injury, it does not rejoice over wrong doing...” (1 Corinthians 13: 4 – 7)

In short, love is not being about oneself, but a capacity to be for the sake of the other. (Give a brief definitions of these adjectives and verbs to help this point.) Together in Mission is an opportunity to witness to this “more excellent way” of the Christian life.