



“Do not labor for the food that perishes,
but for the food which endures to everlasting life.”
—John 6:27

First Sunday of Amshir

Making Perishable Food Everlasting

St. John the Baptist

- “Collect no more than what is appointed for you.” (Lk. 3:13)
- “Do not intimidate anyone or accuse falsely, and be content with your wages.” (Lk. 3:14)

1. Believe that you were appointed by God

- Adam
- “Then the Lord God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to tend and keep it.” (Gen. 2:15)
- St. Anthony the Great



2. My supervisor is God Himself

- “Bondservants, obey in all things your masters according to the flesh, not with eyeservice, as men-pleasers, but in sincerity of heart, fearing God. And whatever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not to men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance; for you serve the Lord Christ. (Col. 3:22-24)

3. I work with God



4. Glorify the name of God

- “Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.” (Matt. 5:16)
- Daniel
- “Then this Daniel distinguished himself above the governors and satraps, because an excellent spirit was in him; and the king gave thought to setting him over the whole realm.” (Dan. 6:3)



5. You will be rewarded by God

- “And whatever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not to men, knowing that from the Lord you will receive the reward of the inheritance; for you serve the Lord Christ.” (Col. 3:23-24)
- “...knowing that whatever good anyone does, he will receive the same from the Lord...” (Eph. 6:8)