

*Fourth Movement; Week 25*  
*Responding to the Love of Christ*

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# ***Responding to the Love of Christ***

## ***The graces we are seeking ...***

- To name the graces I have received during the Transformation Intensive
- The grace to express my gratitude for all God's gifts and benefits
- The grace to offer myself more completely to Christ and his Kingdom



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## *Suscipe*

- Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty, my memory, my understanding, and my entire will, all I have and call my own.
- You have given all to me. To you, Lord, I return it.
- Everything is yours; do with it what you will.
- Give me only your love and your grace, that is enough for me.



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## • CONTEMPLATION TO GAIN LOVE

- **First Point.** The First Point is, to *bring to memory* the benefits received, of Creation, Redemption and particular gifts, *pondering with much feeling how much God our Lord has done for me*, and how much He has given me of what He has, and then *the same Lord desires to give me Himself* as much as He can, according to His Divine ordination.
- *And with this to reflect on myself, considering with much reason and justice*, what I ought on my side to offer and give to His Divine Majesty, that is to say, everything that is mine, and myself with it, *as one who makes an offering with much feeling*:
- *Take, Lord, and receive all my liberty, my memory, my intellect, and all my will—all that I have and possess. Thou gavest it to me: to Thee, Lord, I return it! All is Thine, dispose of it according to all Thy will. Give me Thy love and grace, for this is enough for me.*



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## *Reflect/Record/Respond ...*

From ... a prayerless life

Through ... attempting to pray every day for 7 months

To ... a keen awareness of a prayerless life

For ... <someday> to help others grow into a life of prayer

## Growth track ...

- Unconscious incompetence
- Conscious incompetence
- Conscious competence
- Unconscious competence



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## *Finding God in all things ...*

- Don't limit your "review" to your prayer life ... where else have there been changes in your life?
- Are there threads that tie things together?

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*Finding God in all things ...*

*Family / Heritage*

*Spirituality*

*Career*

*Hobbies/Interests*

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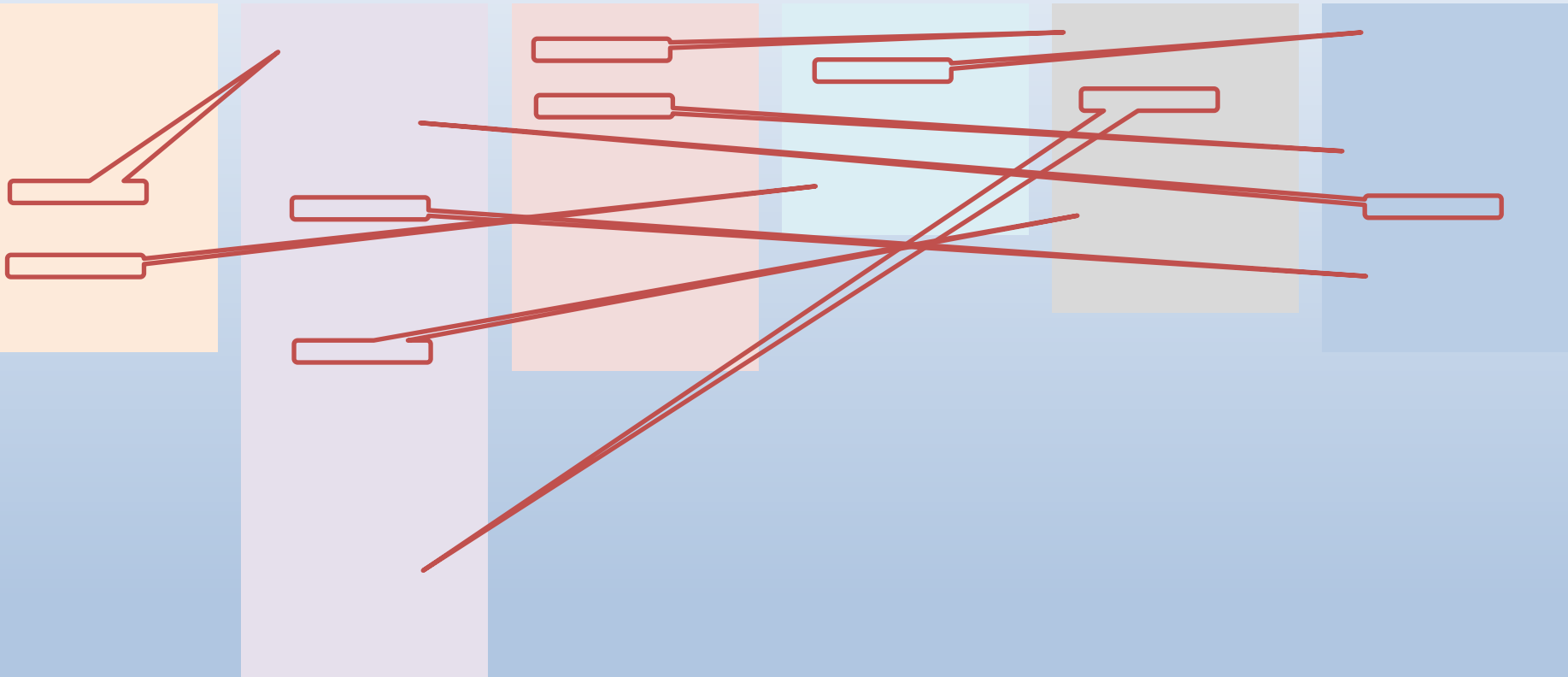
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