

Segunda Tarea: Deus Caritas Es

Important takes

- The very first point I agree with. It is very important in my apostolate since I work with young adults and they are not blank slates. Showing them that the name of god is related to love instead of revenge and injustice is something that is of the most importance.
- The second point makes a good distinction about the definition of love. I completely agree that not all types of love are equal.
- This are the points young adults made especially in this day in age. Friedrich Nietzsche makes a good point that makes sense. He points out a very topic that many catholics struggle to explain. How do we explain to the young catholics that Eros is not wrong. We have made it seem like having intimacy between male and female is not acceptable.
- Pope Benedict explain this beautiful we do agree that Eros is good but the difference is that we do not make it an idolatry. Mans divinity is more than just a simple pleasure.
- He explains that if we make eros simple as sex then it becomes more like a product that can be purchased and sold. However, in order to make eros reach its true potential it needs to be purified and disciplined.
- Pope Benedict back up his claims by using the songs of songs as his source. He explains that the love used by the lover is denying itself and going through that purification. Not only that but Jesus himself shows his love through the cross.
- The explanation that sometimes christian try to make it seem like only agape is the love of christianity. However eros is also part of our religion is just that we have to be able to explain it as making it more than just simplifying it as love between a man a woman.