Sister's Spin

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November slides into December very quietly. It ends with the feast of the Apostle Andrew, usually the last feast of the Liturgical Year, but this year, the first feast of the new Liturgical Year. It may make one think that this feast has nothing to do with the Advent or Christmas Season, but on second thought, Andrew does remind us of one very important factor--he brought people to Jesus. Andrew was one of the first followers of Jesus and he brought his brother, Simon, later named Peter, to Jesus. Andrew also is the one who brings the young boy with loaves and fishes to Jesus. So as this Advent Season begins, it is good to ask oneself: Who will I bring to Jesus this year? Will it be my words that will incite questions, or maybe just a smile to someone, or my example or a prayer? I may not know the answer, but hopefully, something I do, beginning this Advent Season, may lead someone to the crib or the cross. St. Andrew, show me how to do this!

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