

Our Gospel Value this week is Integrity

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Our Virtue this week is Fortitude



**We gather together to love,
value and respect each other
within our Catholic family, to
nurture each individual's
talents and skills as Jesus
taught us.**

***Everyone matters and is loved
by God.***

Peace be with you
and with your Spirit

Jesus Christ light of the world
... **shine brightly in our lives**



Jesus Christ God's living
Word
... **speak to us your truth**



Jesus Christ God's love
revealed
... **dwell among us**



Our lit candle reminds us that
we are in God's presence as
we mark ourselves with the
sign of the cross

**In the name of the Father,
and of the Son
and of the Holy Spirit
Amen**

We Say Sorry

Jesus is the Light of the World. For those times that we haven't seen the light.

Lord have mercy

Lord have mercy

Jesus, you carried your cross. Help us to carry our cross.

Christ have mercy

Christ have mercy

Jesus you are the Word. For the times that we haven't listened to You.

Lord have mercy

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Today we hear about how Jesus asks a rich young man to sell his nice things and to give all his money to people who are poor.

What do you think the rich man did?

Let's find out...

God of light, show us how we can answer your call. Inspire us to share all that we have with others, so that all people around the world may live free from poverty.

Amen

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He's the Lord of all my heart.**

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We listen to the word

Gospel according to Mark 10:17-30

May the words of Jesus be

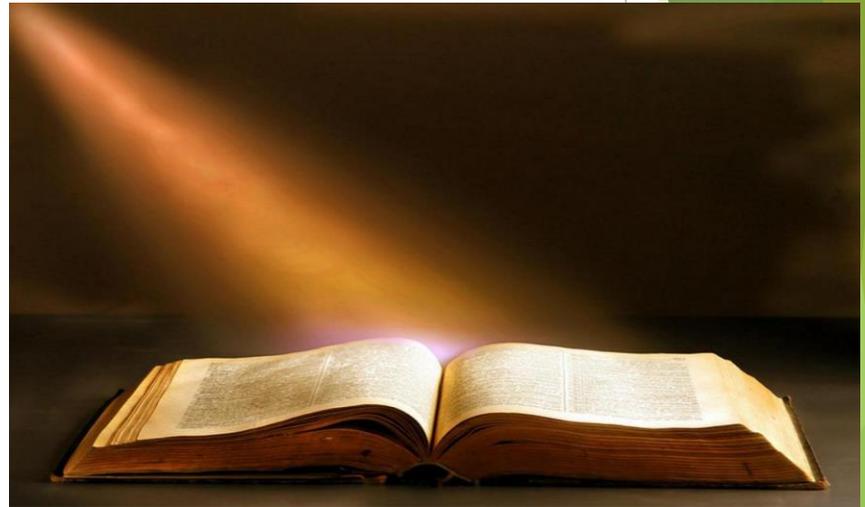
On my mind

On my lips and

In my heart

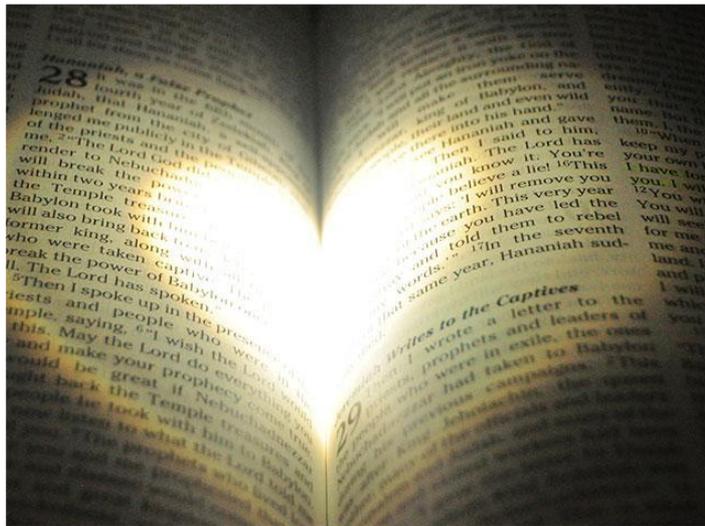
The Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ



**Alleluia, Alleluia, Jesus is the Lord,
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We are still and silent as we reflect on God's word for us in the Gospel.



What do you remember from today's reading?



The rich man asks Jesus what he must do to have eternal life.

What does Jesus say?



Jesus reminds the man of the Ten Commandments, that he should not kill, should not steal or tell lies, and that he must respect his parents.



The man says that he has kept all of the commandments since he was young. And so, Jesus gives him an extra challenge.

What was it that Jesus asked the man to do?



Jesus asked the man to sell his nice things and to give all his money to people who are poor. Once he had done this, Jesus said, the man could follow him.

How did the man feel?

Did he sell all his things and give the money to those who needed it?

Why do you think he didn't?



How would you feel if someone came along and said that you had to sell all your favourite toys, or that you had to give them away to someone who didn't have any?



But this is exactly what Jesus does ask of us. That if we have more than enough, that we share what we have with others. That way all people in the world would be able to have the things that they need.

Can you think of a time when you have shared with other people? How did it feel?



Can you think of a time when
someone wouldn't share with you?
How did that feel?



Do you think it is fair that some people in the world have a lot more than others? Why not?



It is important to share things so that everyone has enough and so that the world is a fairer place for everyone to live.

How do you think that we can do this?



In silence, pray for each other -
that God will be with all of us.



It is sometimes hard to do what
Jesus asks of us, and so we
pray together for God's help:

We pray for world leaders:
that they show integrity in
looking for ways to make
sure all of their people,
especially those who are
poor, can have their fair
share.

Lord in Your mercy

Hear our prayer

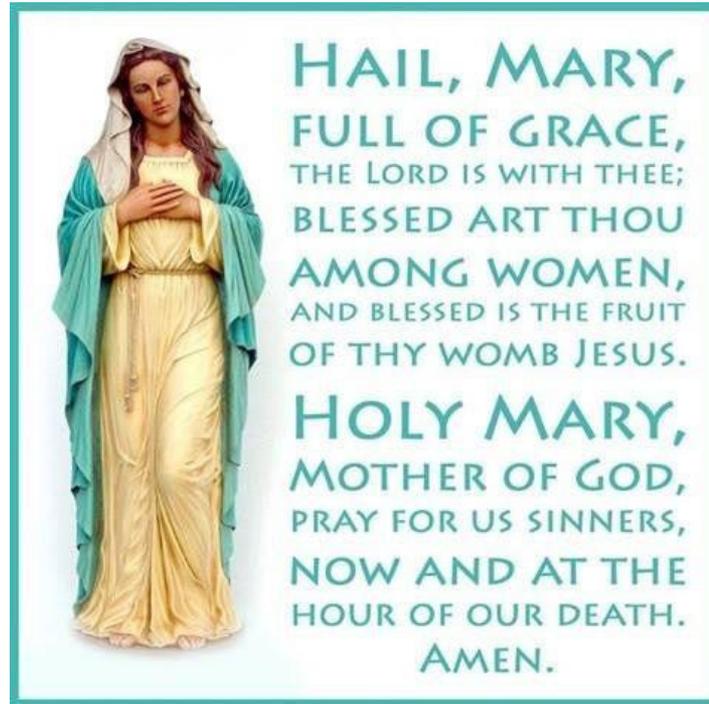
We pray for people living in poverty: that they may have the chance to share in the gifts that God gave for us all.

Lord in Your mercy

Hear our prayer

We take a moment now to pray for our own intentions.

We ask Our Lady to intercede on our behalf as we say together...



Generous God, we thank you for all the gifts that you have given us. Teach us to have the integrity to share these gifts with others, so all people may have enough.
Amen.

St Anthony

Pray for us

St Mark

Pray for us

St Francis

Pray for us

St Alban

Pray for us

How will
you follow
Jesus this
week?

In the week ahead let's try to ...

- ▶ share with those around us
- ▶ show integrity in all that we do – even when things are a bit tricky

Jesus, I offer my day to you
Jesus, I offer my day to you
Jesus, I offer my day to you

Let us go in
peace

Thanks be to God

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