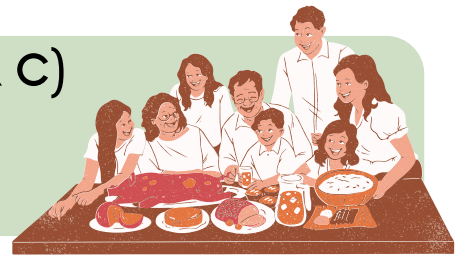


Family Liturgy

13TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

10th World Meeting of Families
26th June, 2022



PREPARATION

Set up your sacred space. Place a cloth, cross, bible and candle. Add any other symbols relevant to your family.

Light the candle or use a battery operated candle for safety.



GATHER

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

COLLECT

We ask that God will help us to grow in goodness and use this to help others.

GOSPEL

A reading from the gospel according to Luke (9:57-62)

Along the way to Jerusalem someone said to Jesus, "I'll go anywhere with you!" Jesus said, "Foxes have dens, and birds have nests, but the Son of Man doesn't have a place to call his own."

Jesus told someone else to come with him.

But the man said, "Lord, let me wait until I bury my father."

Jesus answered, "Let the dead take care of the dead, while you go and tell about God's kingdom."

Then someone said to Jesus, "I want to go with you, Lord, but first let me go back and take care of things at home."

Jesus answered, "Anyone who starts ploughing and keeps looking back isn't worth a thing in God's kingdom!:"

The gospel of the Lord

All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ

(Gospel text © Lectionary for Masses with Children (1993) Catholic Book Publishing Co. New York)



God's Story: Kingdom



[WATCH God's Story: Kingdom | Crossroads Kids' Club](#)

REFLECT

I wonder why my family is a gift to God's kingdom...
I wonder what ways God has blessed my family...
I wonder how my family can share our gifts with others...

UNIVERSAL PRAYER

Ponder and think about what has happened this week for our family.
Bring these things to mind. Offer up any special intentions or prayers aloud or in our hearts as we pray:

For families who are going through great painful difficulties, that they may find support the community and never lose hope in You.

Lord, hear us. **R: Lord, hear our prayer**

For those who feel pain or loss, may the community learn to support each other and know how to open up to give help and support to those in need.

Lord, hear us. **R: Lord, hear our prayer**

That our community will always be able to find new ways in for every person feel welcomed within the Church.

Lord, hear us. **R: Lord, hear our prayer**

We pray to you, Lord, that every child in the world may have a family that welcomes and makes them feel loved and is given whatever is necessary to help them to grow up happy and capable of love.

Lord, hear us. **R: Lord, hear our prayer**

Pray **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

DISMISSAL

May God bless our family and protect us, in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.

ENDING SONG

The Blessing [Kids] - featuring kids from different nations

ACTIVITIES

- Prayer journal: Write a prayer to Jesus
- Colouring in: Family serving
- Spend quality time: bake, make a chatterbox craft or play a board game together as a family

