



Our Lady of Peace Catholic Primary & Nursery School

‘With Christ in our hearts, together we grow’

Luke 18:1-8
29th Week of the year

Not to lose heart

Introduction



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Jesus told a parable to show that we should not become disheartened but should keep on asking for what we want because God will hear and answer our prayers.



Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia Alleluia (all sing) x 3

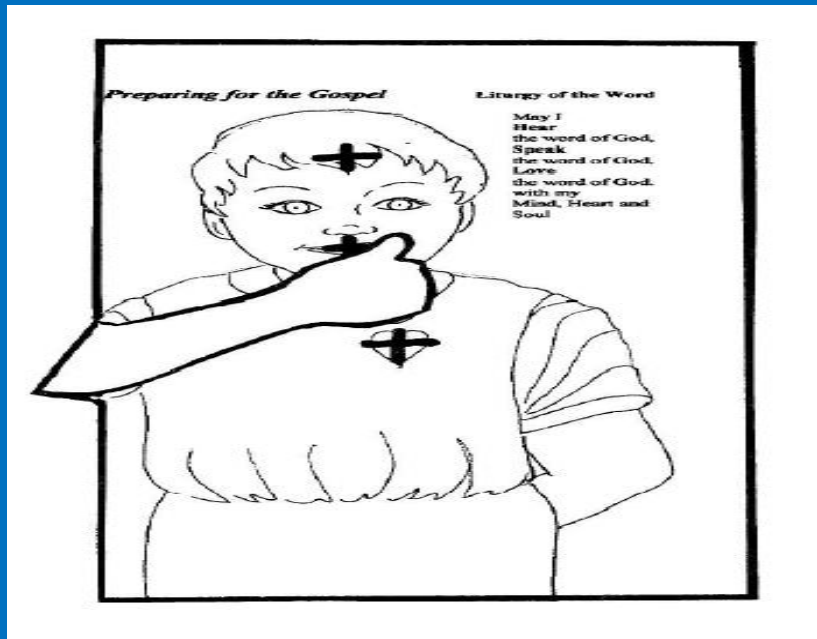
Give thanks to the Lord for all His love.

Alleluia! Alleluia Alleluia (all sing) x3

The Lord be with you
Response: And with your Spirit

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke

Response: Glory to you, O Lord



Gospel



The Parable of the Persistent Widow

Jesus told them a parable about how they should always pray and not lose heart. In a certain town there was a judge who was often **unjust and unfair**. A woman in the town asked the judge to **help her settle a quarrel with her neighbour**. The judge was not interested in the woman's problem and **sent her away**. The woman did not give up! **She came back every day, day in and day out**, until the judge could not stand being pestered any more. 'I **must give this woman what she wants**,' he said, 'or she will never give me any peace.'

Then Jesus said, 'If such a man can finally listen and do what is asked of him, how much more will my heavenly Father do for you if you keep on asking.'

The Gospel of the Lord
Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ



Questions

How is the judge described in the parable?

What was the woman asking the judge to do?

What did the judge do to the woman?

What did the woman do?

What did the judge say in the end to the woman?

Thinking Question

**What is Jesus
teaching us in this
parable?**

Closing Prayer



Dear God

Please help us all to pray and never lose heart, even if sometimes we think you are not listening. We all know that you love each and everyone of us because we are all special and unique.

With Christ in our hearts, together we grow
Amen