

LYNNFIELD CATHOLIC COLLABORATIVE

Children's Liturgy of the Word

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time



Family Guide:

This is a guide designed for families to use in addition to our Children's Liturgy of the Word video for the 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time! Included in this guide are the Opening and Closing prayers, the Gospel Reading, and Directions for the craft activity. You will find a resource page with additional activities as well!

Opening Hymn:

Gather the People ([CLICK HERE](#))

Opening Prayer:

God of Love, You invite us to follow in your ways. May we hear You and answer Your call. Amen.

1st Reading:

[Isaiah 25: 6-10a](#)

A reading from the book of the Prophet Isaiah:

On this mountain the LORD of hosts will provide for all peoples a feast of rich food and choice wines, juicy, rich food and pure, choice wines. On this mountain he will destroy the veil that veils all peoples, the web that is woven over all nations; he will destroy death forever. The Lord GOD will wipe away the tears from every face; the reproach of his people he will remove from the whole earth; for the LORD has spoken. On that day it will be said: "Behold our God, to whom we looked to save us! This is the LORD for whom we looked; let us rejoice and be glad that he has saved us!" For the hand of the LORD will rest on this mountain.

The word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

Psalm:

The Lord is my Shepherd, there is nothing I shall want.

2nd Reading:

Philippians 4: 12-14, 19-20

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Philippians

Brothers and sisters: I know how to live in humble circumstances; I know also how to live with abundance. In every circumstance and in all things I have learned the secret of being well fed and of going hungry, of living in abundance and of being in need. I can do all things in him who strengthens me. Still, it was kind of you to share in my distress. My God will fully supply whatever you need, in accord with his glorious riches in Christ Jesus. To our God and Father, glory forever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia ([Click Here](#))



Gospel:

Matthew 22: 1-10

A reading from the holy gospel according to Matthew

Jesus again in reply spoke to the chief priests and elders of the people in parables, saying, "The kingdom of heaven may be likened to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son. He dispatched his servants to summon the invited guests to the feast, but they refused to come. A second time he sent other servants, saying, 'Tell those invited: "Behold, I have prepared my banquet, my calves and fattened cattle are killed, and everything is ready; come to the feast.'" Some ignored the invitation and went away, one to his farm, another to his business. The rest laid hold of his servants, mistreated them, and killed them. The king was enraged and sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his servants, 'The feast is ready, but those who were invited were not worthy to come. Go out, therefore, into the main roads and invite to the feast whomever you find.' The servants went out into the streets and gathered all they found, bad and good alike, and the hall was filled with guests."

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

Profession of Faith

Yes Lord, I Believe! ([Click Here](#))

Prayer of the Faithful:

Response: *Lord, hear our prayer.*

Family Activity:

In today's Gospel reading, we hear the story of the King who invited many people to his Son's wedding. Like the King in the Gospel story, God invites us to live our life by following what Jesus, His son, taught us. Print out the invitation that is included in this PDF – one for each member of your family. As a family, take some time to think about what God might be inviting you to do as individuals and how you will RSVP – or respond to that call.



Closing Prayer:

God,

You invite everyone to belong to your Kingdom. Some choose to ignore this invitation and others are happy to accept this invitation. Throughout this next week, may we be open to hearing your call for us. Help us to love You and one another, and always try to do what Jesus taught us.

Amen.

Closing Hymn:

[We Belong to You \(Click Here\)](#)

Family Resources

- [*The Kid's Bulletin: October 11th, 2020*](#)
- [*How to Make a Rosary with Children*](#)
- [*Loyola Press Monthly Craft: October*](#)

PARTY TIME!

YOU'RE INVITED TO A FEAST FOR EVERYONE!

WHEN? TODAY

WHAT TIME? NOW

The feast is for everyone, but you are invited to follow what Jesus taught us!

RSVP BY WRITING HOW YOU CAN FOLLOW JESUS!
