

Getting Ready for Sunday!



Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A



Matthew 25:1-13

The Parable of the Ten Bridesmaids

'Then the kingdom of heaven will be like this. Ten bridesmaids took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom.



Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. When the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them; but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps.



As the bridegroom was delayed, all of them became drowsy and slept. But at midnight there was a shout,

“Look! Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.”



Then all those bridesmaids got up and trimmed their lamps. The foolish said to the wise, *“Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.”*



**Our talents and our love bring us on the path to God.
We must use our talents well if we may use them to
serve ourselves and others well when in need!**

But the wise replied, *“No! there will not be enough for you and for us; you had better go to the dealers and buy some for yourselves.”*

And while they went to buy it, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went with him into the wedding banquet; and the door was shut. Later the other bridesmaids came also, saying,

“Lord, Lord, open to us.” But he replied, “Truly I tell you, I do not know you.”



If God is love, the more we love, the more we are in touch with our loving Creator!

Keep awake therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour.



Be ready to see God in the most unexpected places and people!



Bible Search

Read **Matthew 25:1-13** in your family Bible-this is the Gospel reading at Mass this Sunday.



Consider



How often to you say 'thank you' to God and others?

Praying to Jesus



**Pray for the grace to grateful for
the gifts given to you..**

**Ask God to help you to live
your life to full capacity.**

