

PDT prayers
week 7 –
Justice

WISDOM
JUSTICE
LOVE

Monday 16th October



We all say; O God, come to our aid.

Let us pray for justice for all those who are treated unfairly.

Justice for the people who lost their homes and families.

Justice for all those who have died in wars.

St Joseph – Pray for us

By Amelia, Year 7

Tuesday 17th
October

We all say; O God, come to our aid.

Lord

We pray that all people are treated equally and with justice regardless of their skin colour or religion. Let everyone be allowed to believe what they want to believe and let justice be around in the world.

St Joseph – Pray for us

By Viraj , Year 7



Wednesday 18th October

We all say; O God, come to our aid.

Lord

Give us the power of wisdom so we can treat others fairly.

Let us always treat people with justice and fairness.

Let us always know right from wrong.

St Joseph – Pray for us

By Lionel, Year 7



Thursday 19th October

We all say; O God, come to our aid.

Lord,

Let us pray for those who are not treated equally. Give us the strength to stand up for each other. Give us the strength to speak out when we need to,

St Joseph – Pray for us

By Sameer, Year 10



The Friday message



- **22** And again Jesus spoke to them in parables, saying, ² “The kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding feast for his son, ³ and sent his servants^[a] to call those who were invited to the wedding feast, but they would not come. ⁴ Again he sent other servants, saying, ‘Tell those who are invited, “See, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered, and everything is ready. Come to the wedding feast.”’ ⁵ But they paid no attention and went off, one to his farm, another to his business, ⁶ while the rest seized his servants, treated them shamefully, and killed them. ⁷ The king was angry, and he sent his troops and destroyed those murderers and burned their city. ⁸ Then he said to his servants, ‘The wedding feast is ready, but those invited were not worthy. ⁹ Go therefore to the main roads and invite to the wedding feast as many as you find.’ ¹⁰ And those servants went out into the roads and gathered all whom they found, both bad and good. So the wedding hall was filled with guests.
- ¹¹ “But when the king came in to look at the guests, he saw there a man who had no wedding garment. ¹² And he said to him, ‘Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding garment?’ And he was speechless. ¹³ Then the king said to the attendants, ‘Bind him hand and foot and cast him into the outer darkness. In that place there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.’ ¹⁴ For many are called, but few are chosen.”

meaning



Today we hear of the parable of the wedding feast from the Gospel of Matthew. We have all been invited to the great banquet – the Kingdom of Heaven. We aren't forced to accept – we need to decide if we want to say yes, or if we are going to make excuses, and focus on other things.

If we say yes, will we be like the guests in the parable who prepared and make an effort to do the right thing and wear the right clothes?

Maybe, we should imagine each of the things we wear as our thoughts, words and actions – as the effort we make to show we want to follow Jesus. So, it might be an act of patience, a kind word, a gentle touch, a loving act of service, each thought, word and action like buttons or decorations for our outfit that means we are ready for the Kingdom of Heaven. Whatever our faith, if we want to be with God, however we understand him, in the next world, we really need to think about our actions in this .

Lord

We pray for a peaceful weekend.

Give us strength.

Give us courage.

Give us wisdom.



Happy
Weekend

Final
thought...

ANYONE WHO
LOVES
OTHERS LIVES
IN **THE LIGHT**

1 JOHN 2:10

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