

St. Peter's Church Children's Liturgy

WEEK OF: July 16, 2023

Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time: The readings for this week at Mass is from the Gospel of Mt 13:1-23.

- Jesus tells the parable of the Sower, who sowed seeds that fell on different types of soil.
- He explains that the seed represents the word of God, and the different soils represent different responses to the message.
- Jesus emphasizes the importance of having a receptive heart to receive and understand the word of God.

Theme: The Parable of the Sower and the importance of having a receptive heart to God's word.

Please begin your learning with the prayer in the 'Heart' section, then with the work in the 'Head' section, followed by applying your knowledge in the 'Hands' section.

HEART

Our Father- The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. Amen.



HEAD

- Watch a video on the Gospel of Mt 13:1-23: [Link 1](#)
- Coloring Page: [Link 1](#)

HANDS

Gospel Reflection:

1. What does the seed in the parable represent?
2. What are the different types of soil mentioned in the parable, and how do they represent people's responses to God's word?
3. What does it mean to have a receptive heart?
4. Why is it important to listen to and understand God's word?

NOTES

- New Children's Liturgy e-learning/ activities are added on a weekly basis.
- Pick and choose the activities that are best suited for your child. Do as much as you can and manage the tasks on your own schedule.
- Activity links are also online in case they do not work in the pdf.
- Send the youth minister a message, photo, video or a collage of your child's best work and we will post it on the parish website.
- Email: youngadult-youthmin@stpeterstoronto.ca

