

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2020 - 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time  
"Do Not Be Afraid!"



Gather Together...

Take time together as a family, find a quiet space, perhaps play some music, light a candle and sit comfortably.

Make the Sign of the Cross

Listen Together...

Listen to this week's scripture...

Jesus told the apostles, 'Do not be afraid to stand before people and speak, even though there will be lots of people who will not believe you. My Father knows when even one little sparrow falls from the sky and you mean more to him than all the birds in the world. He will watch over you and see how brave you are.'

Respond Together...

- Why did the apostles need great courage to go and share the gospel?
- How do you feel when you have to speak in front of a group of people? How do you think the disciples felt? Can you remember who came at Pentecost to give Jesus' friends strength and courage?
- How can we share the Gospel message today? Is it important to just tell people about Jesus or should we try to live in the way the Jesus taught us as well?

Pray Together...

Lord Jesus, please help me to share the news of the Gospel. Through the power of the Holy Spirit help me to be brave enough to share what I believe with other people. Help me to not be afraid and to always trust in you.  
Amen.

