

Jesus teaches us not to be greedy



In today's Gospel reading, a man tells Jesus that his brother is being unfair to him. But Jesus knows that the man is just being greedy, so He tells him the parable of the rich farmer. One year he had such a good harvest that he couldn't fit it all into his barns. He tore down his old barns and built new ones, so that he could store his food for many years. But just when he thought he would be able to rest and enjoy his food, God told him that he would die.

This parable is a warning against being greedy. Jesus is not saying that we should not save some food or that we shouldn't save our money. He is just telling us to remember that we are going to die one day, and then everything we saved is going to be useless for us. He wants us to use the things we have wisely, but not be too attached to them.



Think of something that is really special to you. How would you feel if you lost it or it was taken away? Do your feelings show that you care too much about things? Try to think of your belongings in such a way that if you lost them you wouldn't be too upset. After all, none of your stuff is going to matter to you when you die!

Answer to the Rich Farmer Word-Find: Blessed are the poor in spirit.

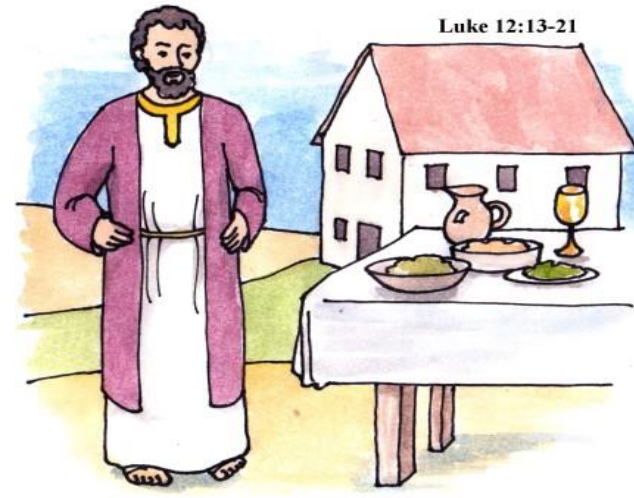
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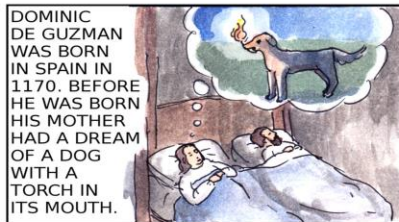
Use the code at the bottom to find out what the rich farmer in today's Gospel wasn't thinking about.



Luke 12:13-21

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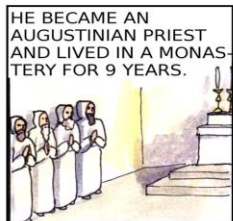
Saint Dominic August 8



DOMINIC DE GUZMAN WAS BORN IN SPAIN IN 1170. BEFORE HE WAS BORN HIS MOTHER HAD A DREAM OF A DOG WITH A TORCH IN ITS MOUTH.



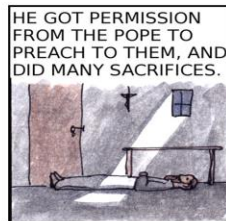
DOMINIC LOVED STUDYING ABOUT GOD, BUT ONE TIME HE SOLD HIS RARE BOOKS TO HELP THE POOR!
How can you sell these?
The people are starving.



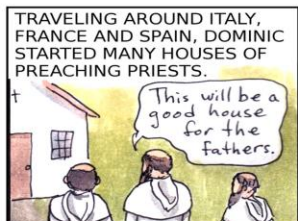
HE BECAME AN AUGUSTINIAN PRIEST AND LIVED IN A MONASTERY FOR 9 YEARS.



God would not become a man! Physical things are evil!
WHEN HE WAS TRAVELING HE MET MANY HERETICS WHO SAID JESUS WASN'T GOD.



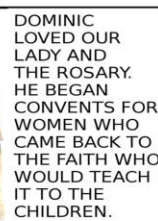
HE GOT PERMISSION FROM THE POPE TO PREACH TO THEM, AND DID MANY SACRIFICES.



TRAVELING AROUND ITALY, FRANCE AND SPAIN, DOMINIC STARTED MANY HOUSES OF PREACHING PRIESTS.
This will be a good house for the fathers.



Father Dominic, we want to follow what you are doing.



DOMINIC LOVED OUR LADY AND THE ROSARY. HE BEGAN CONVENTS FOR WOMEN WHO CAME BACK TO THE FAITH WHO WOULD TEACH IT TO THE CHILDREN.

DOMINIC WORKED HARD AND SACRIFICED MUCH TO BRING THE HERETICS BACK TO THE TRUTH. HE ATE ONLY BREAD AND SOUP, SLEPT ON THE FLOOR AND WENT EVERYWHERE ON FOOT. THE DREAM THAT HIS MOTHER HAD REPRESENTED THE LIGHT OF TRUTH THAT DOMINIC WOULD BRING TO THE WORLD.

The Rich Farmer Word-Find

"Take care to guard against all greed, for though one may be rich, one's life does NOT consist of POSSESSIONS." There was a rich man whose LANDS PRODUCED a BOUNTIFUL HARVEST. He asked himself, 'What shall I do, for I do not have SPACE to store my harvest?' And he said, 'This is what I shall do: I shall TEAR down my BARNs and build LARGER ones. There I shall store all my GRAIN and other GOODS and I shall SAY to MYSELF, "Now as for you, you have so MANY good things STORED up for many years, REST, EAT, DRINK, be MERRY!" But GOD said to him, "You FOOL, this NIGHT your LIFE will be DEMANDED of you; and the THINGS you have PREPARED, to whom will they belong?"

Thus will it be for all who store up treasure for themselves but are not RICH in what matters to God.

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Find the words from today's Gospel that are written in CAPITALS. Use the left over letters to fill in the blanks at the end.



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Sunday Mass
Messes du Dimanche
Breynat – Sunday 9 am
Plamondon - Sunday 11 am

Daily Mass
Messes du Chaque Jour
Plamondon – Tues to Fri 9am
Rosary begins 8:40 am

Adoration & mass
Plamondon – Every first
Friday of the month at 7pm



Aug 3, 2025 &

Aug 10, 2025

**Eighteenth &
Nineteenth Sunday in
Ordinary Time**



**NUMBERING OUR DAYS ARIGHT;
GAINING WISDOM OF HEART!**

**Believing Fully;
Living Rightly!**

On this First Sunday of August, God's Word invites us to reflect on the emptiness and meaninglessness of a life caught up in the web of selfishness, materialism, and hedonism. Unfortunately, so many fall into such a trap that Qoheleth calls "vanity of vanities." What matters most in this life is not to work for what the world considers the "ultimate" and become rich in money and properties, but "to become rich in God's sight." We can do that by living a virtuous life under the guidance of His Law and the help of His grace. It means knowing what to value and how, as reflected in the prayer we all ought to be familiar with: "Teach us Lord, to number our days aright, and so gain wisdom of heart." Let us take this opportunity to show our gratitude to our parish priest and his assistants for being instruments of God's care for us. Let us pray that they may be inspired by their patron saint, John Marie

Today's liturgy would have us all focus on faith. The biblical readings tell us the great difference which faith made in the life of the great champions of the Jewish people, as well as the great difference it should make in our lives. Faith is the great gift from the Lord that we should not only proclaim with our lips, but also profess with our actions. Such is the faith that works through charity, the faith that saves and brings light and strength to our days. But living the faith does not just simply rhyme with believing. The two ought to stand side by side, every step of the way in our journey through life. This year, as "pilgrims of hope," we are called to enliven our faith, even as we are invited to strengthen our hope, given the undeniable reality of our very own failures to live in accordance with what we believe.



Announcement Corner

There will be no Daily Mass week of Aug 11-16. Father will be away at a Seminar.

Prayer for Priests
Gracious God, we thank you for the gift of our priests. Help them to be strong in their vocation and to be instruments of your divine grace. We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.
Prayer Chain
We recommend to your prayers the healing & recovery of: Laurette Casavant, Jeannette Hebert, Randy Biollo, newborn baby Cal Doidge, Chantal Gauthier-Vaillancourt, Harold Hrynyk, Mary Jones, Lawson Mickiewicz, Sandra Ball and Muriel Richard McKay.

ST.THERESA CEMETERY HAS A NEW CROSS!
A HUGE THANK YOU TO ROMEO CLOUTIER WHO SUPPLIED THE STEEL MATERIALS FOR THE CROSS, AURELE GERMAIN WHO BUILT THE CROSS AND REAL GERMAIN WHO PAINTED THE CROSS. VOLUNTEER TIME, PATIENCE AND LOVE WENT INTO THIS PROJECT.
GOOD JOB TO ALL!



Let us also pray for the needed peace of the world that it may be free from conflict. May God Bring unity to troubled nations and may His glorious peace reign in every heart.

Weeks of August 3 – August 10 – Semaine du 3 Août a 10 Août		
Sun/Dim Aug 3	9:00 am	[Breynat]
	11:00 am	[Plamondon] +Albert Lord and +Lindsay Loggie as offered by Linda Lord
Tues/Mar. Aug 5	9:00 am	+Oliver Giammarioli as offered by Caroline Giammarioli and Family Prayers for Muriel Richard McKay and her health as offered by The Richard Family
Wed/Mer. Aug 6	9:00 am	+John Dennis and +Joselita Escultura as offered by Anita and Cletus Gauthier +Justine Fortier as offered by Wilfred and Fern Plamondon
Thu/Jeudi Aug 7	9:00 am	+Joselita Escultura as offered by the Beland Family Success with the Signs of Grace Sacramental teaching program as offered by Anita and Cletus Gauthier
Fri/Vend. Aug 8	9:00 am	Peace in the World as offered by Anita and Cletus Gauthier +Dennis Escultura as offered by the Beland Family
Sun/Dim Aug 10	9:00 am	[Breynat]
	11:00 am	[Plamondon] +Keith Young as offered by Linda Lord +Joselita Escultura as offered by Richard, Jessica Lemay & family

Parish Volunteers

Date	Lector	Extra Ordinary Minister	Welcoming	Collection
Aug 3, Sun 11am English	Guy Lambert Deb Menard	Luisa Piontek	Sophie Plamondon Martha Ryan	Lori & Cletus Girard
Aug 10, Sun 11am French	Rena Braund Franco Giammarioli	Anita Gauthier	Annette and Leonard Lemay	Toni and Denis Lord
Aug 17, Sun 11am English	Luisa Piontek Claire Richard	Franco Giammarioli	Anna and Leonard Plamondon	Michael Piontek Alex Richard
Aug 24, Sun 11am French	Sara Doody Etienne Valancourt	Sylvia Cote	Marlene Ulliac Anita Gauthier	Lucien Cote Leon Ulliac
Aug 31, Sun 11am English	Antonio Giammarioli Paulette Pressling	Bonita Marchand	Greg and Melanie Braund and Family	Hal Pressling Conrad Girard
Collections				

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July 27, 2025	\$ 250.00	\$ 676.00

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