

Getting Ready for Sunday!



Sunday, 27 August 2023

Twenty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

This is another passage about faith in God.

Peter and the other disciples are asked who they think Jesus is.

We must answer that same question for ourselves regularly as we grow in friendship with Jesus.

Matthew 16:13-20



Peter's Declaration about Jesus

When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi He put this question to His disciples:

Who do people say the Son of Man is?

Some say he is John the Baptist, some Elijah, and others Jeremiah or one of the prophets



But you, who do you say I am?

Then Simon Peter spoke up:

You are the Christ,' the Son of the living God.



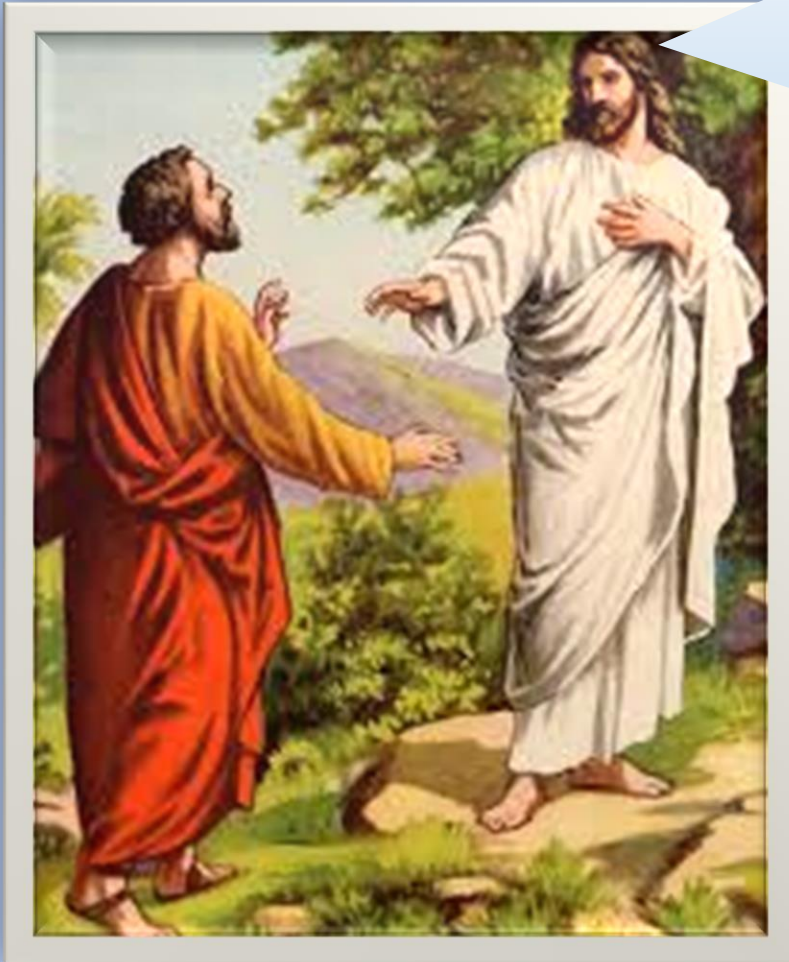


Simon son of Jonah, you are a happy man!

Because it was not flesh and blood that revealed this to you but my Father in heaven.

So I now say to you:

You are Peter and on this rock I will build my Church.
And the gates of the underworld can never hold out against it.



I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven:

whatever you bind on earth shall be considered bound in heaven;

whatever you loose on earth shall be considered loosed in heaven

Who do you say that Jesus is?

"Who do
You
say I am?"



Bible Search

Read Matthew 16:13-20 in your family Bible-this is the Gospel reading at Mass this Sunday.



Consider



What do you say Jesus is today?

Praying to Jesus



Pray for the grace to know God?

Ask God to help you to consider
who Jesus is for you today.

