

# Living Out Loud

every night...every home

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## REMEMBER this week

We are caught up in the net of God's grace and mercy. Through Christ's death and resurrection, God has chosen in Christ to be part of his eternal joy and a life that never ends. Christ proclaims us beautiful and loved by the Father. So until the net is finally hauled ashore, our task is to live in that grace and let that grace in us love indiscriminately for grace alone can transform hearts and lives.

## table GRACE

God we thank you for this food  
For rest and home,  
and all things good.  
For wind and rain and sun above.  
But most of all for those we love.  
Amen.

## VERSE of the week

**"Once again, the kingdom of heaven is like a net that was let down into the lake and caught all kinds of fish.**

Matthew 13:47

## THOUGHT for the week

FOR IF THE CHURCH IS TO ACT AS IF IT DARE NOT HAVE ANY DEALINGS WITH SINNERS IS AS MUCH BETRAYAL OF ITS MISSION AS IT WOULD BE FOR A HOSPITAL TO TURN AWAY SICK PEOPLE OR FOR A CARPENTER TO REFUSE TO TOUCH ROUGH CUT WOOD.

– Robert Capon



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## 1 lets SHARE

1. Share your highs and lows.
2. When you eat sweets, do you eat your favourite colour first or last? Why?
3. What is the most beautiful thing you have seen?
4. What do other's say is beautiful about you?
5. How dis that a reflection of God's grace at work in your life?
6. How can you be more welcoming, inclusive of everyone who comes to Church? Everyone you meet? What specific things can you concentrate on this week?

## 2 lets READ

Sunday	Matthew 13:47
Monday	Ephesians 2:8
Tuesday	John 5:22-24
Wednesday	Romans 15:7
Thursday	John 12:47-48
Friday	Luke 6:37
Saturday	Ecclesiastes 3:11

## 3 lets TALK

- A – What is this text ABOUT?
- B – What is the BEST thing about this text?
- C – What is the most CONFUSING or CHALLENGING part of this text?
- D – What does God want you to DO?

## 5 lets BLESS

Bless each other with the sign of the cross as you say the following:

*Name*, Jesus makes you beautiful. Amen.

## 4 lets PRAY

**PRAISE GOD** for his inclusive, indiscriminate love for all people.

**THANK JESUS** for fulfilling the Father's plan and making us beautiful .

**ASK THE HOLY SPIRIT** to love people without distinction that they may encounter God's unconditional grace.