



31 January 2021

FOURTH SUNDAY
AFTER EPIPHANY

Jesus is our great teacher

verse for the week

They were
amazed at his
teaching, for he
taught them with
real authority,
quite unlike the
teachers of
religious law.

MARK 1:22

Caring Conversations

share your highs
and lows of the
day, or respond
to the following
questions:

1

Talk about a
teacher you
liked and
respected.
What did you
learn from him
or her?

2

Read
Mark 1:21-28.
Why do you
think people
were amazed
at Jesus'
teaching?

3

What do you find
amazing about
Jesus? What do
you wish to learn
from Jesus?

Devotions

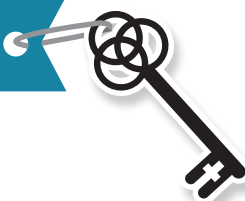


Daily Bible Readings

S	Mark 1:21-28	Jesus casts out an evil spirit
M	Deuteronomy 18:15-20	Treat everyone with justice
T	1 Corinthians 8:1-13	Love builds up others
W	Matthew 7:24-29	Jesus teaches with authority
T	John 14:23-31	Obedying Jesus' teaching
F	Joshua 1:6-9	The Lord speaks to Joshua
S	Psalms 111	Praise for God's wonderful works
S	Mark 1:29-39	Jesus heals many people

Discuss the bible reading. What word or phrase
was important to you as you read these verses?

Rituals and Traditions



PRAYER

Amazing Lord
Jesus, teach us
to know you, love
you and serve
you. Amen.

BLESSING

May God teach
you his ways.
May you learn
of his love and
grace and live in
it always.

Creative Response

Take time this week to remember students.
Use this prayer to pray for those in your household.

Heavenly Father, be with _____ in his/her studies.

Keep _____ safe from anything that would harm
him/her in body, mind or spirit.

Help _____ to gain enjoyment from learning and
to learn well.

Help _____ to be happy at school and to have
good friendships.

Help _____ to show your love to others at school
and to do what is right.

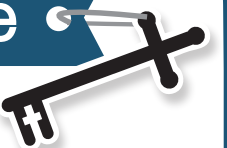
And help _____ to remember that you are with
him/her every day, whatever happens; through Jesus Christ
our Lord. Amen.



mealttime prayer

Lord, without we'd go unfed. Thank you for our
daily bread. Amen.

Service



Make it a focus of
your home prayer time
this week to pray for
teachers and leaders in
schools and churches.

Think of a teacher
you are thankful for.
Write them a letter or
send them a card of
encouragement.

