

# St Mark's Parish

Sunday 11 September 2022

Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

God forgives me



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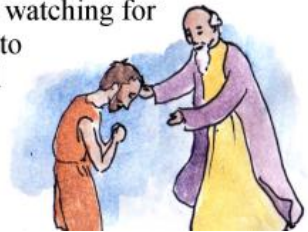
## God Wants Everyone to Come Back to Him



In today's Gospel we hear three parables. In the first Jesus tells about the shepherd who lost one of his hundred sheep. But even though he had so many, he still cared about the one that was lost and went out to find it. God is like that too: even though He has so many people to look after He still cares about you in particular.

The next parable is similar, with the woman searching all over her house when she loses one of her special coins. She rejoices when she finds it, just like the angels rejoice in Heaven when a sinner turns back to God.

The last parable that Jesus tells is the story of the prodigal son. We are like the son in that story when we run away from God by sinning. But like the father, God is waiting and watching for us to be sorry and come back to Him. All we have to do is tell Him we are sorry for our sins in Confession and He will be so happy to have us back!



# Children's Liturgy



**Luke 15:1-32**

*Jesus told us that God is like a shepherd  
that cares for every one of His sheep.  
There are some sheep lost in this picture.  
Can you find them?  
Then you can colour in the rest of the picture.*

# Fill in the Blanks: The Lost Coin

*Here is part of today's Gospel reading. See if you can fill in the blanks and use the marked letters to fill in the blanks at the end.*

"Or what woman, having ten silver coins,  
if she  \_ \_ \_ \_ one coin, does not light a lamp  
and sweep the house and seek diligently  
until she finds it?

And when she has  \_ \_ \_ it, she calls  
together her friends and neighbors, saying,  
'Rejoice with me, for I  \_ \_ \_ found the coin  
which I had lost.'

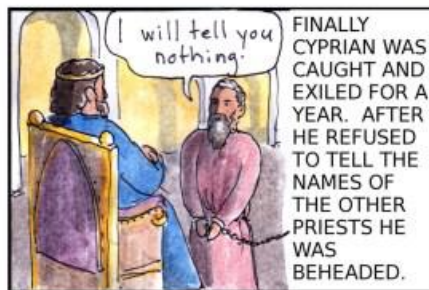
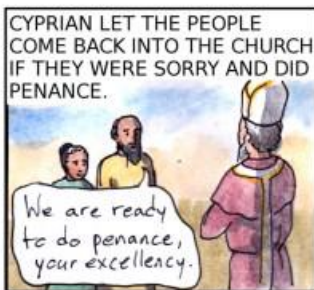
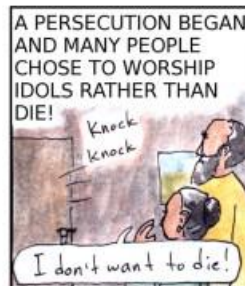
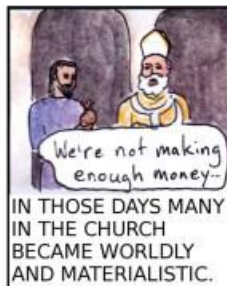
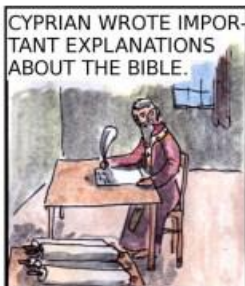
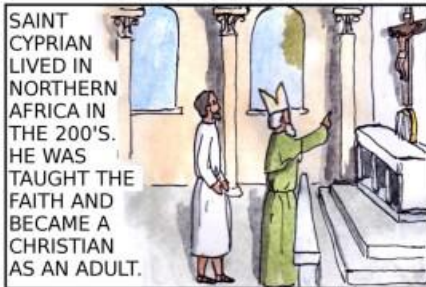
Just so, I  \_ \_ \_ you, there is joy before  
the angels of God over one  \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ who  
repents."

*This parable helps to show us how much  
God                          each of us.*



# Saint Cyprian

## September 16



SAINT CYPRIAN TAUGHT MANY PEOPLE WITH HIS LETTERS AND EXPLANATIONS ABOUT THE BIBLE. THE BIBLE IS THE INSPIRED WORD OF GOD, SO WE CAN LEARN A LOT ABOUT HIM BY READING IT. TRY TO READ SOME OF THE BIBLE EVERY DAY. PRAY TO ST. CYPRIAN TO UNDERSTAND WHAT GOD IS TEACHING US IN IT.



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