## Mark 12:38-44: The Widow's Gospel

Some thoughts on today's scripture

Of the Ten Commandments, Jesus speaks of two that are the most important, love of God and love of neighbour. If we can manage to keep these two, then automatically we will keep the other eight! If we love God, then we will see Him in others and treat them justly and honourably and in so doing we will not hurt our neighbour but do our best to live in peace with them.

Jesus, help us to be alert to our selfishness and our judgemental attitudes towards others. We are far from loving our neighbour as ourselves and yet that is what you ask us to do. We cannot love you and act with thoughtlessness to our neighbour, so teach us Lord your ways.

Excerpt from: https://www.sacredspace.ie/node/187265#.
Today's Question: Pray today's prayer. Share your thoughts.

This Week: Pray for world leaders.

#### Prayer.

For God's wisdom and guidance for the Council in their preparation for next year. For the BLC Pastors, the community, and families.

For healing for all those who are facing health challenges; for grace, strength and providence for their families and caregivers.

For the visit to our OA brethren in Camerons, as well as for their needs and future.

#### Adapted from the 24-7 Malaysia:

For elected leaders to carry out their entrusted responsibilities with truth, justice, wisdom and humility. Pray for the AG, Tommy Thomas, and his team as they advise the government on legal ongoing matters pertaining to the nation.

For God's protection, wisdom, continual guidance and authority for the current government to set things in right order; to provide a foundational framework of governance that facilitates and rewards truth, righteousness, justice, wisdom, mercy, humility. Also for protection of our borders.

For the world: For those caught up in tragedy and disaster.



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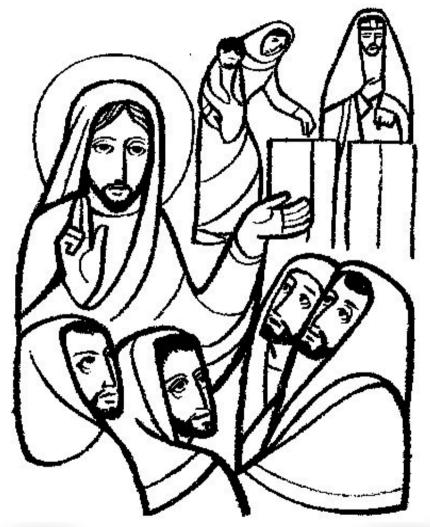
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# Liberating Truth: Realigning Our Stories with God's Stories





Welcome to the Father's House
11 November 2018, Pentecost 25 Sunday



Worship Gathering @ 10.00 am

Do join us on Sundays for prayer @ 9.30 am, before Worship Service @ Refreshment Area.

Children, Teens and Youth resume meetings.

Schedule for This Sunday, 11-11-2018

Pentecost 25 Sunday

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Herman Shastrri Theme: The Widow's Gospel

Worship: Adeline/Mei Li Asst Lead: Charis

Musicians: Keith, Joshua, Sheldon

Scripture Readers: Tammy

Sound:Don/Jorjee & Jacy LCD: Gim Han Altar (Green): Elaine Kong-Aman

Refreshments: Tammy & Jael Treasurer: Kock Sheng, May Jean Greeters: Suzanne. Po Ling

Worship Lead 11 Nov & Lock up: Adeline

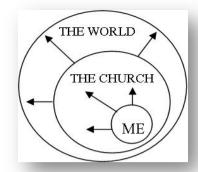
Readings for This Sunday, Nov 11:

Gospel: Mark 12:38-44 **Text Next Sunday, Nov 18:** 

OT: Isaiah 36:1-3, 13-20; 37:1-7; then

Isaiah 2:1-4 Gospel: Matt 5:14 The BLC Missions Collections are supporting the following:

- > Batu 20, OA Congregation
- > United Voice Moh Foong
- > Bible Translation Researchers
- > Alongsiders (http://alongsiders.org)



Worship

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Community

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Community - Inward

Pastoral Oversight: Rev. Dr. Sivin Kit

- > Aardvark: Johnben
- BLC Garden Dav: TBA
- New groups.

Pastoral Oversight: Rev. Dr. Siew Woh

- > Women Encouraging Women (WEW): PIC Sheh-Ren
- Sunday Bible Reading Group: PIC Ling Ling
- > Thursday Bible Study

### Pastoral Oversight: Pr. Takeshi

- ➤ Giving Tree: PIC Larry Lee
- > Youth (13 years and above) PIC Ezekiel
- Youth (12 and below)

**Children Ministry: Carmen Loke** 

To invite people into the Reign of God, encourage them to grow in the Body of Christ, equip them to be sent into the World in the power of the Spirit. "As the Father has sent me I am sending you" John 20:21

**Outward - Mission** 

Forward - Learning

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Dear Friends, we will like to invite you (if you are not already involved) to serve with us for BLC's corporate worship. If interested, please speak with the the following in the various areas:

Ee Lyn/Jason - for Musicians & Singers, Sound System & LCD; Ee Lyn/Joyce Rama - for Greeters, Altar Deco, Scripture Readers, Holy Communion Prep;

Joyce/Michelle - for providing refreshments.

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Calendar 2018

Attendance 4/11/2018

Adults 71 Children 21

92 Total 4/11/2018 Collection

Mission 415 3861 Giving Tithe 650

17 Nov, Sat: BLC Garden Day

25 Dec, Tuesday: Christmas Day Service @ 10.00 am

Others Total 4926

**Treasurer Kock Sheng** +016 660 4868 November

December