

Lectio Divina

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| ➤ Read and re-read , out loud and slowly the Gospel | ➤ Pray - Thanksgiving – Repentance – Petition |
| ➤ Meditate on reading as being spoken to you, an experience in your life | ➤ Action – Attitude (Call to change / to act / to do) |
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November 18th 2012 33rd Sunday Ordinary Time – Year B – Mark 13:24-32

In this week's gospel we see the final teaching of Jesus' public ministry in which he is speaking to his disciples. He tells them of the deep lessons they could learn from the evil they see going on around them. He tells them that no matter what is taken from them His words will not be taken away. Are there times in our lives when things we thought important in our world disappeared but we still survived with the help of Jesus and our angels?

Prayer :

Thank you Lord for the times in our lives when we were in great distress and you did not abandon us but gave us a great grace and understood for the first time the meaning of faith.

Forgive us for the times we were driven by our egos and we put people into categories: rich and poor, saints and sinner, instead of gathering together all God's people as the angels did.

Help us to trust totally in your love believing with confidence that even though our world may be falling apart your words will never pass away because that is what you promised.

