Good morning everyone!

Let us start our worship this morning by each one of us making the sign of the cross.





The Sign of the cross

In the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit. Amen

The Lord be with you

And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right and just.

Welcome

Today we hear about how Jesus was a great teacher.

Let's think about how important it is for everyone to get a chance to go to school and learn.

Opening prayer



Dear Jesus Christ,

Teach us how to be kind and generous, sharing what we have with our friends, family and people all over the world.

May we always listen to your word.

Amen.

Mark 1:21-28



Jesus and his disciples came to the town of Capernaum, and Jesus went to the synagogue and began to teach. The people who heard him were amazed at the way he taught, for he wasn't like the teachers of the Law; instead, he taught with authority.

Gospel reflection

What do you remember from today's reading?

Jesus starts to teach in the temple, where the Jewish people went to pray.

The people are surprised and impressed with the way he teaches.



Gospel reflection

Why did they see Jesus as special?

Jesus teaches the people through the stories he tells. But he also teaches them - and us - through the things he does.

He lives out what he is teaching.



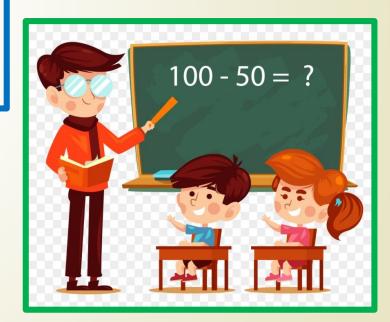
Teachers are very important

They help us to learn about all sorts of things.

What do they help you to learn?

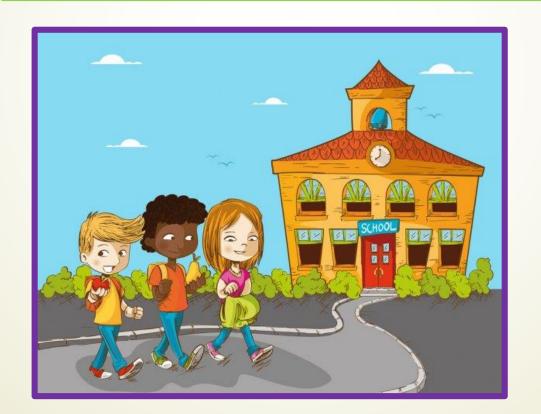
Who else helps you to learn? Family or friends perhaps?





Many of us are not able to go to school at the moment because of coronavirus.

How does that make you feel?



What I want to see you do this week



Let's try this week to do our best to learn.

To listen to our teachers, our parents, and all those who try to teach us the way.

And let us try to listen to Jesus and to what he is teaching us.



Let us Prayer



Dear God of hope,

through your Son Jesus you teach us to love and care for all our brothers and sisters wherever they are in the world.

Help us to work together with others to make sure that all children have a chance to go to school and dream of a brighter future.

Amen.



THIS WEEK, I WANT YOU ALL TO TRY YOUR VERY BEST AND DON'T GIVE UP!

