



Father God,  
Come be with us today  
Fill our heart with Joy.  
Fill our minds with learning  
Fill our classroom with peace.  
Fill our lessons with fun.  
Fill our friendships with kindness  
Fill our school with Love.  
Amen

Today we are going to  
think about ways in which we can  
all be good neighbours.



LOVE YOUR  
NEIGHBOR

Jesus said that we should love our neighbours as ourselves.

What does this mean?

**Are they just the people  
who live next door to us?**

Or are our neighbours

those people we meet every day?

He wants us to love everybody,  
whether they are rich or poor,  
young or old, happy or sad.



# Jesus told a story about a man who was a good neighbour.

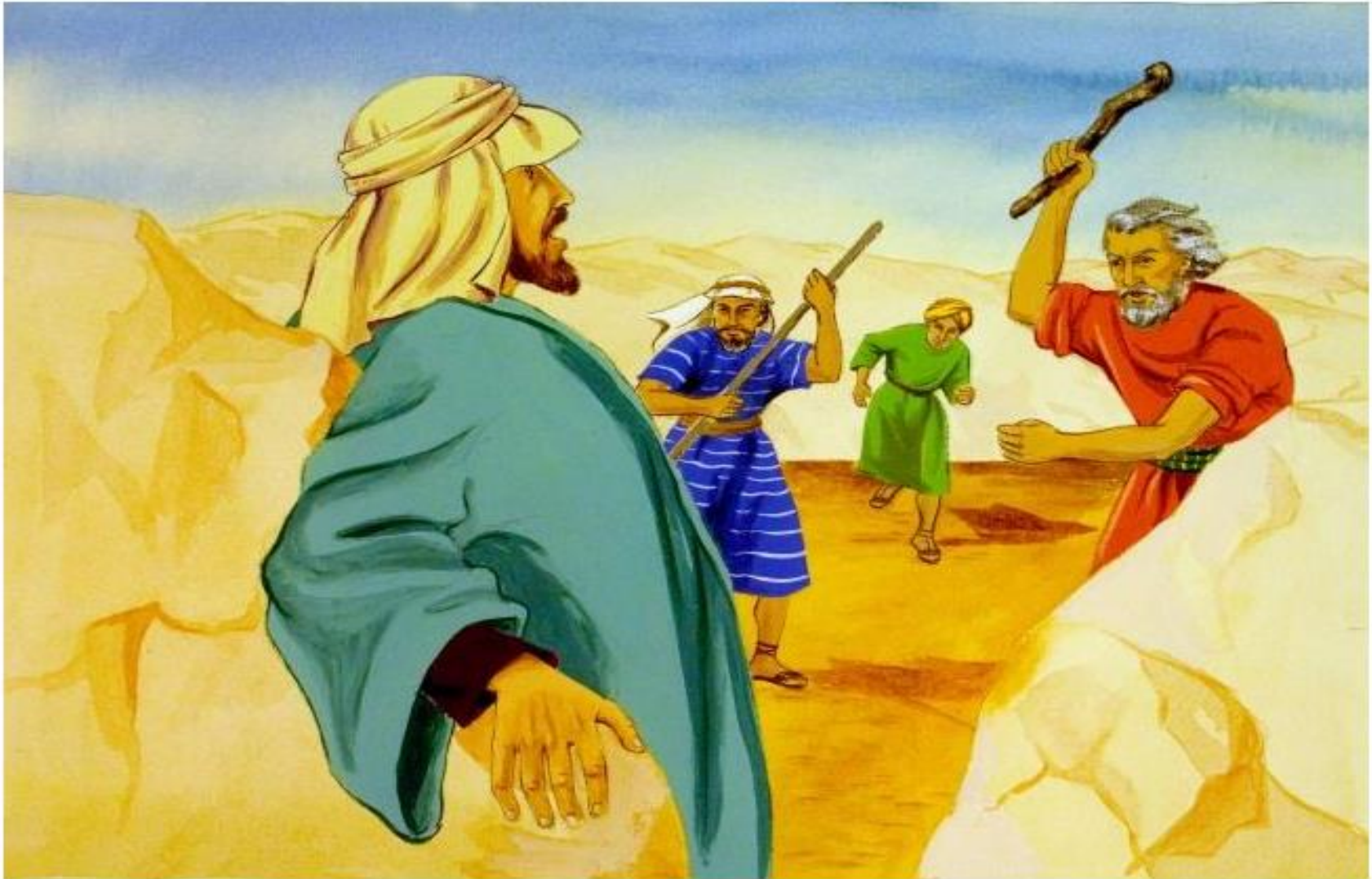
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Jesus told a story about a certain man who went down from Jerusalem to Jericho.



On the way, some robbers attacked  
him



He fell among thieves, who stripped him of his clothing, and wounded him.

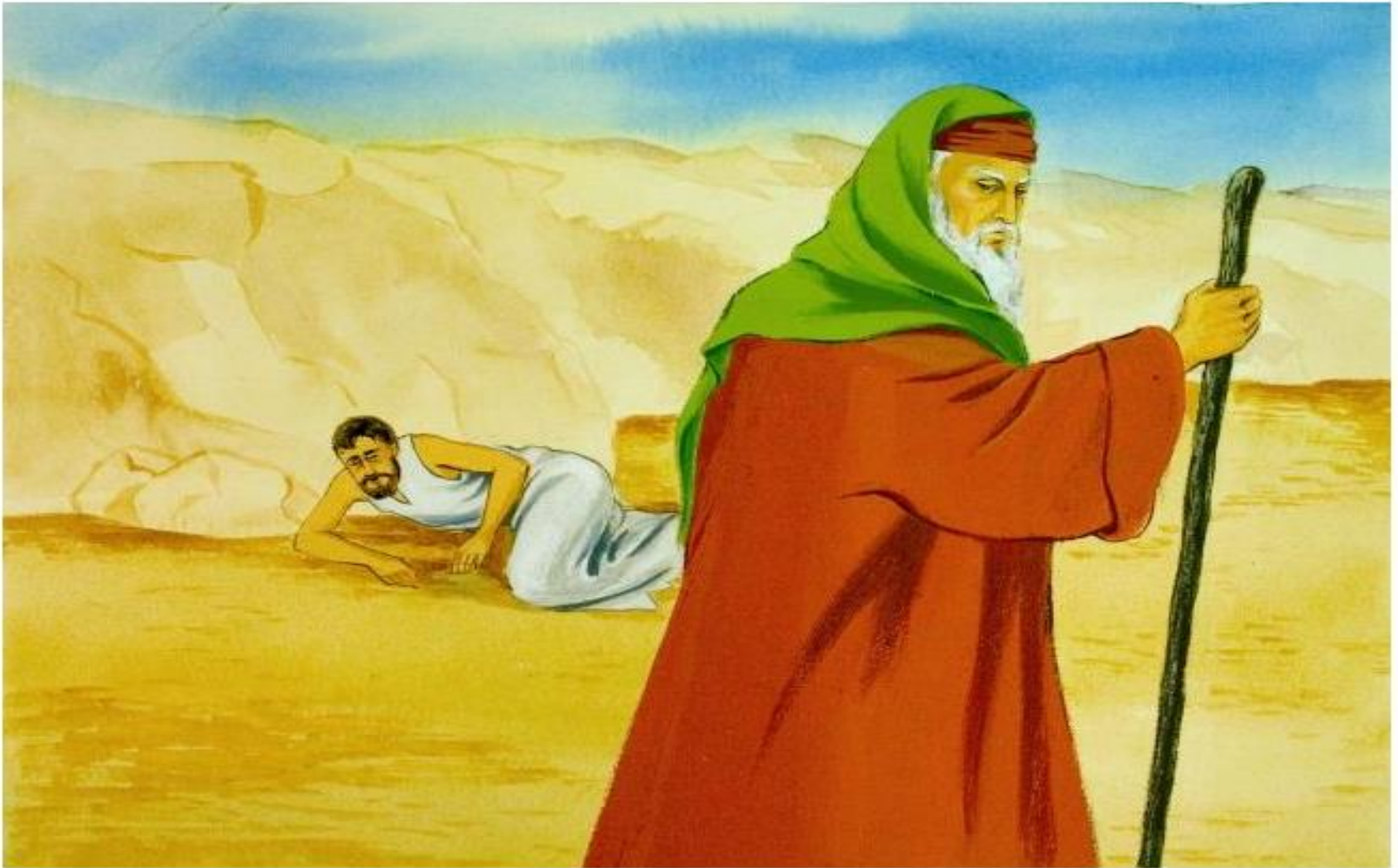
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They departed and left him for dead.

A short time later, a priest came along the same road.



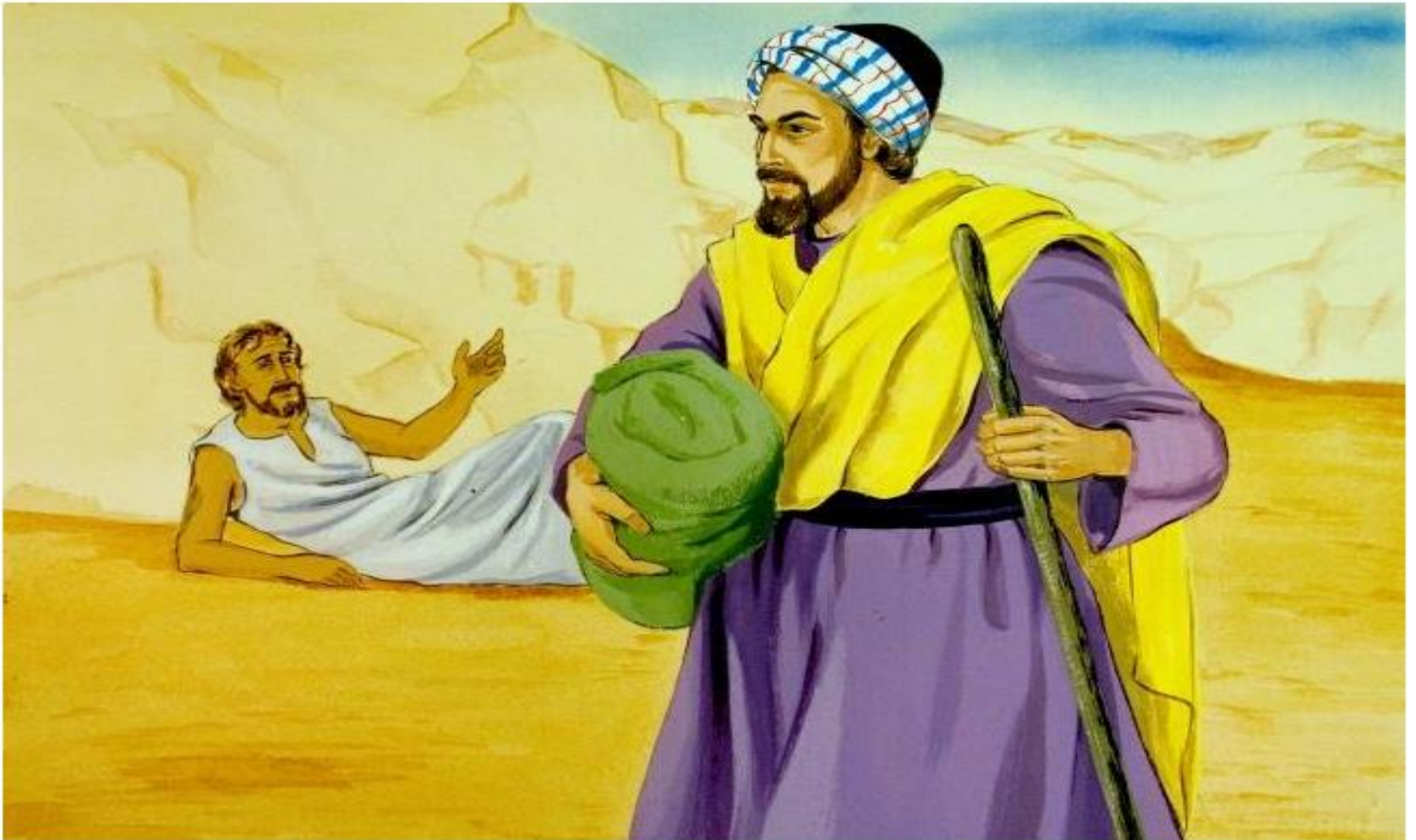
A certain priest saw him and passed by on the other side.

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Then a Levite came along. He did exactly as the priest had just done.

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A Levite, when he arrived at the place, came and looked, and passed by on the other side.

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Finally, a Samaritan came along. People from Samaria and the Jews usually did not like each other.





He took pity on the injured man. He bound his wounds and brought him to an inn.

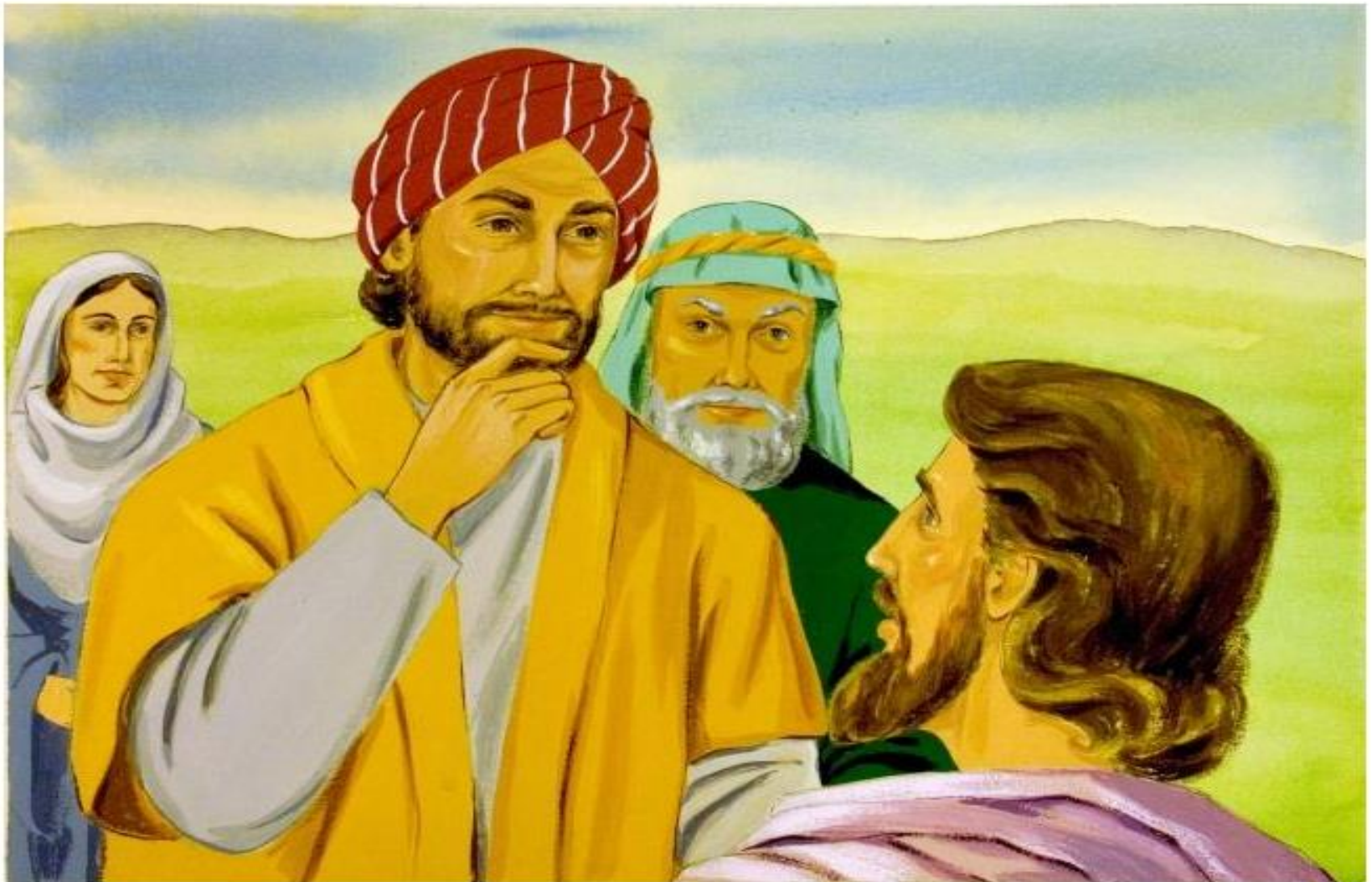


He took him to an inn and paid for his care.

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So which of these three was a neighbour to the man?



"So which of these three do you think was neighbor to him who fell among the thieves?"

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This is what being a good neighbour means - helping those who need our help and being kind to everybody, no matter who they are.



A certain Samaritan had compassion on him. He bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine.

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Jesus himself helped many people. For example at the Last Supper, he washed the Apostles' feet . Then he said,

I have given you an example. If I, your Lord and Master, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet.





This means we should try to help others.



# Reflection Time



We should always learn to look after our neighbour.

Let us Pray.

Hail Mary, full of Grace the Lord is with thee.

Blessed amongst women and blessed of thou womb Jesus.

Holy Mary Mother of God , Pray for us sinner and now and  
at the hour of our death,

Amen