Sunday Gospel Reflection

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

1. **Sign of the Cross**

2. **Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46**

"just as you did it to one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did it to me."



The Judgment of the Nations

31 "When the Son of Man comes in his glory,
and all the angels with him, then he will sit
on the throne of his glory. 32 All the nations
will be gathered before him, and he will sep-
arate people one from another as a shepherd
separates the sheep from the goats, 33 and he
will put the sheep at his right hand and the
goats at the left. 34 Then the king will say to
those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are
blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom
prepared for you from the foundation of the
world; 35 for I was hungry and you gave me
food, I was thirsty and you gave me some-
thing to drink, I was a stranger and you wel-
comed me, 36 I was naked and you gave me
clothing, I was sick and you took care of me,
I was in prison and you visited me.' 37 Then
the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when
was it that we saw you hungry and gave you
food, or thirsty and gave you something to
drink? 38 And when was it that we saw you a
stranger and welcomed you, or naked and
gave you clothing? 39 And when was it that
we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' 40 And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you,
just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.'
41 Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eter-
nal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; 42 for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was
thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, 43 I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked
and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' 44 Then they also
will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick
or in prison, and did not take care of you?' 45 Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as
you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' 46 And these will go away
into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

3. Reflection: (reflect on your own or share together if with others)

1. Have you ever felt that you failed to recognize Jesus in someone in need?
2. Think of an example of someone you served, how does it feel that you were serving Jesus?
3. Think of someone in need in your life now and how can you serve them?

4. Share petitions that you would like to pray for: Finish with the Special Petition.

Special Petition: For all who care for the poor and needy.

5. Lord's Prayer

6. Sign of the Cross.