



# Day 11 - Pentecost Thy Kingdom Come



Jesus teaches extensively about the **Kingdom of God**. We are challenged to accept that the Kingdom of God has rules and values that may not sit comfortably with our lives in the “First World in the Twenty First Century”.

**All these Parable Stories are worthy of our study** - particularly as we continue to live in the face of the Covid-19 pandemic – but the Parable of the Great Feast ([Luke 14:1-24](#)) is especially powerful.

The reality of praying “Thy Kingdom come” is that **we are praying for real change** – at all levels of society in all parts of the world. **Praying to give food to the hungry, medicine to ill and a voice to the powerless!**

The first Pentecost **transformed the disciples** – they could not return to their old lives because they were answering God’s call to proclaim the Gospel in word and deed.

If you speak languages other than English, you might want to say the Lord’s Prayer in one/more other languages – and think about the peoples of the world who speak in those languages. Even if you say it in English only **you will discover that you are uniting with people across the globe** – people who live vastly different lives join us in praying for God’s Kingdom to come.

If you want to get creative, you could make prayer bunting – to celebrate Pentecost. You could include images of flames and doves; and add your prayers for change.



If you want to take action you could consider supporting your local foodbank or sending a donation to [All We Can](#) or [Christian Aid](#).

***Fill me with your Spirit, Lord. Make me brave. Let me show the power of your love. Amen.***