

Thoughts with Jesus

*Brothers, sisters, let me serve you, let me be as Christ to you.
Pray that I may have the grace to let you be my servant too.*

In Sunday's Gospel, Jesus firmly tells us to look after and care for one another. He explains that we shouldn't be bossy, or show-off, but rather serve other people. We may be guilty of sometimes wanting to be 'better' than our friends, but Jesus clearly states that this is a big mistake. Indeed, even though He is our Lord, Jesus came to be a servant to everyone; He even humbled Himself by suffering and dying upon the cross. When we think that Jesus, the Christ who reigns in Heaven, made Himself so meek and mild that He washed the disciples' feet, it is almost unbelievable; and yet it's absolutely true! The Lord made us all different, each one of us with our own special gifts and talents, yet He loves us exactly the same. We therefore need to love, value and respect everybody, and do our very best to be patient and understanding folk. So, let us ask Jesus to help us always see the good in everyone and be especially kind today. Then let's thank the Lord for loving us and being our very own Servant King forever.

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