#### **Questions for reflection**

How often do you hear a good story?

Why do you think Jesus told stories (parables)?

Why are stories powerful?



## Live your faith:

Look for an opportunity to tell your Christian story this week

### A prayer of approach

Lord, it is so good to read your Word, and hear the parables you told.
But, Lord, we can't leave it there.
We must take note of the explanation, and work it out in our own lives.
Help us, O Lord, to listen, to learn and to act. Amen.

#### A personal prayer

Lord God,

how can I possibly understand what you have to say to me, if I don't take time to listen.

Help me to carve out moments this week where, even in my busyness, I can find a quiet corner,

or even just a glance heavenward, to be with you.

Speak to me, Lord, and bless me; and make me a blessing to others.

Amen.



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#### Weekly Feature - Favourite Hymns - Request from Peggy Kite

I cannot tell why He, whom angels worship,
Should set His love upon the sons of men,
Or why, as Shepherd, He should seek the wanderers,
To bring them back, they know not how or when.
But this I know, that He was born of Mary,
When Bethlehem's manger was His only home,
And that He lived at Nazareth and laboured,
And so the Saviour, Saviour of the world, is come

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Keep Safe - God Bless

Kevin and Margaret inspecting the new Hand Rails.

They look good (almost as if they have always been there)

hope you agree and it will not be too long before you try them out. Thank you Josephine for photo.

