

THE STORYTELLER

HOLY WEEK RESOURCES

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- **The Parables of Jesus Christ.** First, we are providing a list of “all” the Parables of Jesus Christ (aside from “metaphors” which may or may not count depending on how technical you want to get), in case you would prefer to use any of these Parables in your Holy Week Journal. Remember, the Parables were told to describe the indescribable Character of God, Kingdom of Heaven, or Human Accountability in a way we would never forget and that had layered Earthly and Heavenly meanings.
- **“Parable Tokens.”** Next, you will see “Parable Tokens” you can print and cut out to use for your lent journal to help you stay connected to the events of Holy Week.
- **Holy Week Journal Pages.** Don’t have a Holy Week Journal? That’s ok – we have provided some pages for you along with some questions to think through on how to relate the parables to the events of Holy Week. NOTE: You do not have to use the Parable Tokens – you can use any of the parables or church readings you wish. The Parable Tokens are guides to help get you started.

We hope these resources help you have a blessed and meaningful Pascha!

THEME: THE STORYTELLER

*A LOOK AT JESUS’ USE OF
PARABLES AND THE MESSAGES
THESE STORIES LEFT WITH US*

KEY VERSE:

**“TO YOU IT HAS BEEN GIVEN TO
KNOW THE MYSTERY OF THE
KINGDOM OF GOD; BUT TO
THOSE WHO ARE OUTSIDE, ALL
THINGS COME IN PARABLES, SO
THAT ‘SEEING THEY MAY SEE AND
NOT PERCEIVE, AND HEARING
THEY MAY HEAR AND NOT
UNDERSTAND; LEST THEY
SHOULD TURN, AND THEIR SINS
BE FORGIVEN THEM.’”**

MARK 4:11-12.

THE PARABLES OF JESUS CHRIST



	Parable	Matthew	Mark	Luke
1	Lamp under a Basket	5:14-16	4:21,22	8:16,17; 11:33-36; 6:47-49
2	Build House on Rock / Sand	7:24-27		6:47-49
3	New Cloth on an Old Garment	9:16	2:21	5:36
4	New Wine / Old Wineskins	9:17	2:22	5:37-38
5	The Sower	13:3-23	4:2-20	8:4-15
6	The Tares	13:24-30		
7	The Mustard Seed	13:31-32	4:30-32	13:18-19
8	The Leaven	13:33		13:20-21
9	The Hidden Treasure	13:44		
10	The Pearl of Great Price	13:45-46		
11	The Dragnet	13:47-50		
12	The Lost Sheep	18:12-14		15:3-7
13	The Unforgiving Servant	18:23-35		
14	The Workers in the Vineyard	20:1-16		
15	The Two Sons	21:28-32		
16	The Wicked Vinedressers	21:33-45	12:1-12	20:9-19
17	The Wedding Feast	22:2-14		
18	The Fig Tree	24:32-44	13:28-32	21:29-33
19	The Wise and Foolish Virgins	25:1-13		
20	The Talents	25:14-30		
21	The Growing Seed		4:26-29	
22	The Absent Householder		13:33-37	
23	The Creditor and Two Debtors			7:41-43
24	The Good Samaritan			10:30-37
25	A Friend in Need			11:5-13
26	The Rich Fool			12:16-21
27	The Faithful Servant and the Evil Servant			12:35-40
28	Faithful and Wise Steward			12:42-48
29	The Barren Fig Tree			13:6-9
30	The Great Supper			14:16-24
31	Building a Tower and a King Making War			14:25-35
32	The Lost Sheep			15:4-7
33	The Lost Coin			15:8-10
34	The Prodigal Son			15:11-32
35	The Unjust Steward			16:1-13
36	The Rich Man & Lazarus			16:19-31
37	Unprofitable Servants			17:7-10
38	The Persistent Widow			18:1-8
39	The Pharisee & Tax Collector			18:9-14
40	The Minas (Pounds)			19:11-27

PARABLE TOKENS CUT OUTS

INSTRUCTIONS

Cut out the Tokens on Card Stock (Highly Recommended) and use with your Holy Week Journal (if you have one) OR, if you do not have one, use the tokens with the Holy Week Journal Worksheets on the proceeding pages



