



## THE WORD IS THE QUEEN OF THE WORLD (AUT. 449)

Be alert and watch, for you don't know when the time will come. When a man goes abroad and leaves his home, he puts his servants in charge, giving to each one some responsibility; and he orders the doorkeeper to stay awake. So stay awake, for you don't know when the Lord of the house will come, in the evening or at midnight, when the cock crows or before dawn. If he comes suddenly, do not let him catch you asleep. And what I say to you, I say to all: watch."

Mk 13,33-37

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Word of God is the primary  
of our spirituality  
(Sourcebook 37)

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A COMMENTARY TO THE SUNDAY  
GOSPEL FOR AND FROM  
LAY CLARETIANS



## REFLECTIONS TO FEED OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD



The story suggests that the followers of Jesus will form a family. The Church will be "the house of Jesus" that will replace "the house of Israel". In it all are servants. There are no gentlemen. All will live waiting for the only Lord of the house: Jesus the Christ. They will never forget it.

IT IS WORD OF GOD (AUT. 450)

## REFLECTIONS TO FEED OUR MISSION IN THE WORLD



In the house of Jesus, no one has to remain passive. No one should feel excluded, without any responsibility. All are necessary. Everyone has some mission entrusted by him. All are called to contribute to the great task of living as Jesus whom they have known always dedicated to serve the kingdom of God. His great concern for Jesus is that his Church falls asleep. For this reason, he insists up to three times: "Live awake." It is not a recommendation to the four disciples who are listening to him, but a mandate to the believers of all times: "What I say to you, I say to you all: watch ».

IT IS WORD OF LIFE (AUT. 450)

## PRAYER FROM THE GOSPEL

Lord Jesus, may your spirit keep us awake, and our commitment be to live awake announcing the Kingdom of God, to contribute in the task of living as Jesus.

