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Good morning everyone

Let us once again begin with some stillness and quietness.....

Blessed are you Lord our God.
You have given us the power of communication:
eyes to see, ears to hear and lips to speak.
Teach us to be attentive to your Word
and in all who come to us each day.
AMEN

Matthew 7:1-5

Judging Others

'Do not judge, so that you may not be judged. For with the judgement you make you will be judged, and the measure you give will be the measure you get. Why do you see the speck in your neighbour's eye, but do not notice the log in your own eye? Or how can you say to your neighbour, "Let me take the speck out of your eye", while the log is in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the log out of your own eye, and then you will see clearly to take the speck out of your neighbour's eye.

Reflection

Isn't it funny how we can always see the faults in others and yet we are quick to overlook our own faults? We all do it from time to time and some of us all of the time and it's not a good trait to have. I believe that we need to pray and ask Jesus to show us our failings and faults.....we need to be willing to accept those which we are shown. Once we admit our faults then through prayer Jesus can transform us into better, kinder and more accepting human beings. Once we have accepted those faults and allowed ourselves through prayer to change then we can help others with kindness and love. Just as Jesus teaches us.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come; thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory for ever and ever. Amen

O gracious and holy Father,
give us wisdom to perceive you,
diligence to seek you,
patience to wait for you,
eyes to behold you,
a heart to meditate upon you,
and a life to proclaim you,

through the power of the spirit
of Jesus Christ our Lord.

St Benedict

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord
In the name of Christ

AMEN

Blessings and love
Vicky