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Today, we celebrate the 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time. We read from Luke 20:27-38.

In Luke’s gospel reading for today, Jesus was speaking to the Sadducees, a group of religious leaders in Jesus’ time who only believed in certain parts of sacred scripture and did not believe in the resurrection.

In this reading, Jesus taught that the resurrection would indeed happen. He said to them,

_They can no longer die, for they are like angels; and they are the children of God because they are the ones who will rise._

_That the dead will rise even Moses made known in the passage about the bush, when he called out 'Lord,' the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob; and he is not God of the dead, but of the living, for to him all are alive._

In the Nicene Creed we say the words, “I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.” In him, we will rise again!

**For More Fun:**

- Read the Gospel passage in your family bible. Discuss as a family what it means to be “resurrected” and discuss Christ’s resurrection at Easter. As we continue the Year of Faith, pray the Creed (available at [http://goo.gl/8y2Qu](http://goo.gl/8y2Qu)) as a family this week.

- This week, we celebrate the lives of St. Francis Xavier Cabrini (11/13) and St. Margaret of Scotland (11/16). Learn more about the lives of the saints at Saints.SQPN.com.

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_“Lord, when your glory appears, my joy will be full.”_