

Thursday of the Twenty-eighth Week in Ordinary Time

Gospel text (Lk 11,47-54): Jesus said to the Pharisees, «A curse is on you, for you build memorials to the prophets your ancestors killed (...). Yes, I tell you, the people of this time will have to answer for them all».



Illustration: Francesc Badia

Today, our silent God raises his voice more than ever. What a scolding! Although God carries the discretion in his DNA. On the other side are the usual ones: Pharisees, legists and other leaders who - keeping the appearance of honorable people - take advantage of modest people. Jesus can't stand with that! His indignation explodes in severe words.

- God does not keep things for himself, even if it costs him dearly: «They began to harass him ». Never be discouraged; God is in our favor. Moreover, the resurrected Jesus has the last word!