

# Livingston Old Parish

## Activities for Sunday 27th September

Matthew 21:23-32

Watch <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pEz1rkZi7dU&pbjreload=101>

### Prayer Activity

**Take a large set of keys to represent authority.**

As you prepare for worship today consider people you know who are in positions of authority and those people who you consider to have authority.

- Are they the same people?
- What is the difference?
- How do you recognise someone's authority?

Sing <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9BfRO4RA0G4&pbjreload=101>

### **Promise Star all age**

**You will need: 5 craft lollipop sticks or sticks, felt pens, PVA glue, glue spreaders, glitter or glittery star stickers.**

Take your sticks and colour one side of each stick. Think about the story and the boys saying they would do something and then not doing it or vice versa. Think about them not keeping their promise to their dad. Have you ever said you would do something and then not bothered or made an excuse to avoid doing it.

Think about the importance of always doing what we say we will do and think about the consequences of not doing the things we say we will do. Think about promises we might make and why and to whom.

Turn your sticks over now and write on each one a promise you might like to make and keep e.g. I promise to make my bed every day, I promise to try my best etc. Now glue the sticks together by popping some glue in the centre of each and placing them on top of each other to make a star shape which will remind them to keep their promises. If they are difficult to glue together you could try tying them with string.

**Please post photo's of your crafts in the comments of the Sunday service post on our fb page. <https://www.facebook.com/livingstonoldparishchurch>**

Adapted from Spill the Beans