

Activity Sheet 42

Lorica of Saint Patrick

Insert the missing words:

I arise today
through a mighty strength,
the invocation of the Trinity,
through belief in the Threeness,
through confession of the Oneness of the Creator of creation.

I arise today

through the strength of with His,

through the strength of His with His Burial,

through the strength of His with His Ascension,

through the strength of His descent for the Judgment of Doom.

I arise today

through the strength of the love of

in obedience of, in the service of the,
in hope of resurrection to meet with reward,

in prayers of, in predictions of,

in preachings of, in faiths of,
in innocence of Holy Virgins, in deeds of righteous men.

I arise today

through the strength of Heaven:

light of, brilliance of, splendour of,

speed of, swiftness of, depth of,

stability of, firmness of

I arise today

through God's strength to pilot me:

God's might to uphold me, God's wisdom to me,

God's eye to look before me, God's ear to me,

God's word to speak for me, God's hand to me,

God's way to lie before me, God's shield to me,

WORDBANK – each word is used only once. Tick as you use and move on.

Protect

Sea

Christ

Sun

Angels

Confessors

Patriarchs

Hear

Resurrection

Fire

Cherubim

Moon

Crucifixion

Earth

Prophets

Baptism

Lightning

Archangels

Rock

Guide

Apostles

Guard

Wind