

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD.

LECTIONARY YEAR A.

22ND NOVEMBER 2020

CHRIST THE KING.

KING OF THE UNIVERSE.

1ST READING: A reading from the prophet Ezekiel.

34: 11-12, 15-17.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM: Ps 22: 1-3, 5-6.

2ND READING: A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians. 15:20-26, 28

GOSPEL: According to Matthew. 25:31-46.

GOSPEL REFLECTION.

To day we celebrate the feast of Christ The King. It is the last Sunday in Ordinary time.

Jesus is the best king. He wants to give us love and heaven.

In today's Gospel, Jesus talks about people who are connected to him, are better able to share God's love and kindness with the people around them especially with people who are not doing so well. Jesus calls those people who shares God's love and kindness "**sheep**" in today's Gospel.

Jesus then talks about people who are supposed to be connected to God but are not connected.

Jesus calls those people '**goats**' in today's Gospel. Jesus says the goats are people who were not connected to God, and they do not share God's love and kindness with the people around them- even with people who were not doing well.

One of the main things Jesus taught his disciples, was how they could bring God's love and kindness to other people was by showing mercy to them. We too can learn how to

bring God's love and kindness to other people by being merciful.

Mercy is when we love and help people who are suffering or in need. Today's gospel story helps us how to learn to Jesus's teachings of love and mercy. The church calls these teachingsTHE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY.

[Dear Parent's / Guardians please share and help the following with your children]

THE CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY.

Feed the hungry

Some ways we can feed the hungry:

- . Give up a treat and donate the money to a Charity for feeding the poor.
- . Pray for them.
- . Help to plan and enjoy healthy meals with your Family.

Give drink to the thirsty.

- . Some way to give drink to the thirsty:
- . Remind your friend, who looks hot and sweaty While playing, to have a drink of water and have

One with them.

Clothe the naked.

- . We can clothe the naked by:
 - . Giving our extra clothes, and clothes that don't fit us anymore, to charity.
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Welcome the stranger.

- . We can welcome the stranger who have nowhere to stay by.
 - . Praying for them.
 - . Welcome others to join your games when they have no one to play with.
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Visit the sick.

We can help to visit the sick by:

- . Praying for the sick.
- . Be kind and helpful to our family members when they are sick.
- . Visiting a sick relative or sending them a card.

Visit the imprisoned.

We can visit the imprisoned by:

- . Praying for those who are imprisoned
- . Praying for families of those who are imprisoned.
- . Supporting charities that prepare gifts for prisoners
And their families at special occasions.

Bury the dead.

We can help to bury the dead by:

- . Praying for those who have died and their loved
Ones.
 - . Sending a card to someone who has recently
Lost a loved one.
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PRAYER SPACE.

Lord give us Christ, the king of all creation.

May He reign forever and ever. Amen.

I was merciful at home:

**DRAW A PICTURE OR WRITE HOW YOU WERE
MERCIFUL AT HOME:**

**WHEN WE ARE KIND TO OTHERS, WE ARE BEING KIND
TO JESUS.**

**WHEN WE ARE UNKIND TO OTHERS, WE ARE BEING
UNKIND TO JESUS.**



CHRIST THE KING, COLOURING PAGE.

