HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:

November 29 2020



Children's Liturgy of the Word

Dear Parents,

Welcome to Holy Family Catholic Church's CLOW Online. We are blessed to have you with us and grateful to offer this program. Please, prayerfully go through this liturgy with your children.

If you have any questions, please email Cyndi at familyministry@hfccmail.org





OPENING SONG

Please control + click on link below to view song:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=el302Av7vSl



The First Sunday of Advent



Introduction:

The word Advent means coming. It is a time of waiting and expectation. Only God knows when the second coming will be, but in today's Gospel we are reminded that we must stay awake and be ready for Jesus when he returns at the end of time.

OPENING PRAYER



Light a Candle and say this together:

As we light our candles today, we begin our preparation to celebrate the birth of Jesus who is the light of the world. Sing the Candle Song together.

GOSPEL: MARK 13:32-37

Jesus told his disciples: "Only my heavenly father knows when the Son of Man will return, so stay awake and be ready so that you will not be taken by surprise. Like a man who goes on a journey and tells his servants to take care of his home, they must be prepared for his return at any time so that he will always find them read to greet him"







Discussion

If someone important is coming to visit you and your family, how do you prepare for their coming?

Does anyone know exactly when Jesus will return to us? What did Jesus tell us to do to prepare?

To keep ourselves ready for the time when he will come again. Prepare our homes and put them in order for a visitor, so we can prepare our hearts and put our lives in order for Jesus.

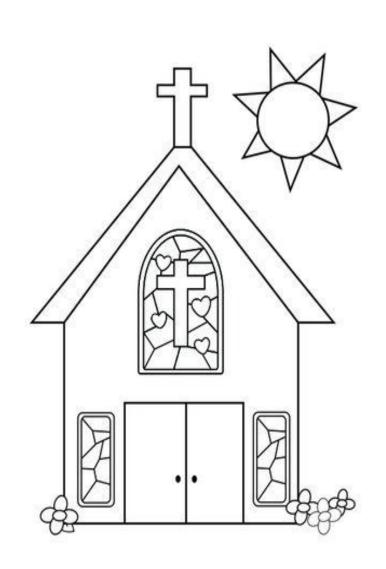
COLORING PAGES

The next two slides are coloring pages for your child. Print out only those slides.





God's House





Let's Pray Together

For all of those working to keep us safe.

For all of those who are sick.

For God to keep us and those we love safe.

And, for anything for which you want to pray.

(Pause to give your child time to pray)

We pray to the Lord.

Lord, hear our prayer.

CLOSING PRAYER

Lord Jesus, help us to live as you taught us, with our lives filled with love and goodness, so that we will be ready to greet you when you come again in glory.

Amen



HAVE A GREAT DAY!

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!