

HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH

CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:

July 4, 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=FnMo6OE1s5o>



The Fourteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time



Introduction:

Sometimes grownups seem very clever, as if they know all the answers. Today, Jesus tells us that it wasn't always the clever people who first understood him. Often it was those who had childlike ears.

OPENING PRAYER



Light a Candle and say this prayer:

The path to our heavenly Father is like the sun rising, getting brighter and brighter as we draw closer to God. Those who turn away from his love, follow a path as dark as the night, and they stumble and fall as they cannot see the way.

Proverbs 4:18-19

GOSPEL:

MATTHEW 11: 25-30

One day Jesus said, “Praise be to you, father, for you have not chosen to reveal yourself to the clever and wise but to people who see the world through childlike eyes. You have shared your wisdom with those filled with innocence and simplicity.” The Jesus said, “Come to me with your worries and troubles, and I will take care of you. I am kind and gentle, and I will help you to find real peace.”





Discussion

If a creature from outer space came to earth and asked you to describe what a young child was like what would you tell him?

Some ideas: dependent, trusting, honest, loving innocent, uncomplicated.

What did Jesus tell us to do with our cares and troubles?

Just like a young child has complete faith and trust in his or her parents, so we can rely on God.



COLORING PAGES

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







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

Listen to me, little ones,
And you will please God.
If your lives are to be filled
with happiness and joy
Turn away from wickedness and lies;
Surround yourselves with goodness
And try with all your hearts
To share the peace of God with others.

Amen



HAVE A GREAT DAY!

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!

