# HOLY FAMILY CATHOLIC CHURCH



CHILDREN'S LITURGY OF THE WORD:

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# 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=HLWGnkCOP38



# The Twelvth Sunday of Ordinary Time

#### **Introduction:**

Imagine how you would feel if your parents wanted to send you to Africa to tell the children there all about Jesus. How would you feel traveling to a strange country all alone? Jesus wanted his disciples to share the Good News with everyone, and they were afraid, too.



#### **OPENING PRAYER**



Light a Candle and say this prayer: As we light our candles today, we thank God the Father for sending Jesus, his son, to rescue us from sin, and the Holy Spirit who will always be our friend.

#### **GOSPEL:**

#### MATTHEW 10:26-33

Before Jesus sent the apostles out to bring the Good News to the people, he gathered them together and said: "Do not be afraid to stand before the crowds and speak, even though there will be many who wish you harm and will not listen.

"My heavenly father knows when even one little sparrow falls dead from the sky, and you mean more to him than all the birds in the world. He will watch over you and see how brave you are. If you lose your life for my sake, your reward will be great in heaven and you will share in my father's glory and have life everlasting."



#### **Discussion**

Why did the apostles need great courage to go and share the gospel with other people?

They had to leave their friends and families and travel to countries where they were strangers.

Have you ever had to stand up in front of a crowd of people and read to them or say lines in a school play?

Imagine how hard it was for the disciples.

How do we share the Gospel message today?

We must share what we believe, and the Holy Spirit will give us the strength and courage that he gave the disciples.

#### **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**

Lord Jesus, help us to share the good news of the Gospel.

Through the power of your Holy Spirit, give us the strength and courage of the apostles, to stand up and be witnesses to what we believe.

Amen

#### **HAVE A GREAT DAY!**

SEE YOU NEXT WEEK!