

Good afternoon PREP Families,

A Please remember to read the materials in the parent/family folder you were given. The Family Letter will give you a basic list of what your children should have in their bags.

✓ ALL GRADES! This week: Chapter 1 and Family Craft

Attached are the Unit 1 lesson links for each grade.

The Family Craft (Family Prayer Jar) was given to you separate from your family folder because of its size.

Put this craft together as a family...include everyone!

Place this in your home where you frequently gather as a family and where you will see and use it often.

You can use the 12 empty discs to write one family prayer of thanks, praise, or intention each month of the year or split between family members to write individual prayers. Add your own slips of paper as needed!

•• 22 "Prayer | Catholic Central"

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KBZ6DsRwdV8&t=171s

What is prayer? How should we pray? Why? Kai and Libby fill you in on the major forms of prayer and how to go beyond just asking for stuff.



Archdiocese of Philadelphia
"Eucharistic Revival Student Art, Essay, Video Contest 2022"
For all children in grades PreK-12th
See attached for all details!

All information regarding Sacramental Preparation will be sent through separate emails.

Peace be with you,

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SUNDAY CONNECTION



Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Cycle C Sunday, September 11, 2022

Gospel Reading

Luke 15:1-32

Jesus responds to those who criticize him for keeping company with the unworthy.



Read or retell in your own words, the three stories from the Gospel. Ask your children to recall games they play that involve losing or hiding something and then finding it. (Hide and Go Seek, Ghost in the Graveyard, Button, Button, Who's Got the Button?) Talk about how exciting it is to find the person or thing being looked for.

Ask your children if they have any memories of losing something special or being lost themselves. Share the stories as well as the fears or feelings. Then tell them that just as

you would go to any length to find and bring them home if they were lost, so too would God. That is what Jesus is telling us in the three stories. No matter what we do, no matter how wrong we are, God, our loving father, is always anxious to forgive us and welcome us back home.