



Good evening All PREP Families,

✅ ALL GRADES! This week:

- Chapter 20
- Lent page in back of text under "Seasons and Days"

👉 Attached are the Unit 4 & Unit 5 lesson links.

🏰 If you were not able to attend Stations of the Cross last night, please know that the praying of Stations is offered in most, if not all, Catholic churches each Friday during Lent. You can go every week if you like!

🙏 If you would like to pray them at home with your family, see link below:
[stations-eng \(s3.us-east-1.amazonaws.com\)](https://s3.us-east-1.amazonaws.com/stations-eng)

👁️👁️👤 "4 Reasons Catholics Must Give Alms This Lent" (Ascension Presents)
<https://youtu.be/E4fTW795Z8U>

What are alms? Why must we give them? Am I supposed to go broke for Jesus? Fr. Mike Schmitz encourages us to be charitable this Lent, emphasizing how almsgiving is a foundational part of living the Faith. In being joyful givers, we imitate Christ, who became poor for our sake, and we show our gratitude for God's grace.

Peace be with you,

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SUNDAY CONNECTION



Second Sunday of Lent, Cycle A

Sunday, March 5, 2023

Gospel Reading

[Matthew 17:1-9](#)

Jesus is transfigured on the mountain in the presence of Peter, James, and John.

Family Connection

As a family, talk about some of your times of highs and lows. How have you been able to use the good times and experiences to sustain you in the difficult ones? Jesus' Transfiguration may have been an event from which Peter, James, and John drew courage when they faced the difficult events of Jesus' Passion. Read together today's Gospel, Matthew 17:1-9. Pray a prayer of thanksgiving for the good times and experiences that your family has had together. Pray that your family will use these experiences to sustain you during times of difficulty. Close by praying today's psalm, Psalm 33.