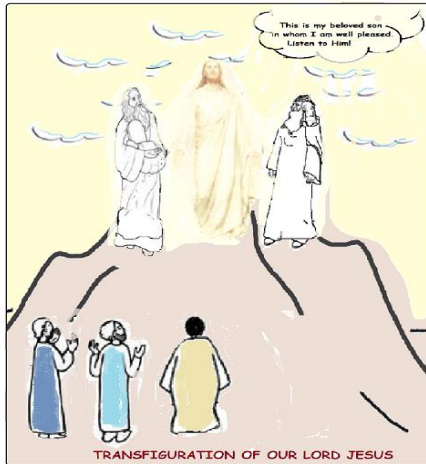


# 'This is my Beloved son, 'Listen to Him'

CHILDREN'S LITURGY ACTIVITY MARCH 8<sup>TH</sup>, 2020



SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

## VERSES OF THE WEEK

***"This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him."***

***-Matthew 17:5***

### High places at your home- Make a prayer corner in your house.

1. Find a corner in your house
2. Get few cushions to sit or to kneel and pray
3. Small side table or raised plat form to keep your Bible, devotional books, pens, etc.
4. Bible, Prayer Book, Rosary
5. A book to write in prayer requests and to note down what lord talk to you /verses He gives.
6. A pin Board to pin up scriptures, prayers, pictures, etc.
7. Tealight LED candle

**Prayer is powerful. Have quiet time with God every day and grow in your relationship with God.**

### Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9

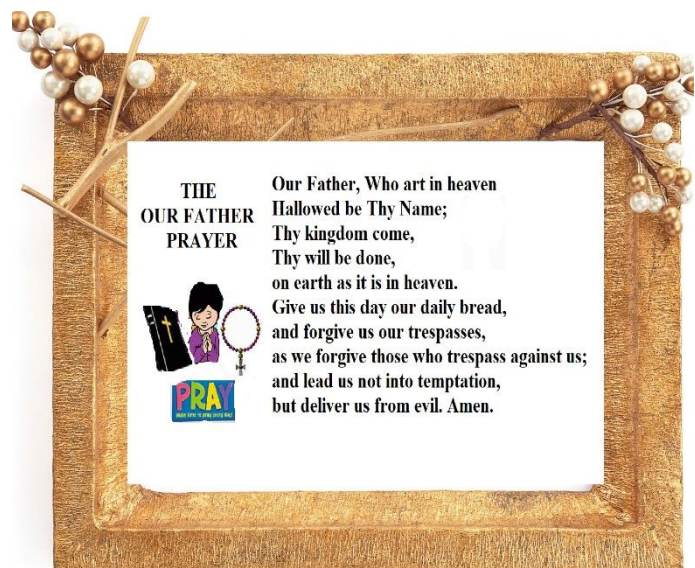
In today's gospel we see that Jesus is leading His friends Peter, John and James to the mountain. At the mountain, Jesus transfigured- changed in appearance before them. His face shone like the sun and his clothes became white as light. Moses and Elijah appeared and talked. Peter was so excited to see all what was happening. that he devised his own plans to build tent for all three. Suddenly, Father in Heaven manifested himself in a shiny bright cloud and spoke to them, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; Listen to him." The friends of Jesus were so scared that they fell on the ground. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, "Rise, and do not be afraid." And when the disciples raised their eyes, they saw no one else but Jesus alone. When they were coming down from the mountain, Jesus told them not to tell about the vision until all happens in real.

Who is Moses and Elijah? Moses and Elijah are great prophets that we can find in Old Testament, who has met God and seen his glory in the mountains (find more about them in Exodus 24:18 and 1Kings 19:8).

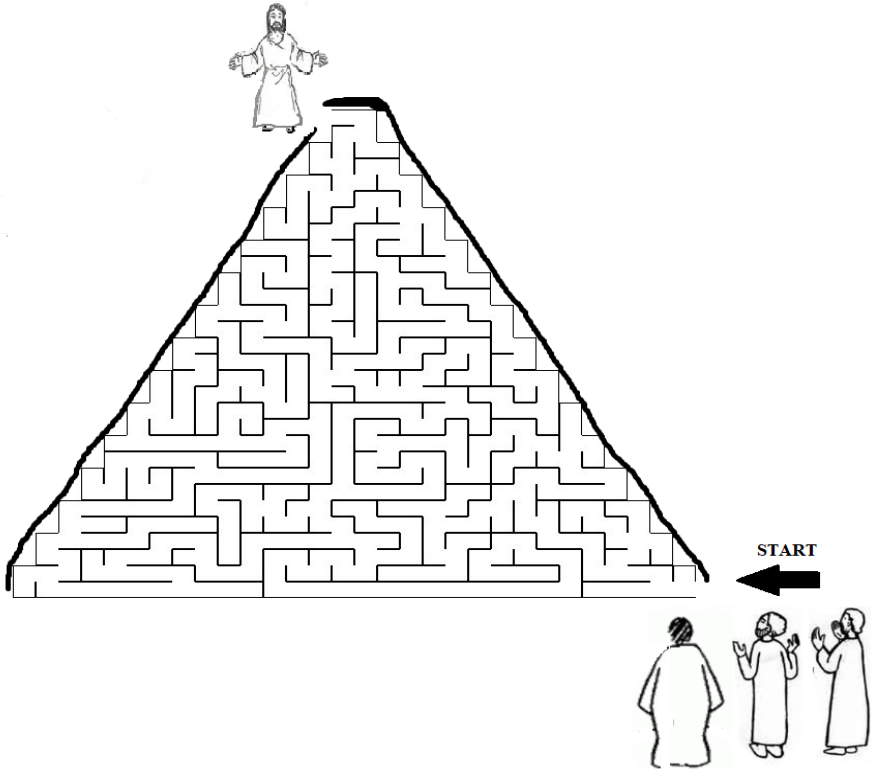
What do you think they were talking about? They were talking about what Jesus have to do on earth and how to accomplish Fathers great plan to save the world. (about passion, crucifixion and resurrection)

By leading them to his transfiguration, Jesus was making his friends realize that each of their body will one day be transformed into glorious eternal one, like what they saw. On this high mountain Jesus revealed to his friends who followed him, what is going to happen to him a few days later. Jesus invites us too to follow him to high places of Prayer where he will reveal himself to us. When he calls us and lead us, let us, without being reluctant, follow him and listen to him always. This is pleasing to Father in heaven. During this Lenten time let us try to closely follow Jesus and listen to him, as he reveals about this eternal hope.

### HANG THIS AT YOUR PRAYER CORNER



Help Peter, James and John to find the correct way to follow Jesus to the mountain.



Jesus by the living word, reveals to us what is going to happen. Can you complete these revelations?

1. But listen, I tell you this secret: We will not all -----, but we will all be -----  
(Clue: 1 Corinthians 15:51)

2. I am going there to prepare ----- for you. After I go and prepare a place for you, I will ----- Then I will ----- you with me, so that you can be where I am (Clue: John 14:2-3)

3. The body that is "planted" is a ----- body. When it is raised, it will be a ----- body.  
(Clue: 1 Corinthians 15:44)

What did the father in heaven spoke through the cloud? Can you fill in the blanks?  
Colour in the picture to manifest the Transfiguration of Jesus.

