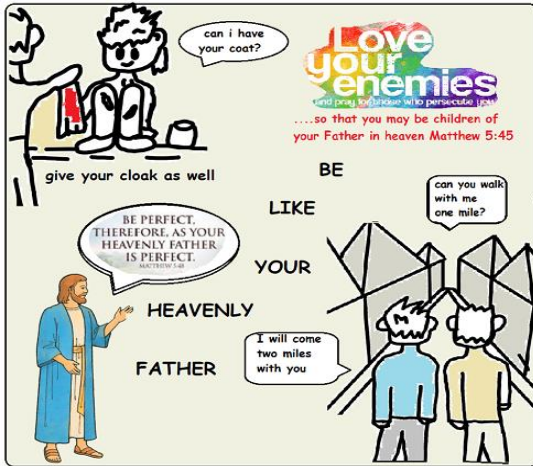


'Be like our father in heaven'

CHILDREN'S LITURGY ACTIVITY FEBRUARY 23RD , 2020



VERSES OF THE WEEK

***"Be perfect, therefore, as
Your heavenly Father is perfect"***

– Matthew 5:48

Gospel: Matthew 5:38-48

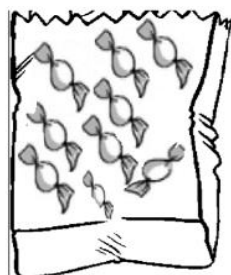
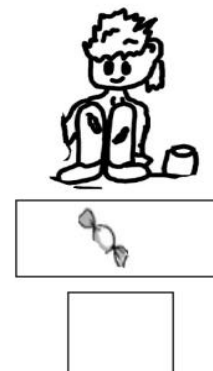
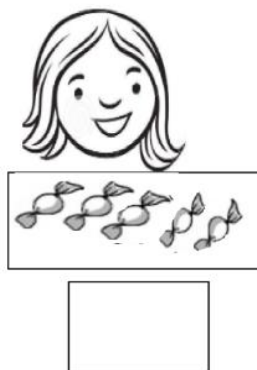
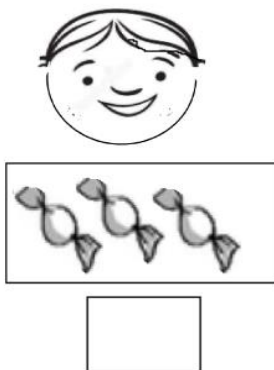
In today's Gospel, Jesus is asking us to be like our heavenly father. Jesus himself has shown us this by his life. HE is our role model. Jesus prompts us by pointing out few ways 'how to walk in this eternal way and how to be the children of our heavenly Father?' :-

1. don't fight back against someone who wants to do harm to you. Be patient and calm.
2. if anyone wants to sue you and take your coat, give your cloak as well
3. if anyone forces you to go one mile, go two miles.
4. Give to anyone who asks you for something. Don't refuse to give to anyone who wants to borrow from you.
5. Love your enemies. Pray for those who treat you badly.
6. Show no discrimination, accept and help each other

Lord provides and show mercy equally to all. Jesus challenges our attitude towards our fellow beings by asking. *If you love only those who love you, why should you get a reward for that? *if you are nice only to your friends, you are no better than anyone else... even people who don't know God do that. So, as children of a loving heavenly Father, what is difference that each of must reflect in our actions? what should be our attitude?

Let us think of it and seek help from the Lord to fill us in love and to give us strength and grace to live as Jesus tells us, by the power of Holy Spirit.

THERE IS NO DISCRIMINATION FOR GOD

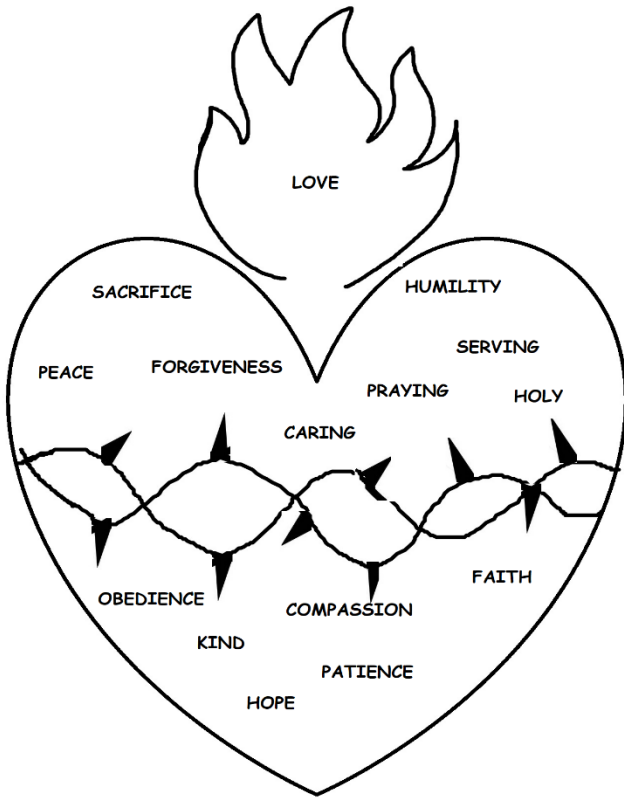


YOU HAVE 9 SWEETS IN YOUR BAG
IS IT SHARED EQUALLY TO ALL ?
IF NOT, CAN YOU SHARE IT EQUALLY?
HOW many EACH MUST GET?

'for he makes his sun rise
on the evil and on the
good and sends rain on the
righteous and on the
unrighteous. For if you
love those who love you,
what reward do you
have?' - Matthew 5:45-46

Be the mirror image of the Heart of Jesus.

HEART OF JESUS



CAN YOU DRAW YOUR HEART
AS THE MIRROR IMAGE OF THE HEART OF JESUS?

Can you Match each one on the left with the correct pairs
on the right side, as Jesus mentions in the gospel?

1. if anyone strikes you on the right cheek
2. if anyone wants to take your coat
3. if anyone forces you to go one mile
4. if anyone wants to borrow from you.
5. Love your
6. pray for...

- enemies
- do not refuse
- those who persecute you
- go also the second mile
- give your cloak as well
- turn the other cheek also



I am learning how to be good from Jesus,
from Him who is goodness itself, so that
I may be called a daughter of
the heavenly Father.
- St. Faustina (Diary 669)