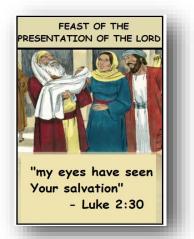
Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

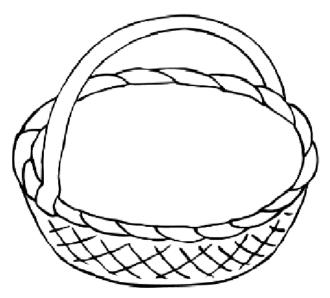
CHILDREN'S LITURGY ACTIVITY FEBRUARY 2ND, 2020



VERSES OF THE WEEK

"my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in sight of all the peoples, a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel." Luke 2:30-32

<u>Colour your own Offertory Basket.</u> <u>Draw and colour everything that you like</u> <u>to Offer and Present to the Lord for</u> <u>purification and thanksgiving</u>



Gospel: Luke 2:22-35

In today's Gospel we see Jesus parents, Mary and Joseph obeying Gods law and bringing Jesus to the house of the lord to consecrate Him to the Lord and to offer two turtle doves in thanksgiving.

We also see Simeon, a righteous devout man, who waited patiently trusting in Gods promise of a Savoir. When it was the right time, Simeon was prompted by the Holy Spirit to come to temple of the Lord. He was able to recognize Jesus, and thanked god for his promise according to the word 'my eyes have seen your salvation, which you prepared in sight of all the peoples, a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and glory for your people Israel'.

Simeon blessed Jesus parents and revealed Gods plan through Jesus, to Mother Mary that "Behold, this child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be contradicted --and you yourself a sword will pierce--so that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed."

Let us reflect : The obedience and trust in God's law led Jesus's parents to the lords temple to offer Jesus .As the offering and consecration of Jesus was accomplished, Simeon got the promptings from Holy Spirit to come to temple and this revealed Jesus to Him. Inspired by the Holy Spirit ,Simeon prophesized about Jesus to his Parents.

Let's pray for our parents and ourselves and all to get strength to fulfill everything set by church and that we ourselves to be humble and faithful like the holy family to obey word of God and without doubt wait patiently presenting everything to God in thanksgiving. The Holy Spirit will guide us to the right time of Jesus second coming.

A PRAYER OF OFFERING

For love of me you came to earth; You gave your life for me. So every day you give me now I give back happily.

Take all my laughter, all my tears, Each thought, each word, each deed, And let them be my all-day prayer To help all those in need.

HELP SIMEON FIND JESUS FOLLOWING THE HOLY SPIRIT 'He came in the Spirit into the temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus'-Luke 2:27 9 O Y 2 NA G P 1 6 O ø 2 M

BA Fill in the blank spaces. 2 3 4 5 1 All have the same answer. С Ε В 1 Α D F G н L 2 1.----- Guided Simeon to meet Jesus in the right time Μ Κ L Ν 0 3 2.---- Revealed Jesus S Т Ρ Q 4 R to Simeon Y V 5 U W Х 3. Simeon prophesized through ----z 6 ---- about Jesus to Mother Mary. , 44 14 42 34 42 54 Break the code to reveal the answer: 32 53 23 55 Key: AB=35=W,43=N. NOW TRY YOURSELF