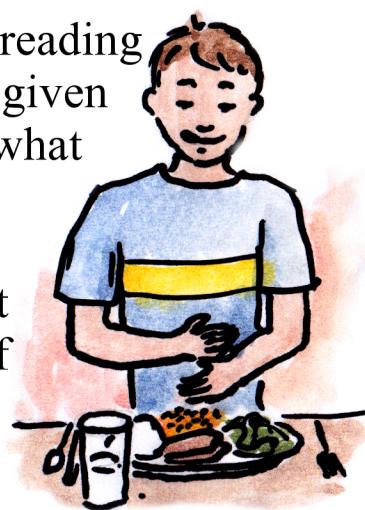


We are Hungry for Jesus

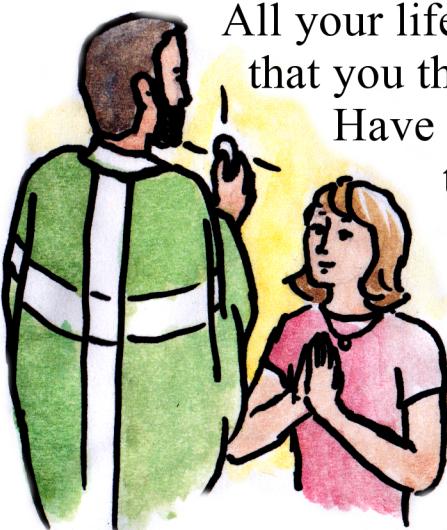
The people in today's Gospel reading followed Jesus because He had given them bread. He told them that what they really needed was not just ordinary food, but the food that God would give them. And that was Jesus Himself, the Bread of Life!



Have you ever been hungry? You know you need food and you want to eat. But did you know that your soul can be hungry too? The food for our souls is Jesus. We receive Him in Holy Communion. Just like our bodies need food to stay alive, our souls need God.

All your life there are things you want that you think will make you happy.

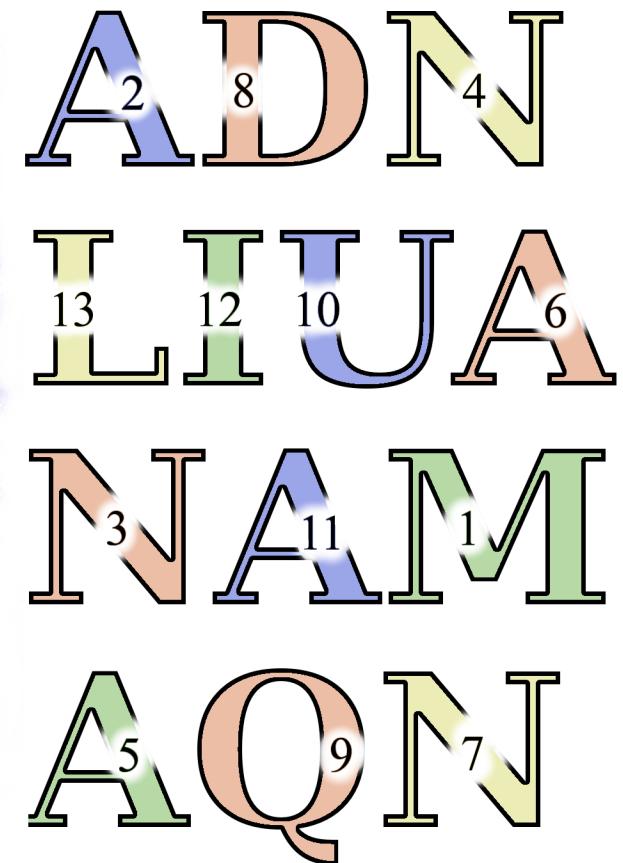
Have you ever gotten something that you really wanted? It probably made you really happy for a while. But we can only be really satisfied if we have God living in us.



believe, sign, Jesus, Father, world, bread, Bread of Life.
Answers to word puzzle: ate, food, life, we, God,
believe, sign, Jesus, Father, world, bread, Bread of Life.
Answer to the front page: Manna and quail.

The Kids' Bulletin

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 5, 2018



Exodus 16:2-4, 12-15

In today's first reading the people of Israel were starving in the desert. When Moses prayed to God He sent them food. What was it? Sort out the letters by their numbers to find out!

Saint Lawrence, Martyr

August 10

LAWRENCE WAS A DEACON IN THE EARLY CHURCH IN ROME. HIS JOB WAS LOOKING AFTER THE POOR AND NEEDY.

Here, you'll need a blanket. The nights are cold!

WHEN THE EMPEROR DECIDED TO GET RID OF THE CHRISTIANS THE POPE WAS ARRESTED AND KILLED.

These Christians are annoying. Let's get rid of their leader.

THE GOVERNOR TOLD LAWRENCE TO GIVE HIM THE CHURCH'S TREASURES...

You have three days...
Hm... Three days...

Is this a joke?
SO LAWRENCE BROUGHT TO HIM THE POOR AND CRIPPLED PEOPLE!

THE GOVERNOR CONDEMNED HIM TO A SLOW DEATH.

Let that be an example for Christians!

HE WAS BURNED TO DEATH ON A RACK, BUT HE KEPT HIS SENSE OF HUMOUR.

I'm done on this side! Time to turn me over!

I must learn more about Christ... If a man is willing to die like that for his faith... EVEN THOUGH SAINT LAWRENCE WAS JUST A HUMBLE DEACON, MANY PEOPLE CONVERTED TO THE TRUE FAITH BECAUSE OF HIS EXAMPLE.

VERY LITTLE IS KNOWN ABOUT THE LIFE OF SAINT LAWRENCE, BUT WE DO KNOW THAT HE GAVE UP HIS LIFE FOR JESUS AND THE CHURCH. WE SHOULD BE READY TO DEFEND THE POOR AND THE CHURCH TOO- EVEN IF PEOPLE MAKE FUN OF US. REMEMBERING SAINT LAWRENCE CAN HELP INSPIRE US!

God Provides Bread word puzzle

John 6 24-35

Fill in the missing words.

Use the letters in boxes to fill in the blanks at the bottom.

The people came looking for Jesus after the miracle of the loaves and fishes. Jesus said to them, "You are only looking for me because you 4 the loaves and were filled. Don't work for food that perishes but for the 7 that lasts for eternal

8 . The people asked, "What can 11

do to do the works of 6 ?" Jesus said to them, "This is the work of God, that you

1 in the one he sent." So they asked him, "What 9 can you show us so that we can believe in you? Our ancestors ate manna in the desert, like it is written in the Scriptures, "He gave them bread from Heaven to eat."

So 3 said to them, "It was not Moses who gave you bread from Heaven; my

10 gives you the true bread from Heaven. The bread of God comes down from Heaven and gives life to the 5 . So the people said to Jesus, "Sir, give us this

2 always!"

Jesus said to them, "I am the

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11

