

Colouring In



Children's Activity Sheet

The Cathedral Church of St Marie
welcomes

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to Mass today.

To be Like Jesus

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Normal Time. Year B.

Have you ever wished for something? I'm sure you have! We all have. Sometimes we make a wish without thinking about what would happen if our wish really came true. Sometimes, for instance, I wish that it would stop raining. But imagine if that wish came true, and it really stopped raining FOREVER? There would be no grass, no trees, no flowers. Rivers, lakes, and streams would dry up and all life would begin to disappear. Our world would become a miserable place if it stopped raining!

James and John were two brothers who were disciples of Jesus. One day, the two of them came to Jesus and said to him, "Master, can one of us sit on your right and one on your left in the kingdom of Heaven?" You see, they thought that Jesus was going to set up an earthly kingdom, and they wanted to sit beside him on the throne. They wanted to share in his greatness.

Jesus answered them and said, "You don't know what you are asking." Then he explained that whoever wants to be great must be a servant of all. He said, "I have come as a servant and not as a king! Anyone who wants to be great must be ready to serve everyone else; anyone who wants to be first must be ready to put others before them. After all, the Son of Man came to serve others, and to give up his life to set many people free". Jesus was right! I don't think that being a servant was exactly what James and John were wishing for!

But this Gospel teaches us something very important. If our faith and love for Jesus is important to us, then we may well wish to be more like Jesus. And if we do, then Jesus tells us clearly that this will involve giving some or all of our lives to the service of others. As with everything, we can learn to do this in small ways first; what small way can you personally serve others today?

**Anyone who wants to be great must be ready to
serve everyone else** (Mark 10: 35-45)

Word Search



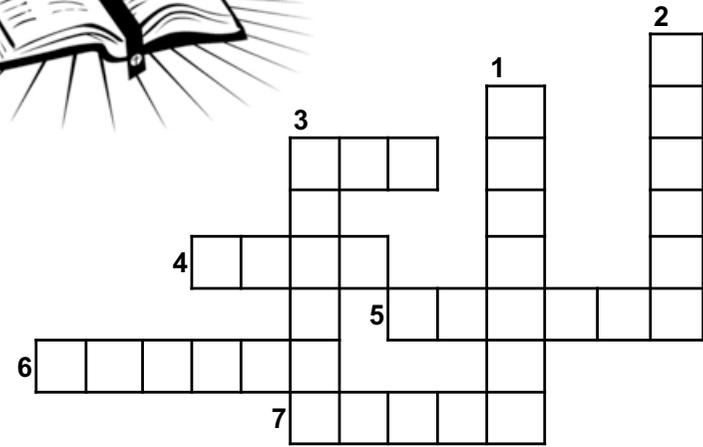
Today's Word Search is based on Mark 10: 35-45.

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SERVANT	SUFFER	THRONE
RULER	HONOUR	FAVOUR
SLAVE	GREAT	GLORY
FIRST	SIT	RIGHT
LEFT	PLACE	†



Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- To occupy a chair
- The direction that is the opposite of right
- To be in front; to be first
- A special chair used by a king or queen
- The direction that is the opposite of left

DOWN

- A person who works for another person
- To do something to help someone, often after they ask you to do it
- To feel physical or mental pain

Left	Leader	Servant	Favour
Right	Sit	Suffer	Throne

Children's Prayer

Dear Jesus. Please help us to be more like you, and to learn how to help and serve others. Amen.

