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Kid's Bulletin



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22ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



“Rather, when you hold a banquet, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind; blessed indeed will you be because of their inability to repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.” - Lk 14:13-14

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Taking the Lowest Place



In today's Gospel reading, Jesus was watching to see where the people sat when they were guests at a dinner. Some people thought they were important so they sat in the more important places. Jesus saw that they were proud, so He taught them about being humble.

When we are proud we think that we are more important than other people, and that we deserve to have better things. We start to look down on everyone else, and pretty soon we start thinking that God isn't so great either!

Being humble means knowing that we really are not all that important, even if we are better at some things than other people or have more money or more important jobs. It means we know that God gave us these things to help others, not so that we could be proud about them.



Luke 14:1,7-14

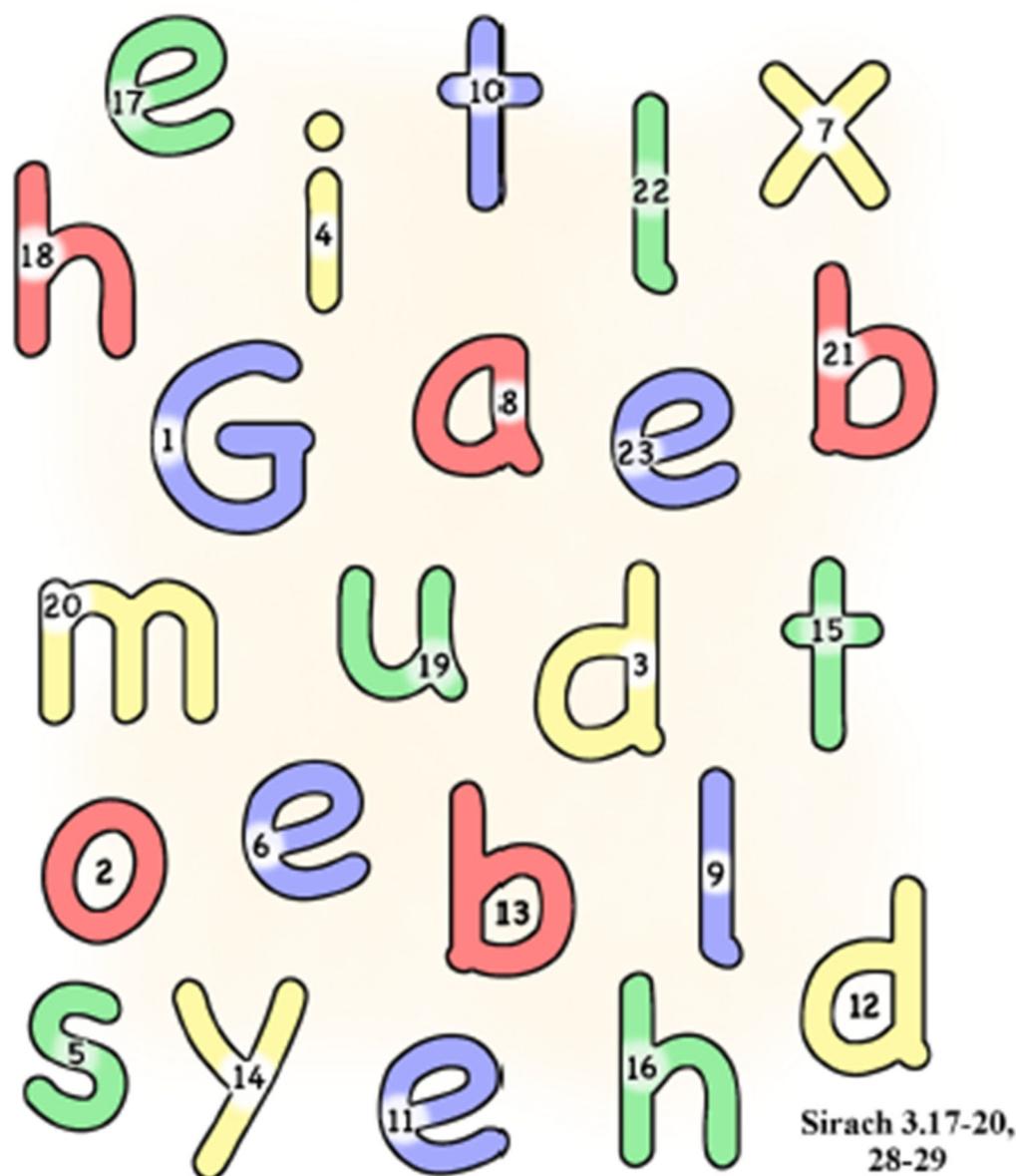
We can only give glory to God when we are humble.

Answers: front page: God is exalted by the humble.
True or False: 1.false 2.true 3.true 4.true 5.false 6.true 7.false

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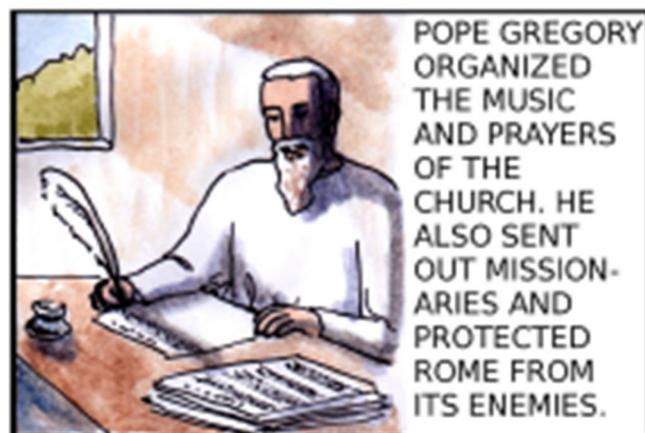
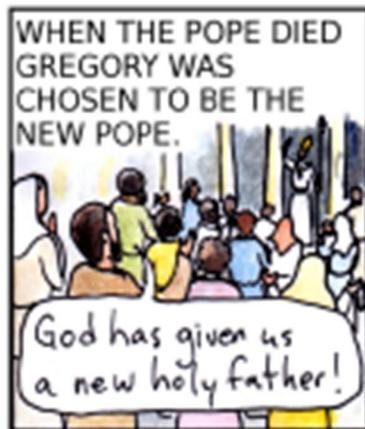
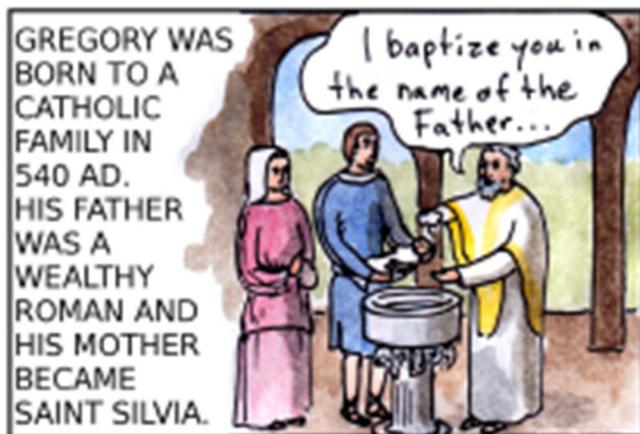


What can we learn from today's first reading?
Sort out the letters by their numbers to fill in the blanks.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	

Saint Gregory the Great

September 3



SAINT GREGORY SUFFERED FROM DIFFERENT SICKNESSES. HE DIED WHEN HE WAS ABOUT 64. THE CHURCH'S SPECIAL MUSIC, GREGORIAN CHANT, WAS NAMED AFTER HIM BECAUSE OF HIS WORK IN SORTING IT ALL OUT. HE IS ALSO KNOWN FOR SENDING SOME OF THE FIRST MISSIONARIES TO ENGLAND.

True or False: How to be Humble

What did Jesus say? Some of these are true and some aren't. Can you figure out which is which?

1. If you know that you are an important guest then you should sit in the place of honour. True or False?
2. If you go to a wedding feast and sit in a place of honour, someone more important might come and you will have to move to a lower place. True or False?
3. If you sit in a lower place, then the one who invited you will tell you to sit in a more important place and you will be honoured. True or False?
4. Everyone who exalts himself will be humbled and everyone who humbles himself will be exalted. True or False?
5. When you have a dinner, you should invite the most important people so that they will invite you back. True or False?
6. If you are having a banquet or dinner, you should invite the poor and crippled people who can't invite you back. True or False?
7. If you invite the poor and crippled people to your dinner, you will never be repaid. True or False?





On a sabbath Jesus went to dine at the home of one of the leading Pharisees. He told a parable to those who had been invited, noticing how they were choosing the places of honor at the table. "When you are invited by someone to a wedding banquet, do not recline at table in the place of honor. Rather, when you are invited, go and take the lowest place. For every one who exalts himself will be humbled, but the one who humbles himself will be exalted." (Luke 14: 1, 7-8, 10-11)

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22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. What color vestment was the priest wearing this Sunday? _____
2. What book of the Bible was the First Reading from?
 - a. Isaiah
 - b. Sirach
3. In the 1st Reading, God says you should “ _____ yourself the more, the greater you are to find favor with God.”
4. What does the responsorial psalm say that God has done, in His goodness?

5. The Second Reading is from the book of _____.
6. The 2nd Reading says we have approached Mount _____, the heavenly Jerusalem.
7. What book of the Bible is the Gospel reading from? _____
8. Where does Jesus say we should sit at a dinner? The _____ place
9. Whom does Jesus say we should invite to our homes?
 - a. People we want to invite us to *their* homes
 - b. Sinners
 - c. Those who cannot repay us for the invitation
10. Jesus says we will be repaid at the _____ of the righteous.

ANSER KEY - 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

1. What color vestment was the priest wearing this Sunday? Green
2. What book of the Bible was the First Reading from?
 - a. Isaiah
 - b. Sirach ←Correct!
3. In the 1st Reading, God says you should “ humble yourself the more, the greater you are to find favor with God.”
4. What does the responsorial psalm say that God has done, in His goodness? Made a home for the poor
5. The Second Reading is from the book of Hebrews.
6. The 2nd Reading says we have approached Mount Zion, the heavenly Jerusalem.
7. What book of the Bible is the Gospel reading from? Luke
8. Where does Jesus say we should sit at a dinner? The lowest place
9. Whom does Jesus say we should invite to our homes?
 - a. People we want to invite us to *their* homes
 - b. Sinners
 - c. Those who cannot repay us for the invitation ←Correct!
10. Jesus says we will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous.

Twenty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- + The color vestments the priest is wearing are...

 circle your answer!

PARENTS & EDUCATORS: *Print in color for best results!*
This worksheet is intended for children not yet reading or just learning.
They may need simple instructions from you to complete the activities.



RED



GREEN



VIOLET



ROSE



WHITE

- + The first reading is from Sirach

- + Responsorial Psalm _____

"God, in Your goodness,
You have made a home for the poor."

- + The Second Reading is from the
Letter of Saint Paul to the Hebrews

- + The Gospel is according to Luke

"... when you hold a banquet, invite the
poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind;
[...] you will be repaid at the resurrection of the righteous."

Can you find these words from the
readings today?

HOST	POOR
FRIEND	LAME
TABLE	BLIND

H	O	S	T	B	O	H
G	P	L	A	M	E	F
D	O	K	B	U	S	E
R	O	B	L	I	N	D
F	R	I	E	N	D	I

How many DIFFERENCES can you find between the two banquets? Circle  what you find!



GROWING WITH THE *Gospel* CYCLE C



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



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