

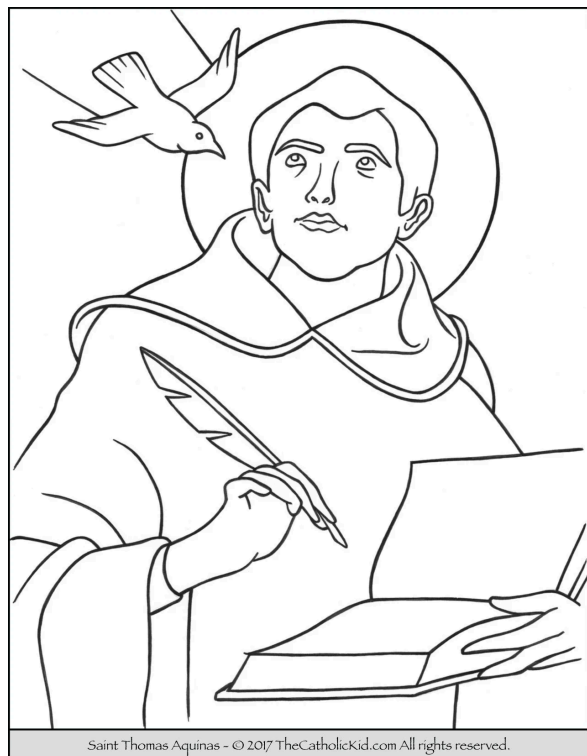


A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR THE KIDS OF ST. AMBROSE

Sunday, January 28, 2024

Gospel: Mark 1: 21-28

Saint Thomas Aquinas was born into a wealthy Italian family who sent him to a Benedictine monastery when he was five, hoping that he would one day become an abbot. Instead, Thomas discovered the Dominicans, whose life of prayer and study fascinated him. Shocked that he would want to become a poor friar, his mother had him kidnapped, but eventually Thomas was released and he joined the order in 1244. Thomas studied under Albert the Great and was such a silent and huge presence in class that he earned the nickname “the dumb ox.” However, his writings on philosophy and theology are some of the most well known today, and it is said that nobody equals his depth of understanding. St. Thomas Aquinas was a brilliant and humble man. He is a Doctor of the Church and a patron saint of Catholic schools. His feast day is January 28th. **St. Thomas Aquinas, pray for us!** (ref. LoyolaPress.com)



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FAMILY TIME

*At the dinner table,
in the car,
we talk about our faith,
wherever we are!*



In this week's Gospel, Jesus preaches in the synagogue in Capernaum and heals a man with an unclean spirit. His fame spreads.

FAMILY DISCUSSION: When we see something amazing, we want to share it with others. This is what the people in the synagogue did. They saw Jesus demonstrate his authority and they wanted to tell others.

- What are some other amazing things you have read that Jesus has done? Share stories of Jesus showing his authority that you remember. How would these stories read if they were newspaper headlines?
- When you share the amazing things Jesus has done, you are also spreading the Good News. What are some ways you can spread this Good News to others?

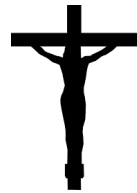
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Psalm 95: If today you hear his voice, harden not your hearts.

Psalm 95

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WORSHIP
SHEPHERDS
ACCLAIM
HARDEN
TEMPTED
KNEEL
SALVATION
WORKS



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Let us Learn

About the Presentation of the Lord (2/2)



5-minute reflection on the Presentation of the Lord by Formed Media

About Showing Love



The Workshop is hosting a big Talent Show Extravaganza, but Doug and Maggie aren't feeling well. Can the ill get well or will they have to cancel the performance? (The Slugs and Bugs Show, Formed, 21 min.)

SAINT

JOHN BOSCO



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Saint John Bosco was born in 1815 in Italy. He grew up poor and spent much of his life helping poor and abandoned children, not only by teaching them about God but by teaching them a trade. He was skilled in juggling and storytelling and used these talents for the glory of God. His feast day is January 31st. **Saint John Bosco, pray for us!**

Think: How might you use your talents to serve God?

Watch: Here is a short video by ETWN that tells more about the life of St. John Bosco:

