



A WEEKLY NEWSLETTER FOR THE KIDS OF ST. AMBROSE

Sunday, November 12, 2023

Gospel: Matthew 25: 1-13

Saint Margaret of Scotland (1045-1093) was a princess born in Hungary. During the Norman invasion, her family became shipwrecked in Scotland. There she met King Malcolm and they were married. Malcolm loved Margaret & she helped him become a virtuous king. She tried to make her adopted country of Scotland better by promoting education & encouraging religious reform, including abuses of usury and simony. Margaret had many children and made sure they had a good, Christian education. Despite being a queen, she ate sparingly, fasted, and prayed. Often she would wake for midnight Mass. She took care of the poor and orphans and was often surrounded by them in public. St. Margaret is the patron saint of Scotland and service to the poor. **Saint Margaret of Scotland, pray for us!**

(ref.: franciscanmedia.org)

"I will go anywhere and do anything in order to communicate the love of Jesus to those who do not know Him or have forgotten Him."

- Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini

Feast Day: November 13



Saint Margaret of Scotland - © TheCatholicKid.com

FAMILY TIME

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



In this week's Gospel, Jesus teaches about the importance of being prepared to receive the Kingdom of Heaven.

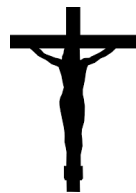
FAMILY DISCUSSION: What are some things you need to prepare to be ready for school in the morning? You may think of some things like: eat breakfast, brush your teeth, pack your lunch, have your homework done. What if you didn't do those things? You wouldn't be prepared. Just like the wise women in the story, we need to be ready to receive Jesus. How can you and your family maintain daily spiritual practices so you are ready to receive the Kingdom of Heaven? (Ref: www.loyolapress.com/catholic-resources)

Suggestion: Pray together the Act of Hope today (other side)

Psalm 63: "My soul is thirsting for you, O Lord my God."

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PINES
EXULTANT
BANQUET
THIRSTING
GLORY
WATER
PARCHED
SANCTUARY
LIFELESS
KINDNESS



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Let us learn...

About Saint Luke!



Lukas Storyteller

In this inspiring episode, Lukas helps his friends discover the meaning of their names as they learn about their patron saints, while Lukas recalls his own encounter with Jesus and how it changed his life forever.

Formed Media/12 min.

Gospel Reflection: Be Prepared!

Write down a list of things you can do to prepare to receive the Kingdom of Heaven:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

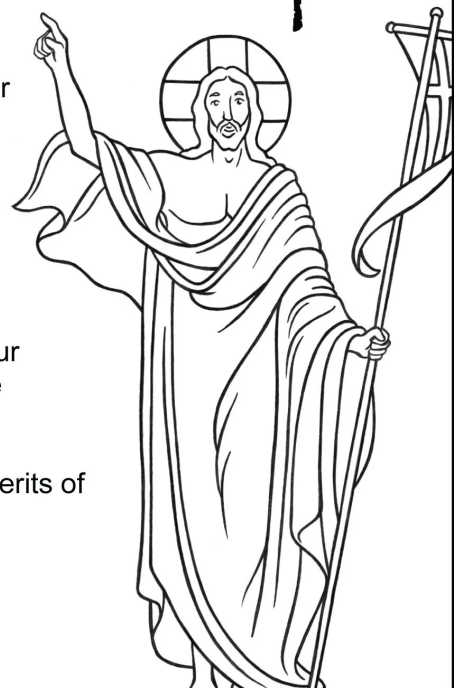
Act of Hope

O my God,
relying on your
infinite mercy
and promises,

I hope to
obtain pardon
of my sins,

the help of your
grace, and life
everlasting,

through the merits of
Jesus Christ,
my Lord and
Redeemer.
Amen.



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