

Sunday, June 22, 2025
Corpus Christi
Body and Blood of Christ

INTRODUCTION

What would happen if we had no food or anything to drink? Together they keep us alive, and without their life-giving nourishment we would die. Jesus is the bread of life who shares himself with us in a special way during the Mass.

Gospel

A reading from the gospel of St. Mark.

Jesus and his disciples had gathered to celebrate the Passover meal together. While they were eating, Jesus took some bread, and gave a piece to each of his disciples, saying, "Take this and eat it, this is my body." Then he took a cup of wine. Again, he praised his father, and passed it to each of his disciples saying, "Take this and drink it, this is my blood, poured out for you. Do this in memory of me."

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ

Reflection:

At the last supper Jesus shared a loaf of bread and a cup of wine with his friends.

When we come to Mass, we come as one large family to celebrate something which happened for all of us: the resurrection of Jesus. We share a meal together as Jesus did at the Last Supper.

What happens when we celebration the Mass together?

GROWING

WITH THE *Gospel*

CYCLE C



COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



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GOSPEL

Jesus told his friends to give a whole crowd of people something to eat. All they had was a little fish and bread. How could they possibly feed all those people with so little food? **God** gave them what they needed to help other people. When you want to help other people, trust God to give you what you need.



PRAYER

Dear God, with your power I can really help other people.



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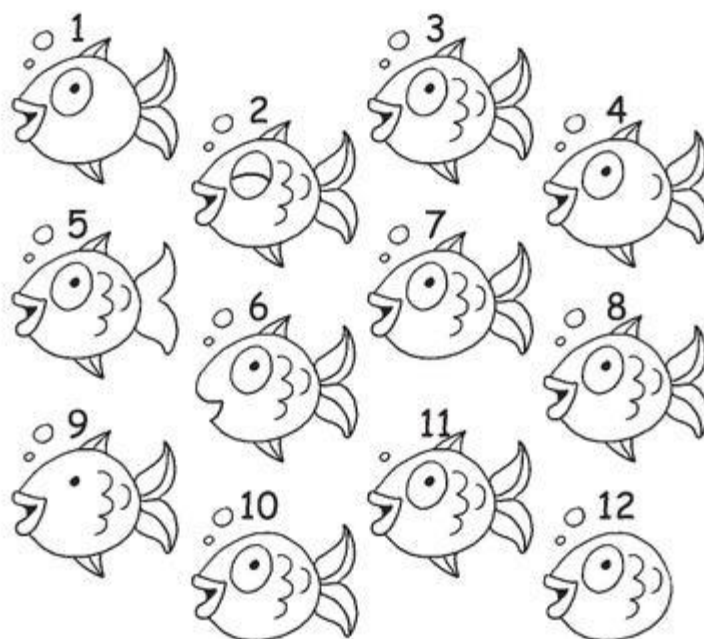
DRAW

Draw a picture of yourself sharing your lunch with a friend.



PUZZLE

Find the identical fish!



ANSWER IS NUMBER THREE AND NUMBER EIGHT



MISSION

If God has blessed your family with plenty of food to eat, make sure you also give food to people who are hungry.



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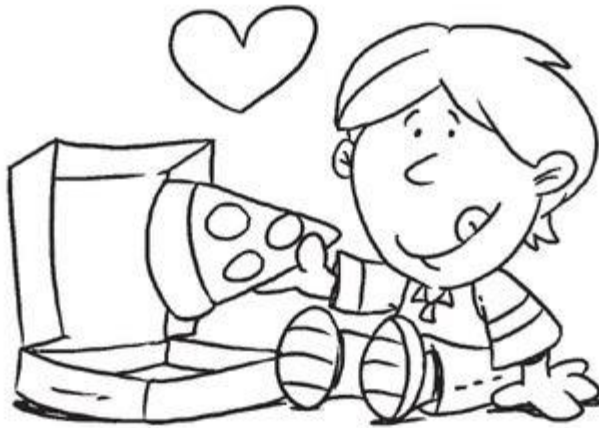


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GOSPEL

Everyone in class heard the priest tell the story about the loaves and fishes. The priest asked, "Does anyone have food to share?" Little Leoni said, "I have five pizzas and two gallons of tea." The teacher gave everyone a piece of pizza and a cup of tea. When they were full, everyone was amazed. There was one piece of pizza and a little tea left. They gave thanks to God.



PRAYER

Lord, thank you for the food you give me to eat.



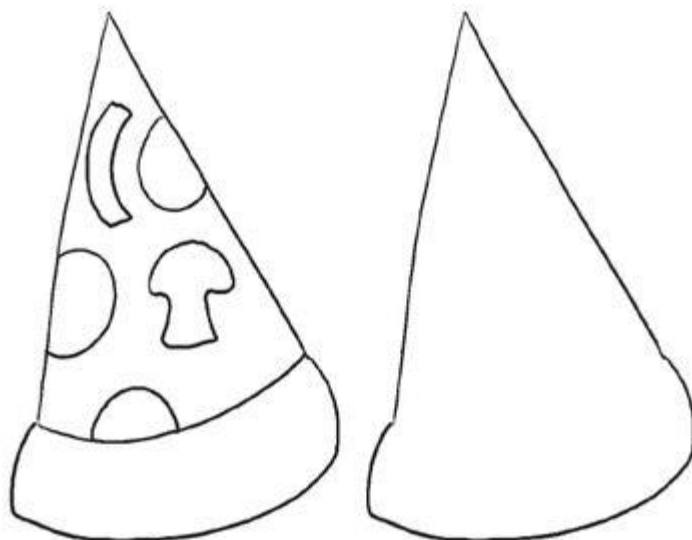
DRAW

Draw a smiling boy handing five loaves and two fish to Jesus.



PUZZLE

Draw the slice of pizza to match the first one.



MISSION

I will share all of my food with my family and friends.



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Intercession

As sisters and brothers in one loving family, together let us pray to our heavenly Father:

We pray for God's people throughout the world; that we may be living examples of his love.

Lord, hear our prayer...

We pray for the homeless, the hungry and all in need; that we may generously share whatever we have.

Lord, hear our prayer...

We pray for the sick and those who care for them; that they may know God's strength and comfort.

Lord, hear our prayer...

We pray for all who have died; that they may find eternal peace and happiness.

Lord, hear our prayer...

Knowing that our heavenly Father is listening, in the silence of our hearts let us share our own unspoken prayer with him.

Loving God,

Hear the prayers of your children and strengthen our faith and love for you and one another, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

We ask this in Jesus' name.

Amen