Year C - 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time Luke 12: 49-53

Hearts ablaze



This activity encourages children to consider the things that they are passionate about.

You will need:

- Plain paper A6-A5 size
- Coloured paper/ card (red/yellow/orange) (you may want to have these pre-cut in to large hearts)
- Coloured pens/pencils/crayons/pastels
- Scissors
- Glue sticks
- Hole punch
- Ribbons pre-cut into for 10-15cm
- Marker pens (optional)

Instructions:

- 1.On the plain paper, get the children to colour it in with the colours of fire (it doesn't need to be in the shape of a fire)
- 2. Then cut that page out into the shape of a heart. Glue that onto the coloured card and cut again into the shape of a larger heart (so there is a coloured border).
- 3. Use the hole punch to make a small hall in the top corner and feed the ribbon through and tie off to create a loop.
- 4.Ask the children to write on their hearts something that they are passionate about. They may want to include a question like 'What set's my heart a fire?' or 'What am I passionate about?'



Use crayons or pastels and draw thick lines of red, orange and yellow then blend the colours with your fingers (it would be helpful to have wet wipes or a handwashing station for afterwards.)