

Year A - 11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Matthew 9:36-10:8

Follow Jesus



Overview

Share the following with the children, then play the song on the video and finish with the closing prayer.

Use QR code, or search youtube for: *Sing Hosana, I have decided to follow Jesus.*



- To be a worker for God, is to be his friend. God is always there offering the hand of friendship to us because he loves us so much. He has great plans and hopes for our lives and knows that the best way for us to live our life to the full is if we are close to him.
- But the choice is always up to us. We can choose whether we will be a friend to Jesus and follow him, not just today or tomorrow, not just when we're little but for everyday of our lives.
- If you would like to be a friend to Jesus, you can say a little prayer to him now, in your own hearts. Something as simple as "Jesus, I will be your friend. I will follow you."
- *Give some time for the children to pray, then you may want to play the following video.*

Prayer

Jesus, thank you for everyone who is here today and thank you for the time we get to spend together.

Thank you for being a great friend to us, one who loves us more than we could ever know. If we made a promise to be your friend today, help us live that out everyday and help us share your great love with everyone we meet. Amen.