Year C - 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Luke 5: 1-11
Prayer Cards

Overview

Build upon one of the activities that you have done with the children and bring that into your prayer time.
Sit around it and talk to the children about the important choice they have made to follow Jesus today. If you haven't done so yet, share about your choice to follow Jesus and the impact it has had on your life.

Leaving it behind

If you did not do the 'leave it behind' activity, you may want to do a version of this for your prayer. Set up a prayer space with a cross or another symbol of Jesus, you can use a net in the set-up as well. Get the children to write out what they want to leave behind and lay it at the foot of the cross.

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A 'prayer experience' can let the perform a gesture that demonstrates their choice to follow God. This can be as simple as giving each child a candle that they can light from a central 'Christ' candle, or writing down a prayer and laying it at the foot of the cross.

Prayer Cards

You may want to commemorate this day with the children as a special day in their faith journey.

Share the prayer cards from the following page and write the date on the cards. The children can add these to moments they may have from their baptism, Sacraments and other important moments in their faith journey.





Today, __/__/__

I chose to follow Jesus.

Jesus, help me to choose you each and every day, just like you choose me. Amen.



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