ORTHODOX GLOBAL ONLINE SUNDAY SCHOOL (OGOSS)

(A wing of OSSAE)



Sunday School Curriculum for People of Determination



Shaphiro Curriculum

- Shaphiro Sunday School curriculum is designed for the People of Determination.
- Designed by the Orthodox Global Online Sunday School (OGOSS) - A wing of OSSAE for the Malankara Orthodox families with special needs children.



GRADE 5

Chapter 5

The second commandment of "The Ten Commandments"



Preparation for the chapter The second commandment of "The Ten Commandments"

Lesson Outline

- End the heathen worship and refrain from pagan beliefs and worshipping pictures or idols.
- An icon is a memorial to the history of important spiritual events. When we honor an icon, we honor those whom it represents.
- The Church wants to teach us that those who departed are not absent.
- The icons satisfy our feelings, raise the soul up to heaven. They encourage the worshippers to indulge themselves in the spiritual life.
- The icons are venerated. That is not idolatry. The Lord Jesus became the Icon through whom we can see the Heavenly Father who is One with Him in Essence.
- We only worship God but we honor St. Mary and the saints. The icons in the church are a reminder of the victorious path of the saints.



Word Bank

• Icon



Church



Idol worship



Honor



Saints



• Picture





Objective: Emphasizing the Worship of God alone and rejecting the idols of the present age.



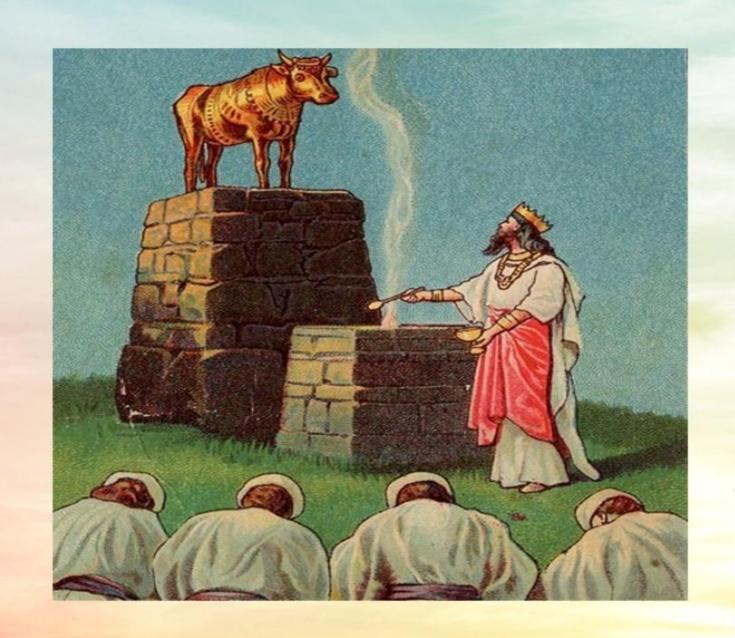


Memory Verse: "For I, the Lord your God, am a jealous God" (Exodus 20:5)





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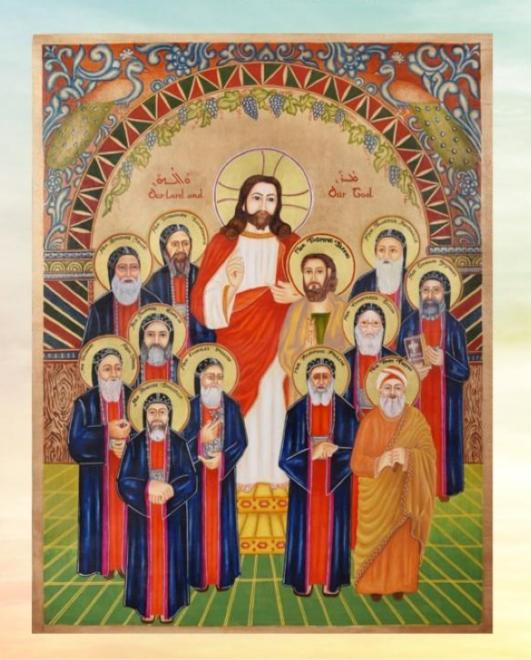


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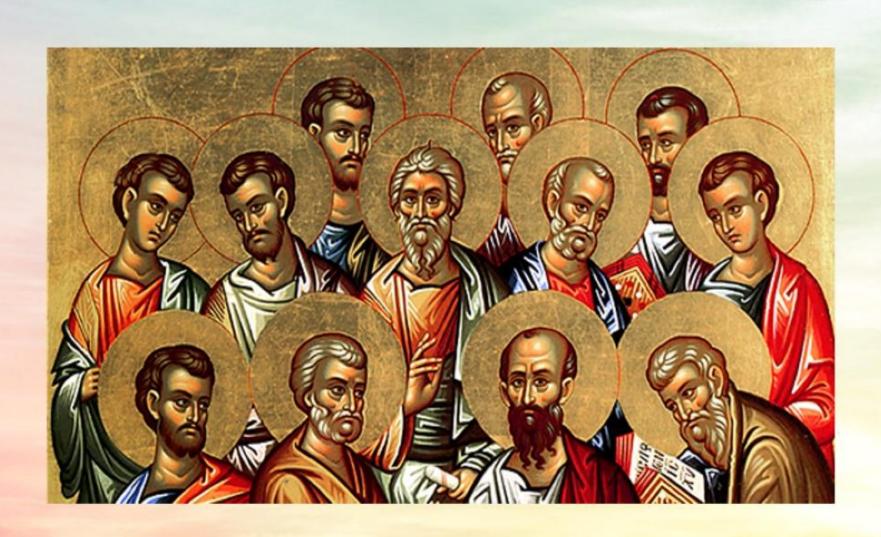
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Resources



Activities: Customize according to student's abilities, speech, fine and gross motor skills.

- Colouring
- > Painting
- > Music
- ➤ Games

