

# Sunday Mass Reflection for Kids (7-12 years old)



#### **Before Mass**

#### **Gospel Preview:**

- What is today's Gospel about?
  - ☐ A story about Jesus' life?
  - □ A parable (a story Jesus told to teach a lesson)?
  - □ Something Jesus did or said?
- What do you think Jesus wants us to learn from today's Gospel?
- Write down or draw a picture of what you think Jesus might be teaching us.



### **During Mass**

#### Listening to the Readings:

- First Reading:
  - □ What did you hear? (Write a word or draw a picture of something you remember from the First Reading.)
- Responsorial Psalm:
  - □ Did you join in the response? What words did you repeat? (Write the words you remember.)
- Second Reading:
  - □ What is one thing you heard or remember from the Second Reading? (Write a word or draw a picture.)

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- Gospel:
  - □ What did Jesus say or do in today's Gospel?(Write or draw your favorite part.)
- Homily Reflection:
  - What did the priest talk about in the homily?
    - □ A lesson from the Gospel?
    - ☐ A story that helped explain the Gospel?
    - □ Something we should do this week?
  - ▶ What is one thing you learned from the homily?
    - ☐ Write down or draw a picture of what stood out to you.

#### **After Mass**



#### **Discussion Questions:**

- What was your favorite part of today's Mass?
  - ☐ The songs we sang?
  - □ The readings or Gospel?
  - □ Receiving a blessing or Communion?
- What can you do this week to live out what you learned at Mass?
  - ☐ Be kinder to your siblings or friends?
  - □ Pray more often?
  - □ Help someone in need?
- Prayer Time:
  - Thank Jesus for something special that happened at Mass today.
    - □ Write down your prayer of thanks or say it out loud.
  - ▶ Ask Jesus to help you with something this week.
    - ☐ Write down what you're asking for or say it out loud.

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## **Weekly Action Plan**

- This week, I will...
  - ☐ Try to remember and practice what I learned from today's Gospel and homily.
  - □ Pray every day, asking Jesus to help me with what I need.
  - Help someone in my family or at school as a way to live out my faith.



## **Bonus Activity**

- Saint of the Week:
  - ▶ Who is the saint we celebrate this week?
    - ☐ Write down or draw something about this saint.
    - ☐ How can you be more like this saint?