



Sixth Sunday of Easter

May 2025

John 14:23-29

You can share a variety of liturgies linked to this week's gospel with your child at home.

You can find weekly Gospel Liturgies from The Mark 10 Mission by clicking on the link [here](#).

You can also share the Children's Liturgy from Redemptorist Publications with the Dominican Sisters of St Joseph by clicking this link [here](#).

Check this newsletter regularly for other links to liturgies designed for children.

Each week, you can download a weekly Bible verse from *The God Who Speaks* website.

[Click here](#) to access the Weekly Bible Verse archive.



Jesus said to his disciples:

"Whoever loves me will obey my teaching. My Father will love him, and my Father and I will come to him and live with him. Whoever does not love me does not obey my teaching. And the teaching you have heard is not mine, but comes from the Father, who sent me.

"I have told you this while I am still with you. The Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and make you remember all that I have told you.

"Peace is what I leave with you; it is my own peace that I give you. I do not give it as the world does. Do not be worried and upset; do not be afraid. You heard me say to you, 'I am leaving, but I will come back to you.' If you loved me, you would be glad that I am going to the Father; for he is greater than I. I have told you this now before it all happens, so that when it does happen, you will believe."

(Gospel passage taken from Good News Translation® and used with permission)



Today Jesus gives his disciples a very special gift. Can you remember what that gift is?

Jesus gives his disciples peace. And he tells his disciples not to be afraid.

Can you think of a time when you were fighting or arguing with someone? How did you feel?

Can you remember a time when other people were arguing near you? How did you feel then?

Can you remember a time when you stopped fighting with someone and made friends with them again?

Or when the argument near you ended and the people forgave each other? How did that feel?

CAFOD is a part of a family of Catholic charities around the world called Caritas. CAFOD is supporting their Caritas sisters and brothers to reach communities in need in Ukraine and neighbouring countries because of the war.

Some children in other countries around the world where there is lots of fighting or violence go to peace clubs. These clubs focus on sport, music or dancing to bring different children together somewhere safe and to help them to learn to live peacefully together. This helps to build peace in their community.

How do you think you can build peace? Think about how you speak to and treat others you disagree with, or how you could be friendly to someone who doesn't have many friends?

What could you do to stop someone else from being unkind to others? Or how could you let people in power know that you would like to live in a peaceful world?

How will you share the gift of peace this week in your community? And around the world?

Art can help
bring the
Gospel to
life for
children.



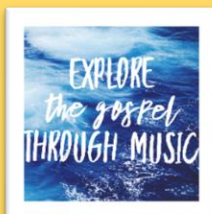
You may find the
website [Christian Art](#) enjoyable to
explore with your child. Each day they
share artwork linked to the daily
Gospel.

**Whoever keeps my
commandments, he it is who
loves me
John 14:21-26**

**The Peasant Lawyer,
Painted by Pieter Breughel the
Younger (1564-1638),
Painted circa 1620
Oil on panel
© Grohmann Museum at
Milwaukee School of
Engineering, Milwaukee**



We can worship and pray through
Music. For this week's Gospel, enjoy
listening to both traditional and
contemporary worship music!



Traditional: [This Is My
Body](#) by Jimmy Owens and Damian Lundy.

Traditional: [A New Commandment](#) by Roy
Crabtree

Contemporary: [Love Is On The Move](#) by Leeland

Contemporary: [One Thing Remains](#) (Your Love
Never Fails) by Jesus Culture

Contemporary: [Reckless Love](#) by Cory Asbury



You can now access the
Ten:Ten Parent Portal
at home with the details
below.

**Ten:Ten
Resources**

Username: st-michaels-
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Password: thames-orange
Parent Portal:

www.tentenresources.co.uk/parent-portal



YouCat is a guide to the Catechism of the Catholic Church for children. It is an
easy read and a user friendly guide for parents
and carers to support their children.

You can find out more about YouCat at www.youcat.org

Catholic Social Teaching:

*Which principle do you think the gospel teaching best relate to
this week?*

**DIGNITY SOLIDARITY THE COMMON GOOD THE OPTION FOR THE POOR PEACE
CARE FOR CREATION THE DIGNITY OF WORK AND PARTICIPATION**



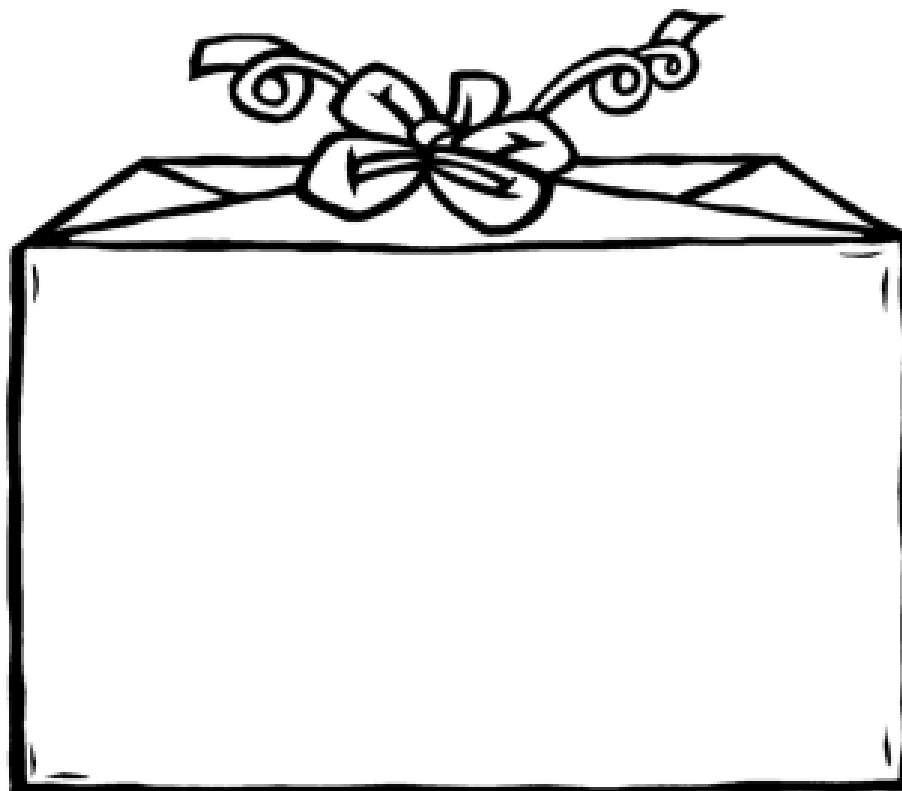
This week's Gospel activity sheet from [CAFOD](#):

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Gospel: John 14:23-26

Peace I give you..

This is my gift to you.





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May 2025 – Liturgical Calendar			
Day	Date	Celebration	Rank
Thursday	1	Weekday of Easter or St Joseph the Worker	
Friday	2	St Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church	memorial
Saturday	3	Ss Philip and James, Apostles	feast
Sunday	4	3rd Sunday of Easter	Week III
Monday	5	Weekday of Easter or St Asaph	feast (W)
Tuesday	6	Weekday of Easter	
Wednesday	7	Weekday of Easter	
Thursday	8	Weekday of Easter	
Friday	9	Weekday of Easter	
Saturday	10	Weekday of Easter or St John De Avila, Priest and Doctor of the Church	
Sunday	11	4th Sunday of Easter	Week IV
Monday	12	Weekday of Easter or St Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs or St Pancras, Martyr	
Tuesday	13	Weekday of Easter or Our Lady of Fatima	
Wednesday	14	St Matthias, Apostle	feast
Thursday	15	Weekday of Easter	
Friday	16	Weekday of Easter	
Saturday	17	Weekday of Easter	
Sunday	18	5th Sunday of Easter	Week V
Monday	19	Weekday of Easter or St Dunstan, Archbishop of Canterbury	
Tuesday	20	Weekday of Easter or St Bernadine of Siena	
Wednesday	21	Weekday of Easter or Ss Christopher Magallanes, Priest, and companions, Martyrs	
Thursday	22	Weekday of Easter or St Rita of Cascia, Religious	
Friday	23	Weekday of Easter	
Saturday	24	Weekday of Easter	
Sunday	25	6th Sunday of Easter	Week VI
Monday	26	St Philip Neri, Priest	
Tuesday	27	(Weekday of Easter (W) or) St Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop	feast (E)
Wednesday	28	Weekday of Easter	
Thursday	29	The Ascension of the Lord	solemnity
Friday	30	Weekday of Easter	
Saturday	31	The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	feast
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