

Saint Paul Teaches About Love

SORRY I BROKE THIS. I FORGIVE YOU.



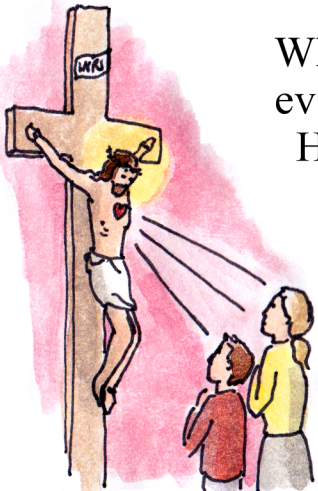
In today's second reading St. Paul tells us what real love is like. It is patient, kind, and forgiving, and it rejoices in the truth. Love never fails! No matter how important you are, or talented, or smart, what really makes you great is loving others.

Who do you love? Can you love someone who bothers you or doesn't like you? Love isn't just a nice feeling about somebody. It means deciding to want what is best for that person. You really can love people that you don't get along with! It's a decision that you can make.

LET'S PLAY A GAME YOU LIKE!



Who was the most loving person ever? Jesus! Think of how much He must have loved us to die on the cross for us even though we hurt Him by our sins! Every day tell Jesus that you love Him, and show it to Him by loving the people around you.



Answers to Love: True or False? 1.false 2.true 3.true 4.false 5.false 6.false 7.true

The Kids' Bulletin

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Luke: 4.21-30

Jesus' neighbours got upset with Him when He said that they wouldn't appreciate a prophet from their own town. But when they tried to throw Him off a cliff, He walked right through the crowd and went away.

Can you find Jesus in this crowd?

Saint Paul Miki and Companions February 6

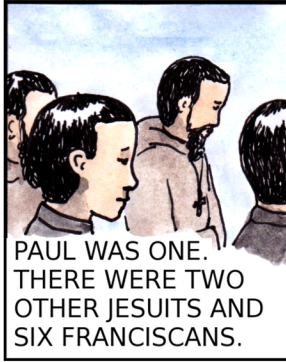
SAINT PAUL MIKI WAS A YOUNG JAPANESE MAN IN THE 1500'S. HE STUDIED IN THE JESUIT SCHOOLS AND BECAME A JESUIT.



HE BECAME AN EXCELLENT PREACHER. SOON THE EMPEROR BECAME SUSPICIOUS OF THE CHRISTIANS.



26 CHRISTIANS WERE MARCHED 600 MILES AND TORTURED ALONG THE WAY.



PAUL WAS ONE. THERE WERE TWO OTHER JESUITS AND SIX FRANCISCANS.

THERE WERE ALSO TRADESMEN AND THREE ALTAR BOYS.



ALL OF THEM WERE TIED AND CHAINED TO CROSSES ON A HILL NEAR NAGASAKI.



AS HE HUNG ON THE CROSS, SAINT PAUL ENCOURAGED THE PEOPLE TO ASK JESUS TO HELP THEM. HE ALSO FORGAVE THE MEN WHO KILLED HIM.

WHEN CHRISTIAN MISSIONARIES CAME TO JAPAN AGAIN IN THE 1800'S, AT FIRST THEY THOUGHT THERE WERE NO CHRISTIANS THERE, BUT THEN THEY FOUND THEM PRACTICING THEIR FAITH SECRETLY. OUR LORD USES THE SACRIFICE OF THE MARTYRS TO STRENGTHEN THE FAITH OF OTHER CHRISTIANS.

Love: True or False?

*Do you know what Saint Paul taught us about love?
See if you know which are true and which are false,
according to today's second reading...*

1. Love sometimes fails. True or false?
2. If I have faith enough to move mountains but don't have love I am nothing. True or false?
3. Love is patient and kind. True or false?
4. Love is jealous. True or false?
5. If I can prophesy and understand all mysteries but I don't have love then I'm still great. True or false?
6. When you love then you are mostly interested in taking care of yourself. True or false?
7. The three most important virtues are faith, hope and love, but love is the greatest. True or false?

1 Cor. 12.31 – 13.13

