

CATECHESIS@HOME 2021 #17

"LITTLE GIRL, GET UP!"

(13th Sunday of Ordinary Time)



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INTRODUCTION

This material has been prepared to provide families an opportunity to gather and spend time reflecting and discussing about the scripture readings of 13th Sunday of Ordinary Time.

HOW TO USE THE MATERIAL

This document contains activities that members of the family may complete individually (just the children), in pairs (with parental assistance), or as an entire family. It would be helpful to print a hard-copy, so that members of your family may carry out different activities at the same time.

WHEN TO USE THE MATERIAL

During the week after the family has celebrated the Mass of 13th Sunday of Ordinary Time

OPENING PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we thank you for the gift of each one gathered here in your presence today. Thank you, Lord Jesus, for bringing us the gift of life and faith. Holy Spirit, the Spirit of Peace, guide us during this family gathering. We make this prayer in Jesus' name, Amen.



SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

Invite someone to read Mark 5:21-23, 35-43. Then, as a family reflect on the questions given below and share your responses with one another. If necessary, parents are encouraged to rephrase the information and questions according to their children's level of understanding.

Time of reflection and response:

Do you remember a time when you or your loved one was very ill or in deep trouble? When Jairus saw that his child was dying, he went to Jesus for help.

Who do I turn to when I need help? Why?

Before Jesus could reach Jairus' home, some people came and told him to give up, because his daughter was dead. However, Jesus ignored them and said, "Do not fear, just believe".

Have I ever wanted to give up when people discouraged me or laughed at me? What is Jesus saying to me in such times?

Jesus went into the room where the child lay, took her by the hand and said to her "Little girl, get up!" - The girl got up at once.

In times of difficulty and hopelessness, especially during this pandemic, do I believe that Jesus can really make a difference in my life? Can I trust God to take care of me and my family during this time?

Jesus asks us to have faith and to believe in him, especially when we are in trouble. He promised that the Holy Spirit would always be with us to help us and we will one day be united with him in heaven. No matter what difficulty we might face in life, we remember his promise and continue to trust and follow him.

Say together as a family:

"Lord Jesus, you came down from heaven that we might have life in your name. You ask us to believe and to put our hope in you. We know that you love us and watch over us always. May we continue to grow in our faith and follow you, especially in times of trouble."

FOLLOW-UP ACTIVITIES

Below you will find some activities for younger children, revolving around the first reading and the Gospel passage. Select the activities you would like to complete with your children, or try to complete them all if you can!

Activity #1: Find the Words.

Jesus Raises a Dead Girl

While Jesus was still speaking, some people came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. "Your daughter is dead," they said. "Why bother the teacher anymore?" Overhearing what they said, Jesus told him, "Don't be afraid; just believe." Mark 5:35-43 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Mark 5:35-43



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W A L K E D H E I I G E N A O
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G B P O S K I E L Z T O O H S
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H J S C U W K V W Y G D U D R
S Q R L D K E Y D C Q X E E H
A R C O E I T H H W A W T S N
F W I P L E S T O O D H J D N
R M Q E P I P R H A G F E E E
A R B M O H W S E U N I A N K
I G Y Z W S G D A I C H I L D
D E T H Y L Y D Z H E N C N D

CROWD	WALKED	CRYING	ASLEEP	LAUGHED
BELIEVE	CHILD	DEAD	DAUGHTER	HEALED
SYNAGOGUE	HANDS	LIVE	AFRAID	STOOD

Activity #2: Break the Code

Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.

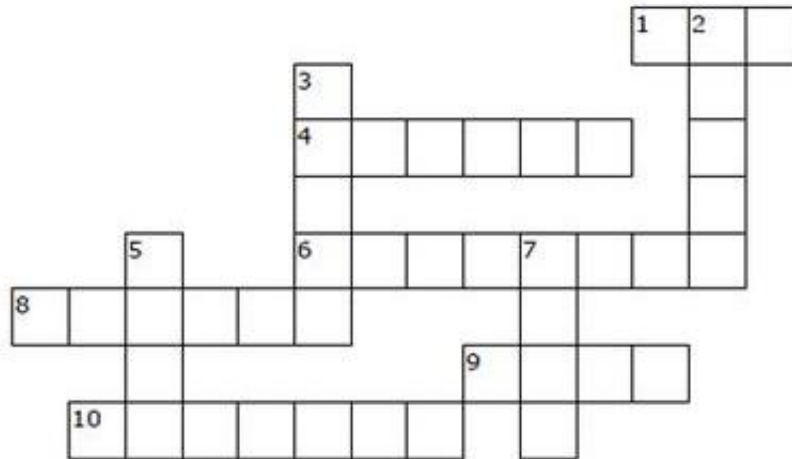
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- 17-21-1-4-22-13-18 _____
- 14-3-6-6-18 _____
- 23-21-17-20-13-18 _____

CRYING	BELIEVE	DAUGHTER	HEALED	ASLEEP
AFRAID	STOOD	LAUGHED	WALKED	DYING

Activity #4: Solve the puzzle

Complete the crossword puzzle below.



ACROSS

1. To shed tears; to be tearful
4. To be filled with fear
6. A female offspring
8. A ruler in the synagogue who had a daughter who was dying
9. Taking steps with the feet
10. To accept something as being true

DOWN

2. A leader or someone who governs
3. The part of the human body used for grasping and holding
5. To be alive; exist
7. To make someone well; restore to health

WALK	DAUGHTER	AFRAID	HANDS	JARIUS
LIVE	BELIEVE	RULER	CRY	HEAL

Activity #5: Unscramble the message.

Unscramble the words in the boxes. Complete the sentence below using the letters in the numbered boxes to find out what Jesus said to Jairus' daughter.

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GYNCRI
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8 4 12

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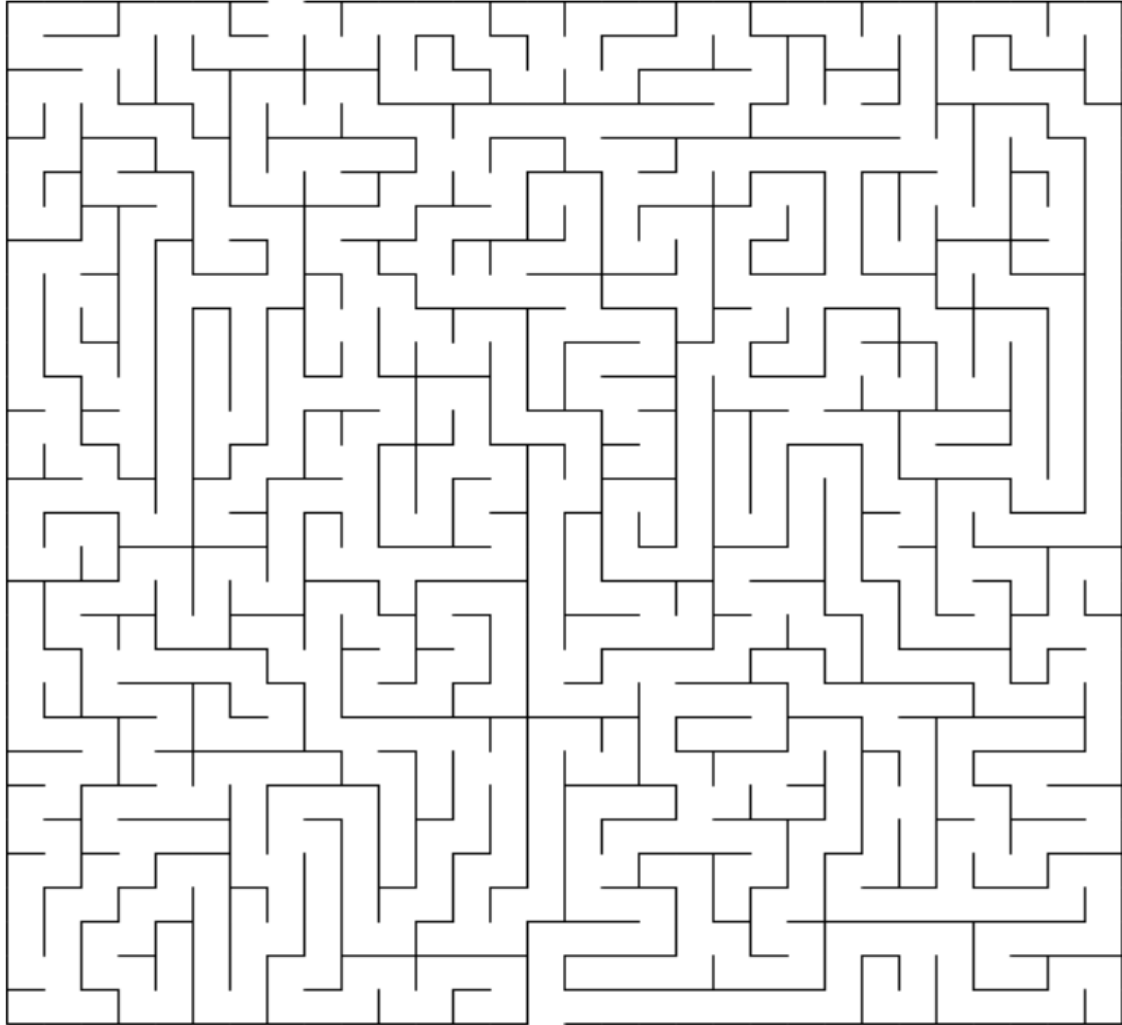
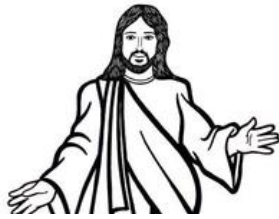
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Mark 5:41-42



Activity #6: Help Jesus get to Jairus' house.



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Activity #7: Find the Words

There Is Power in a Touch

"If I just touch his clothes, I will be healed." Mark 5:28

Based on Mark 5:25-34 (NIV)



D B P V P F Z R L F F A I T H
X C C A E L E T Q G E R V K E
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Y P R C T P E N V U Q D R A X
S O V E F D A U G H T E R P S
W W B T Y M L E E J H X Y I W
P E W P O D B L E E D I N G Y
A R F W D T O U K S F T H T E
Z H L E T E L C E U U D L R A
U T P A W F C A T S V Q P S R
Y N E P E Z R L G O N E H U S
Z B A K L K R E O N R C P F J
I W C U V K T O E A U S D F I
H I E Z E L E F W O K M E E U
Q E T R U T H K T P A R G R E

SUFFER	FEAR	WOMAN	WORSE	FAITH
PEACE	FREE	YEARS	DAUGHTER	TRUTH
DOCTORS	TOUCH	BLEEDING	HEAL	GONE
CLOAK	TWELVE	POWER	BETTER	JESUS

Activity #8: Break the Code

There Is Power in a Touch

"If I just touch his clothes, I will be healed." Mark 5:28

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
A	X	K	H	O	M	T	W	P	E	U	S	R	F	Z	D	I	L	B	C	G	J	V	N	Q	Y

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- 7-5-11-20-4 _____
- 19-18-10-10-16-17-24-21 _____
- 16-5-20-7-5-13 _____
- 14-1-17-7-4 _____
- 19-5-16-26 _____
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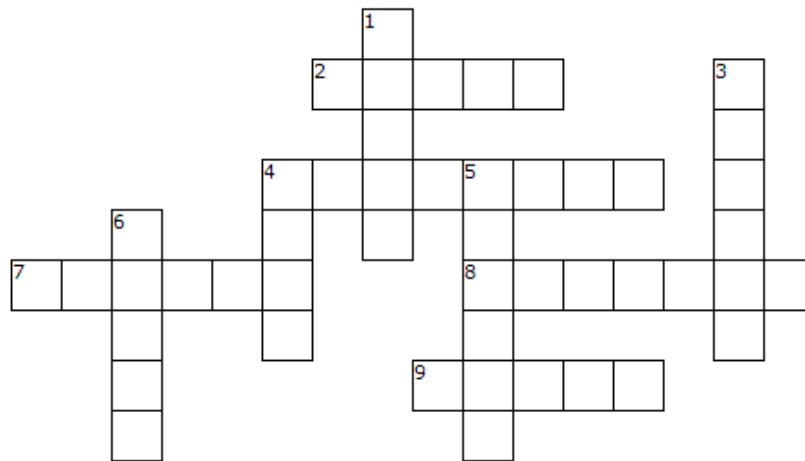
DOCTOR	FAITH	TOUCH	SUFFER	CLOTHES
WOMAN	BODY	BLEEDING	HEALED	POWER

Activity #9: Solve the puzzle.

There Is Power in a Touch

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Based on Mark 5:25-34 (NIV)



ACROSS

2. To put the fingers lightly on something
4. Losing blood from a cut or a sore
7. To be cured or restored to health
8. The things you wear to cover your body
9. A human adult female

DOWN

1. Physical strength or force
3. To experience physical or mental pain
4. The main, physical part of a person
5. A person who treats people who are sick or injured
6. To believe in something you cannot see

FAITH	BLEEDING	SUFFER	BODY	WOMAN
DOCTOR	HEALED	CLOTHES	TOUCH	POWER

Activity #10: Coloring Page.

