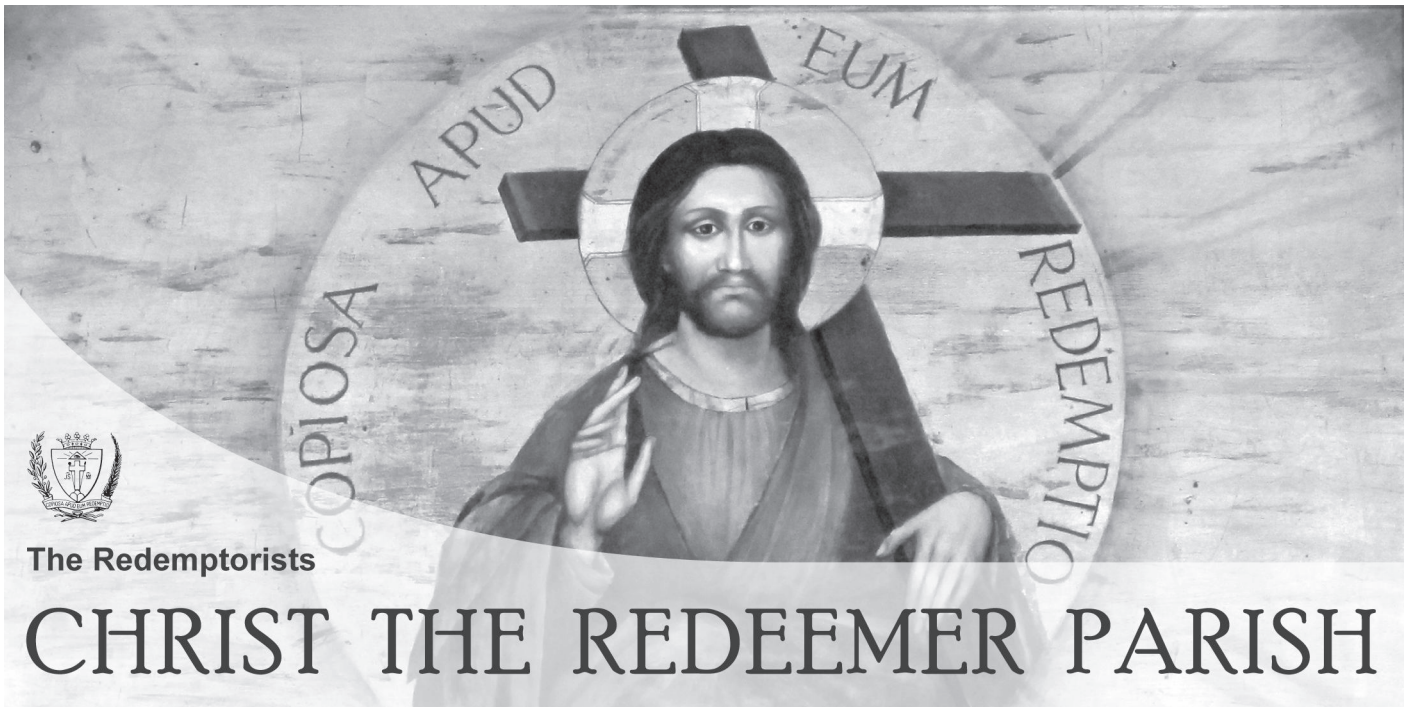


March 8, 2015

3rd Sunday of Lent



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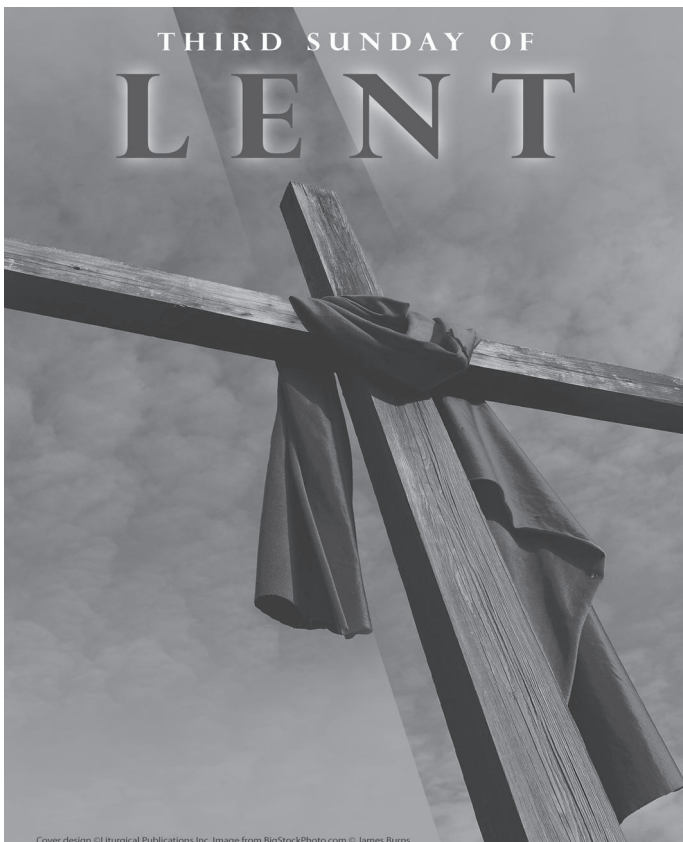
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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Christ the King Worship Site

Monday - 7:30 – 8:30 AM & Tuesday 7:00 – 8:00 PM

Sacred Heart Worship Site

Saturday - 8:30 – 9:00 AM - Our Lady of Częstochowa Chapel

CONFESSIONS

(English & Polish)

Christ the King Worship Site

Monday – Friday – 6:30AM; Saturdays – 3:30PM

Sacred Heart Worship Site

Wednesdays & First Friday—6:30 to 7:00PM

Saturdays – 11:30AM to 12:30PM and 4:45 to 5:45PM

OFFICE HOURS

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 9:00AM to 3:00PM.
Office closed on Thursdays. Saturdays and Evenings: By Appointment.

MASS INTENTIONS

Monday, March 9 (Poniedziałek) – Frances of Rome

- CTK - 7:00AM †Rev. James J. McConnell
SH - 8:00AM †Maria i Piotr Kurasiński r/o son & family
CTK - 11:00AM †Marie Krachun r/o Mary Carol & Bernadette
CTK - 12:00PM Recitation of the Rosary & Divine Mercy Devotions
SH - 7:00PM Retreat Service in English

Tuesday, March 10 (Wtorek)

- CTK - 7:00AM †Lillian Yusiewicz r/o Bill & Marlene Wright
SH - 8:00AM †Maria i Piotr Kurasiński r/o son & family
SH - 11:00AM Mass and OLPH Novena in English
CTK - 6:00PM Outdoor Stations of the Cross in English

Wednesday, March 11 (Środa)

- CTK - 7:00AM †Jeffrey Hussey r/o CtK HSA
SH - 11:00AM †Maria i Piotr Kurasiński r/o son & family
CTK - 7:00PM Closing Retreat Mass in English
SH - 7:00PM OLPH Novena in Polish

Thursday, March 12 (Czwartek)

- CTK - 7:00AM †Maria i Piotr Kurasiński r/o son & family
SH - 8:00AM †Edward Rzekec r/o daughter
SH - 11:00AM †Walter Pacyna r/o family

Friday, March 13 (Piątek) – Day of Abstinence

- CTK - 7:00AM †Maria i Piotr Kurasiński r/o son & family
SH - 11:00AM †Benjamin Szymanski Jr. r/o Lucash Family
SH - 11:30AM Divine Mercy Devotion in English
CTK - 4:00PM Stations of the Cross in English
SH - 6:30PM Stations of the Cross in Polish
SH - 7:00PM †Teofil Kulesza r/o son

Saturday, March 14 (Sobota)

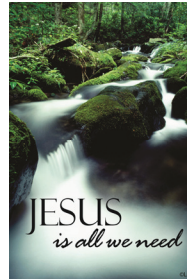
- SH - 8:00AM †Barbara Bukovecky r/o family
SH - 11:00AM †Wladyslaw & Aniela Korzeniowski r/o estate
CTK - 3:30PM Adoration
CTK - 4:30PM †Maria i Piotr Kurasiński r/o son & family
SH - 6:00PM †Vincent Zujkowski r/o wife & children

4th Sunday of Lent, March 15 (Niedziela)

- SH - 7:00AM †Piotr Szeremeta (Anniv.) r/o family
CTK - 8:30AM For the People of the Parish
SH - 8:30AM †Theresa Fiduk (Anniv.) r/o children
SH - 10:00AM †Living & Deceased Members of the Altar Rosary Society
CTK - 10:30AM †Maria i Piotr Kurasiński r/o son & family
SH - 11:30AM †Jacek Nowak r/o family
SH - 5:00PM Gorzkie Żale in Polish
SH - 5:45PM †Kazimierz Wiercinski (Anniv.) r/o wife

The Sanctuary Lamp in Christ the King will burn this week for the repose of the soul of **JoAnn D'Alessio** at the request of Courtney Wood.

The Altar Bread & Wine in Christ the King is consecrated this week in memory of **JoAnn D'Alessio** at the request of Barb Demchak and Brett Wood.



Jesus answered and said to her, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again; but whoever drinks the water I shall give will never thirst; the water I shall give will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life." - Jn 4:13-14

3RD SUNDAY OF LENT

"While he was in Jerusalem for the feast of Passover, many began to believe in his name when they saw the signs he was doing." How we would love to see those signs! How easy it would be for us to believe if we too could witness Jesus healing the sick, feeding the multitudes, calming the storm. It's tempting to imagine that faith was a simple thing back in those days. We might be inclined to think that we don't have the same benefits as those first believers, and so faith is harder in our day and age. But is it, really?

In truth, we have an advantage that none of those people had: two thousand years of Church history! Two millennia of faithful, prayerful Christians believing in Jesus and spreading the Gospel; the collective witness of the saints--many of whom have also worked "signs" in Jesus' name; the effects of the Church on culture and the world through its schools, its hospitals, its spiritual movements, and religious institutions; the unbroken line of apostolic succession that traces back to the time of Christ. Just the fact alone that the Church is still alive and well in spite of all of its sinful members ought to be miracle enough for us.

But even with all of this testimony, it's important to remember that seeing signs and believing in Jesus are not the same thing. Even those who witnessed Jesus' miracles had to take the next step by choosing to accept him as their Lord. Ultimately, all of these convincing details are not the point. The point is to encounter Jesus on a personal level. The signs may open the door to bring us closer to him, but it's up to us to walk through that door. May we walk so as to come "to believe the Scripture."

MARCH

MONDAY, MARCH 9

GUITAR LESSONS FOR CHILDREN – Sacred Heart auditorium – 3:30 – 6PM. A small fee will be due. For more information call the parish office.

TUESDAY, MARCH 10

OUTDOOR STATIONS OF THE CROSS - 6:00PM. Beginning at Christ the King Worship Site and walking to Sacred Heart Worship Site. Soup will be served in the SH auditorium after.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12

CHOIR PRACTICE – 7:30PM in the church.

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

CHILDREN'S CHOIR PRACTICE – 4-5PM in Sacred Heart Church. **NEW MEMBERS ARE VERY WELCOME.**

NEXT WEEKEND, MARCH 14 & 15

THE SECOND COLLECTION taken up after Holy Communion will be for **EASTER FLOWERS**. Please be generous.

PREGNANCY AID CENTER DONATION WEEKEND - helps mothers and babies in need. Please place the items in the bins in the vestibule. They are especially in need of diapers, all sizes from newborn through size 5. They can also use new layette items, wipes, baby wash and other baby items.

PIEROGI will be on sale after all Masses.

NEXT SUNDAY, MARCH 15

60+ GET-TOGETHER from 2 to 4 p.m. at the St. John Neumann Center. If you have not yet signed up, please call Dolores Finlan at 334-7273 or Kathy Tartaglione at 874-8323.

SOCCER FOR CHILDREN AND PARENTS - 2-4PM – Christ the King School gym. For more information call Fr. Slavek at 908-456-1953.

Ogłoszenia Parafialne

PONIEDZIAŁEK, 9 MARZEC

LEKCJE GITARY - godz. 15.30; próba polskiej scholi dziecięcej - godz. 18.00.

NIEDZIELA, 15 MARZEC

Druga taca przeznaczona jest na Easter Flowers. Bóg zapłać za złożone ofiary.

PIŁKA NOŻNA DLA DZIECI I RODZICÓW w godz od 14:00 do 16:00 na sali gimnastycznej w szkole CtK.. Szczegółowych informacji udziela i zgłoszenia przyjmuje O. Slavek 908-456-1953. **Zapraszamy!**

Weekly Vocation Prayer Schedule

Sunday:	Dolores Finlan
Monday:	Helen Shelton
Tuesday:	Katlyn Hart
Wednesday:	John Tardy
Thursday:	Jennie Bartus
Friday:	Jeff Hart
Saturday:	Edwina Andreyko & Helen Michno

PARISH RETREAT IN ENGLISH

DAY	CHRIST THE KING WORSHIP SITE	SACRED HEART WORSHIP SITE
Sunday, March 8 th	8:30AM – Mass & Sermon 10:30AM – Mass & Sermon	10:00AM – Mass & Sermon 7:00PM – Retreat Service
Monday, March 9 th	11:00AM – Mass & Sermon	7:00PM – Retreat Service
Tuesday, March 10 th	6:00PM – Outdoor Way of the Cross	11:00AM – Mass & OLPH Novena
Wednesday, March 11 th	7:00PM – Closing Mass	11:00AM – Mass & Sermon

PARISH RETREAT PRAYER

God, Our Father, we offer you praise and thanksgiving for all the many gifts you have given us through Jesus, Your Son. We thank you especially for the gift of our Parish Retreat.

Loving and gracious God, quiet our minds and hearts, That we may be open to the gift of your truth.

Grant that our Retreat may be:

A time of Grace of all, A time of growth for the young,

A time of refreshment for the old, A time of renewal for families,

A time of healing for the broken, A time of joy for the sorrowing,

A time of challenge for the complacent, A time of forgiveness for the sinner, A time of strength for the holy, A time of homecoming for those who have been away.

Grant, most loving God that our Retreat may bring down your richest blessings on each and every member of our parish community.

We pray through the intercession of Mary, Our Mother of Perpetual Help, in the name of Jesus who lives with you and the Holy Spirit forever. Amen.



We ask you for your prayers for the health of those in need, especially: Mae Abrams, Toni Antonelli, Mary Bogdan, Cecelia Bok, John Bontempo, Shawn Brickley, Lorraine Burkoski, Steve Bush, Bill Caswell, Margaret Cebula, Chester

Cejnowski, Luke Chartowich, Vincent Chiusano, Palo Cizmar, Pat Cobo, Allison Collins, Kaiden Crothwer, John Dombey, Dorothy Dinsmore, Mary Evancho, Joseph Fallon, Helen Fedor, Helen Gazo, Julia Gekosky, Dorothy Gluch, Maryann Hughes, Raul Jaime, Joanna Jasontek, Estelle Kaminski, Stephen Kenosky, Dennis Koslowski, Theresa Kraska, Wiktoria Lach, Rita Lagasse, Janice Lalley, Cheyenne Licardi, Josephine Martens, Joe Matisak, Gerry McCormick, Quaid Mobus, Alexander Monto, Adeline Morgan, Mai Nguyen, Hunter Norz, Dolores Novicky, Robert Petsko, Skip Picciano, Marie Piorkowski, Steven Pirello, Mark Pschar, Normand Rivard, Jenny Rodgers, Donna & Robert Roman, Jerry Russell, Jr., John Scanlon, Pat Sherwood, Emil Simon, Eric Slaight, Victoria Soika, Andy Soltis, Albert Stanski, Zdzislaw Szczepanski, Rose Tabbitt, Virginia Tamburini, William Tomaszfski, Joe Tomko, Marilyn Trilone, Beverly Ulicny, Pauline Vantaggi, Helen Vrabel, Natalie Walkoviak, Cindy Weigel, Raymond Wisniewski, Joann Zielinski, Carl Zujkowski, Maria Zurawiecki, and Regina Zydalis.

**God of all consolation give life and health to our sisters and brothers for whom we pray in your Holy Name.
Amen.**



Our Men and Women in the Service

Please pray for all of our men and women serving in the Armed forces, especially

- Captain Christopher Bartok*
- PFC Matthew T. Bowden USMC*
- PFC Jacob R. Caswell USMC*
- Staff Sargeant Francis Fiduk III*
- Pvt. Christopher Foley*
- PFC Joshua Hussey*
- Captain James A. Jablonski Jr.*
- Gunnery Sergeant Jeff Morella USMC*
- PFC Joshua Rivard*
- Commander Peter G. Rybski, Jr.*
- PFC Steven Ubry*
- CMA Mark J. Walyga*
- PFC Brian J. Zarnowski*

Please let us know if you have a family member who is serving in the military and we will acknowledge them in our weekly bulletin. Please share the good news with us when one of the above soldiers returns home!



**CHRIST THE KING
SCHOOL NEWS**

Phone: 908-526-1339 Fax: 908-526-3541
Christine Benson, Principal
Donna Peltack, Secretary
Karen Koloski, Business Manager – 908-231-1330

SHOP WITH SCRIP GIFT CARDS

Gift Cards are available for various retailers. Submit your order with a check payable to Christ the Redeemer Parish. Please include your phone number. Orders are placed every other week and delivered the following weekend. Some cards are available for immediate sale. Our next sale will be February 8th after all the Masses at both Worship Sites and again February 21 and 22. Profit will go to Christ the King School. **Help Wanted: Volunteers are needed** for 10-15 minutes after Mass at both worship sites to assist with selling gift cards. Contact the parish office at 908-725-0072 and leave a message for Barbara Demchak.

BOX TOP LABELS/CAMPBELL LABELS

Please save your box top labels as well as Campbell's labels. At Christ the King Church please drop them in the box provided. At Sacred Heart Church, for the time being, please drop them in the weekly collection basket marked SCHOOL. Thank You!!!

DISCOUNT SHOPPER CARDS

On sale for \$10 – shop local businesses and get a discount. Please contact the school to purchase a card.

CALENDAR RAFFLE

The ever popular Calendar Raffle tickets are now on sale. The raffle runs from January to April and once a week a lucky winner has the chance to take home \$400.00. You have 12 chances to win for only \$20.00 per ticket because each ticket is entered into all the drawings. Please call the school 908-526-1339 or 908-231-1330 if you would like to purchase a ticket.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 8, 2015

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7/Rom 5:1-2, 5-8/Jn 4:5-42 or 4:5-15, 19b-26, 39a, 40-42
 Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15b/Lk 4:24-30
 Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43/Mt 18:21-35
 Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9/Mt 5:17-19
 Thursday: Jer 7:23-28/Lk 11:14-23
 Friday: Hos 14:2-10/Mk 12:28-34
 Saturday: Hos 6:1-6/Lk 18:9-14
 Next Sunday: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a/Eph 5:8-14/Jn 9:1-41 or 9:1, 6-9, 13-17, 34-38



Children's Stations of the Cross will be held on Good Friday, April 3, 2015 at Christ the King Church at 10:00 am. Practices will be held on March 21st and 28th from 2:00 - 3:30 at Christ the King Church. If you would like to participate or have any questions, please contact Melissa Grecco - 908-393-2697.



Butter Lamb Order Form
\$5.00 each

Name _____

Phone _____

Quantity _____

Pick-up on Saturday or Sunday – March 28/29. For more information call Dolores at 908-281-7267.

**“ALL YOU CAN EAT”
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TO BENEFIT
MANVILLE FIRST AID &
RESCUE SQUAD
SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 2015
V.F.W. HALL, MANVILLE
\$35 PER PERSON
DINNER SERVED PROMPTLY AT 6 P.M.



Meets once a month on the 2nd Monday at 7pm. Call Mary Carol Niezgoda at 908 575-2797 for location

and details. New members always welcome. We will teach anyone interested how to crochet and/or knit. If you would like to be a member but prefer to work at home we would be happy to pick up your item(s); just contact Mary Carol. Donations of yarn are always appreciated especially “baby” yarn, i.e., yarn approved for baby items. If you prefer to donate cash we will purchase yarn for you. All item(s) we make are donated to various local charitable organizations, i.e., Pregnancy Aid Center...

**2014 Bishop’s Annual Appeal
Life-Changing Faith**

The *Office of RCIA* supplies resources, support, leadership formation, and consultation services to parishes implementing a Catechumenate process in accord with the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

This is just one of more than 25 ministries supported by your gift to the Bishop’s Annual Appeal. Thank you for your prayerful consideration.

**Save the Dates
Christ the Redeemer Summer Camp
July 6-10, 2015**

THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

**Report of Sunday Offerings
in Support of our Parish**

The Christ the Redeemer collection for the weekend of
March 1, 2015

Weekly budget needed:	
CtR Parish	\$ 16,000.00
CtK School	\$ 9,000.00
Total	\$ 25,000.00
Weekly Collection:	
Ash Wednesday	\$ 2,792.00
Offertory	\$ 9,229.00
Christ the King School	\$ 1,745.00
Diocesan Assessment	\$ 1,348.00
Mail-Ins	\$ 5,303.00
Children's donations	\$ 85.00
Total	\$ 20,502.00
Budget vs. Collection:	
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$ (4,498.00)

**Year to Date Offertory Collections
July 2014 through June, 2015 Financial Year**

Twelve-month budget:	\$1,300,000.00
Weekly Collections YTD	\$ 464,717.00
Surplus/(Deficit)	\$ (835,283.00)

Thank you for your generosity and support.
May God bless you. Fr. Stan

"You shall not carve idols for yourselves in the shape of anything..." – Exodus 20:4

How many "gods" do you put before God? "Idols" do not always take the shape of physical things, things we can touch and feel. Those are easy to recognize. Many times they take the form of things we cannot touch and are much harder to spot - pride, power, ego, comfort or health.

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES
LEKCJE KATECHEZY**

THERE WILL BE NO RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES THIS WEEK. CLASSES WILL RESUME NEXT WEEK. ALL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION STUDENTS ARE TO ATTEND THE OUTDOOR STATIONS OF THE CROSS ON TUESDAY, MARCH 10TH AT 6PM. PARENTS MUST ACCOMPANY THEIR CHILD/CHILDREN.

W TYM TYGODNIU NIE BĘDZIE LEKCJI RELIGII. WSZYSTKIE DZIECI UCZESTNICZĄ W DRODZE KRZYŻOWEJ ULICAMI MIASTA WE WTOREK, 10 MAZEC O GODZ. 18.00 (POCZĄTEK POD KOŚCIOŁEM CHRIST THE KING). KATECHEZA BĘDZIE KONTYNUOWANA W NASTĘPNYM TYGODNIU. RODZICE MUSZĄ TOWARZYSZYĆ SWOJEMU DZIECKU/DZIECIOM.

OUR CHILDREN'S GIFTS TO CHRIST THE REDEEMER PARISH

My Good Deed was when I:

helped clean my basement.	Anton
cleaned the car.	Natalie
helped dad plow the driveway.	Adam
helped my friend.	Victoria
helped my teacher clean the classroom at the end of the day.	Hailey
cleaned my room.	Sadie, Olivia, Sofia & Weronika
helped my pet.	Raymond
donated my clothes to the needy.	Joseph
helped my mom & dad.	Robert
did my homework.	Dominik & Jayla
read a book to my little sister.	Mike
listened to my parents.	Natalia
did my CCD homework.	Emely
cleaned up my legos.	Aleksander
helped my brother take a bath.	Nataly
did my work.	Michelle
made a cake for my dad's birthday.	Logan
made my bed.	Emily, Nino, Armondo & Eric
got dressed on time.	Christopher
helped my teacher when he needed it.	Natalia
helped my teacher with papers.	Theodore
helped my mom make breakfast.	Julia
helped my teacher clean her books.	Nicholas
cleaned up after dinner.	Alina
made my dad lunch.	Hunter
gave dad his tools.	Adam
helped set the table.	Julia
helped friends with homework.	Destiny
helped my mom get the mail.	Sophia
wrote a note to my cousin.	Steven
helped my mother clean.	Nick & Evan
helped my grandmother bake a cake.	Hailey
loved one another.	Brianna
altar served.	Connor & Kyle
made my friend feel comfortable.	Victoria
washed dishes & read to my cousin.	Madison
helped my sister with her homework & took out the garbage.	Christian