



Kia inu kau ahau,
If I could just drink
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Gospel for kidz

A Religious Education Resource for Parishes



**Today we are going to be talking about
Jesus talked about his mission.
Let's, listen and hear the story Jesus tells his followers.**

A reading from the gospel according to John.....adapted for children

**After walking all day, Jesus and his disciples arrived in Capernaum.
When Jesus asked the disciples what they had been talking about on the way,
no one looked at Jesus or answered his question, because they had been
arguing about which one of them was the most important.**

Jesus told the disciples to sit down and then he said,

***“Anyone who wants to be the greatest must
become the servant of all and make themselves
the least important.”***

Then Jesus had a child stand near him.

He put his arm around the child and said,

***“When you welcome even a child because
of me, you welcome me. And when you welcome
me you welcome the one who sent me.”***

Let's sit quietly now and think of God's story

Unpacking the Gospel

- What question did Jesus ask his friends?
 - What were they arguing about?
who was most important
 - Why didn't they answer him?
embarrassed, ashamed
- How did Jesus describe a great person?

He or she is not the one who draws attention to themselves or stands out in a crowd. They put the needs of others before their own. They think of themselves last, and for this reason they will come first in the kingdom

Message Sometimes we think the most important thing is to be first, to be the most beautiful, to be the smartest, or to be the greatest! Jesus calls for us to think of others first and ourselves last.
God is not impressed by our power or wealth or riches.
What is really important to God is our goodness

- Who are the people who serve you?
family/friends/teachers.....
- Who would you like to serve?
- How can we live/serve as God wants, how can we put others first this week
at homeat schoolin the playground?



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The Key to Greatness

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Based on Mark 9:30-37



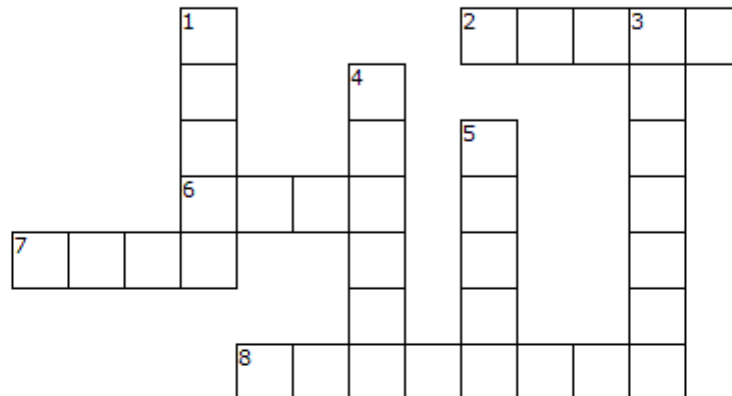
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QUIET	LAST	HOUSE	STAND	GREATEST
CHILD	ROAD	FIRST	TWELVE	ARGUING
ARMS	SERVANT	ANYONE	WELCOMES	NAME
AMONG	WHOEVER	LITTLE	CAME	JESUS

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ACROSS

2. A building where people live, especially a family
6. The one coming after all others
7. A public way for the travel of vehicles, people, and animals
8. A person or thing of the highest quality or character

DOWN

1. A very young person
3. Someone who is employed to perform services for others
4. Small in size
5. The one coming before all others

ROAD	GREATEST	SERVANT	FIRST
LAST	CHILD	HOUSE	LITTLE

