

WEEK OF: Jan 8-9, 2022

St. Peter's Church Children's Liturgy

The Baptism of the Lord: The readings for this week at Mass is from the Gospel of St. Matthew (3:13-17).

John the Baptist had been preparing the people for the coming of the Messiah, or Saviour, God had promised to send. As a sign of their sorrow for their sins, they came to the River Jordan to be publicly baptized by John. Today's Gospel tells what happened when Jesus himself arrived to be baptized by John.

Please begin your learning with the prayer in the 'Heart' section, then with the work in the 'Head' section, followed by applying your knowledge in the 'Hands' section.

HEART

Glory Be Prayer
Glory be to the Father,
and to the Son,
and to the Holy Spirit:
As it was in the beginning,
is now,
and ever shall be,
world without end.
Amen.



HEAD

- Watch a video on the Gospel of St. Matthew (3:13-17): [Link 1](#), [Link 2](#)
- Coloring Page: [Link 1](#), [Link 2](#)
- Word Search: [Link 1](#)
- Mass Worksheet: [Link 1](#)

HANDS

Gospel Reflection:

- Has anyone ever been to a baptism? Can you remember what happened?
- When are most people baptized?
- Where and how was Jesus baptized?
- Do you imagine the river was warm or cold?
- What happened when Jesus stood up in the water?

NOTES

- New Children Liturgy e-learning/ activities are added on a weekly basis.
- Pick and choose the activities that are best suited for your child. Do as much as you can and manage the tasks on your own schedule.
- Activity links are also online in case they do not work in the pdf.
- Send the youth minister a message, photo, video or a collage of your child's best work and we will post it on the parish website.
- Email: youngadult-youthmin@stpeterstoronto.ca

