Weekly Household Devotions

Time After Pentecost

Year B - Lectionary 29 Sunday, October 16-22



though we stumble, we shall not fall headlong, for the Lord holds us by the hand.

Psalm 37:24

Looking Back . . .

Sunday	Mark 10:35-45	Drinking from the cup of Jesus
Monday	Hebrews 6:1-12	Assurance in God's salvation

Tuesday 1 Samuel 10:17-25 Samuel as King

Wednesday Psalm 37: 23-40 Our steps and God's steps

Looking Ahead . . .

Thursday	Psalm 126	God brings restoration
Friday	Hebrews 7:11-22	Gift of priestly law

Saturday Mark 8: 22-26 Jesus Heals the Blind Man

Sunday Mark 10: 46-52 Healing at Jericho



Pentecost: Stewardship

"For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also." - Luke 12:34

Week 5:

The Gift of Our Possessions: This is a time of year when many communities have coat drives, or winter warmth drives. Giving away some old coats, blankets, or hats and gloves is a great way to help out. Challenge yourselves to go a little further this year! For Christmas or birthdays in the next year, ask for things that you want to give to someone else. When your birthday comes around, ask for toys that can be given to local shelters, or given to a local organization that gives away Christmas presents. For Christmas you could ask people to give livestock through an organization like Heifer International or give mosquito nets through the ELCA Malaria campaign, or some similar gift idea.



Faith on the Go



Servant Lord, help us to serve as you have served us. You have given us food, teach us to feed others. You have given us shelter, help us to provide shelter for others. Amen.



How did someone serve you today? How were you a servant?



Mark 10:35-45—Drinking from the cup of Jesus

Day 1

Mark 10: 35-37

What guestion would you have asked Jesus if you had been one of the disciples? Ask Jesus that question in prayer!

Day 2

Mark 10: 38-40

When were you baptized? Tell the story of your baptism or have your parent retell the story to you!



Day 3

Mark 10: 41

Why would the disciples be mad about the question James and John had asked Jesus?

Day 4

Mark 10: 42-44

How can you serve each other in your family/household?

Day 5

Mark 10: 45

How can we show our gratitude for Jesus coming to serve us?



Live today with the heart of a servant.