

## Lesson for Sunday, February 13, 2022 (The 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time)

Dear K-1 Promise Families,

Blessings to each of you. I am praying that you are well and having a good week. ***It was wonderful to see so many of you last week as we returned to in-person learning.*** For those of you who are continuing with home lessons, I have included the lesson for the week of February 13<sup>th</sup> below. Do not hesitate to reach out if you are having difficulty with anything or need clarification.

- We are working this week on the February 13<sup>th</sup> Promise Pflaum Gospel weekly lesson.
- The complete lesson can be found by going to the Holy Family website at [holyfamilyrockland.org](http://holyfamilyrockland.org). Hover over the Menu button on the right corner of the main landing page and then Click on Faith Formation. Next, choose your child's grade level, **Grade K-1 Promise**. Everything you need for the week is found there: (Remember, I will always give you many options – you do what you can get to each week based on your family's schedule and your child's abilities.)
  1. Links to the Parent Teaching Guide pages to help you help your children each week
  2. A digital copy of their lesson. If you are electing to continue with home lessons instead of returning to in person classes this week, please call the office to come by and pick up the new materials you will need.
  3. A video clip and activities to support the lesson.
  4. Prayers: Please continue working with your child on the Sign of the Cross, The Our Father, the Hail Mary and being working on The Doxology (the Glory Be to the Father).
- **This Sunday's Gospel: Luke 6:17, 20-26** In this week's Gospel, Luke gives us the Beatitudes taught by Jesus. The Beatitudes are a roadmap to God's very heart. These eight blessings invite us "to purify our hearts . . . and to seek the love of God above else." Blessed are the poor, the hungry, those who weep, those who are hated and rejected by others because of Jesus. Jesus also cautions those who are rich, well-fed, happy, and liked by others.
- **Promise (Grades K–1):** (The complete lesson can be found on your child's webpage.) What makes us happy is the topic featured in your child's lesson this week. One thing that always makes us happy is following Jesus. Work with you child on the drawing of Jesus and themselves. Talk about how we can include everyone like Jesus does?
- **Pray Together:** Jesus challenged the conventional ideas about how to be happy and successful when He taught the Beatitudes. With your child pray each day for your family to be more like those who Jesus says are blessed in the eyes of God.

**Lastly, and most important:** If you are unable to attend Mass in person due to illness make sure that you watch Mass together as a family on Sunday. The easiest way to access the Mass recording is on our website. It is also shown on local cable WRPS. And as always, I will email the link to you on Saturday evening/early Sunday morning.

We continue to pray for the health and safety of all our families and offer prayers of gratitude for all those that are working here in our area and around the world to aid those affected by this latest surge of the virus.

Yours in Christ,

Mrs. Liz Davis