

ST MATTHEW & ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOUTH BELCONNEN PARISH MASS REFLECTIONS FOR YOUTH

All Saints Day - Year A, 1st of November 2020



Saturday 6pm, St Vincent's, Aranda - Sunday 8:30am, St Matthew's Page - Sunday 10am, St Vincent's, Aranda

My Intentions

Before Mass starts, we should think about some of the things that we would like to pray for.

Jesus loves to listen to our prayers and help us in our lives.

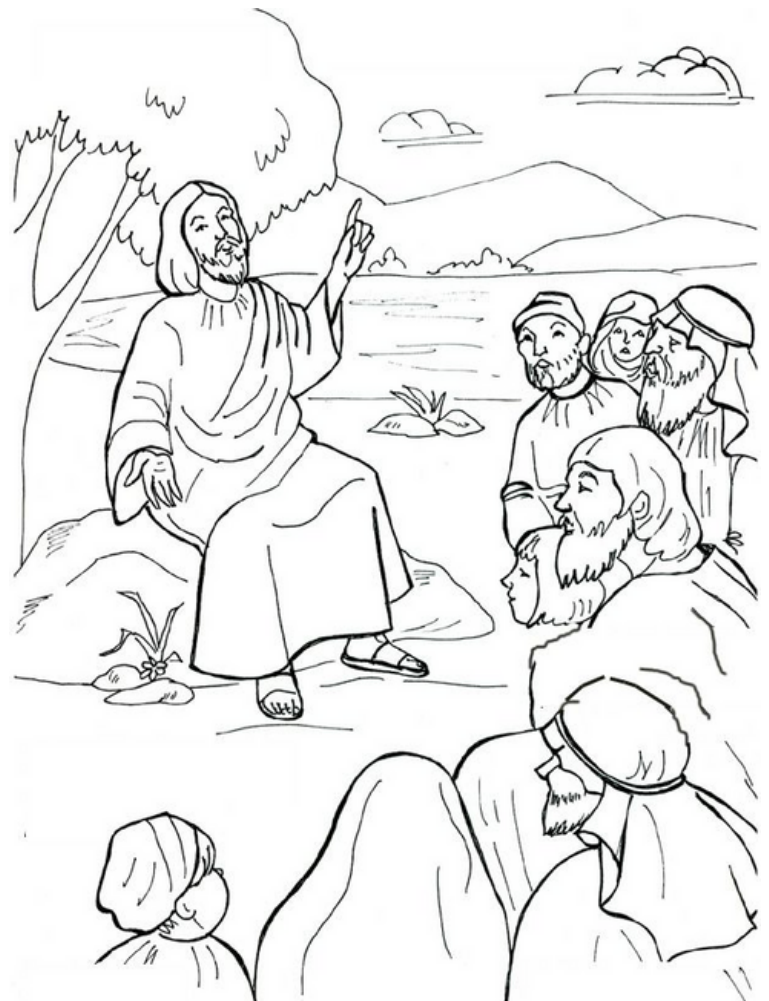
Write or draw in the space below some of the people or things that you want to hold close to your heart this week.



The Gospel

MATTHEW 5: 1 - 12

As you listen to the Gospel today reflect on what Fr Simon is saying. Try to write some of the words from the Gospel that stand out to you in the space below.



THE BEATITUDES

BLESSED ARE THE POOR IN SPIRIT,
FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.

BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO MOURN,
FOR THEY WILL BE COMFORTED.

BLESSED ARE THE MEEK,
FOR THEY WILL INHERIT THE EARTH.

BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO HUNGER AND THIRST FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS,
FOR THEY WILL BE FILLED.

BLESSED ARE THE MERCIFUL,
FOR THEY WILL BE SHOWN MERCY.

BLESSED ARE THE PURE IN HEART,
FOR THEY WILL SEE GOD.

BLESSED ARE THE PEACEMAKERS,
FOR THEY WILL BE CALLED CHILDREN OF GOD.

BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO ARE PERSECUTED BECAUSE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS,
FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.

BLESSED ARE YOU WHEN PEOPLE INSULT YOU, PERSECUTE YOU AND
FALSELY SAY ALL KINDS OF EVIL AGAINST YOU BECAUSE OF ME.
REJOICE AND BE GLAD, BECAUSE GREAT IS YOUR REWARD IN HEAVEN,
FOR IN THE SAME WAY THEY PERSECUTED THE PROPHETS WHO WERE
BEFORE YOU.

MATTHEW 5:3-12

A Gospel Activity

In this week's Gospel, we hear Jesus talk about the Beatitudes.

The Beatitudes are eight blessings recounted by Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount in the Gospel of Matthew. Each is a proverb-like proclamation.

The Beatitudes talk about different people and things being blessed. What do you think about the Beatitudes?

All Saints Day

All Saints Day is a day where we can honor all of the Saints that we know are in heaven. Do you know any Saints? Is there a Saint who you pray to?



Weekly Challenge

We challenge you to learn about a new Saint this week. What did they do? What are they the patron of? How did they serve God in their lives? How can you be more like them?

Calendar of Youth Events

Youth ministry is young people sharing the messages of God with other young people. Youth ministry is fun, relevant and faith filled.

Do you want to get involved in youth ministry?

Upcoming Youth Group

Next face to face youth group will be held at AMF Bowling in Belconnen at 4pm on Saturday the 21st November. Bring the whole family!

Social distancing will be in place and we hope to see you there!

Contact your South Belconnen youth ministers Sarah and Claire via email for more information.