

## **CatholicMom.com Gospel Activity – Celebrating Our Catholic Faith** **Religious Education Lesson Plan Helpers by Laura Grace**

**Please note:** Some of our lesson plans contain links to Christian, non-Catholic resources. When preparing your lessons, we urge you to inform yourself on the teachings of the Catholic Church with respect to the Sunday gospel and readings. If you find links in any of the lesson plans which may be counter to the teachings of the Church, please notify [lisa@catholicmom.com](mailto:lisa@catholicmom.com). These lesson plan helpers are designed to assist you in pulling together creative ideas and activities to supplement your lesson plan, but are not designed to be catechetical in nature. Thank you for your continued prayerful support.

**October 26, 2008**  
**30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**Gospel - Matthew 22:34-40**  
The Greatest Commandment

### **Activities**

catholicmom.com

[http://www.catholicmom.com/coloring\\_pages.htm](http://www.catholicmom.com/coloring_pages.htm)

Scroll down to Coloring Page, Mass Worksheet, Crossword Puzzle, Word Search

webelieveweb.com

<http://www.webelieveweb.com/gather.cfm?page=faith&sp=discussion&id=254>

Scroll down to Gospel Reflection, Discussion Questions for the Gospel, and Proclaiming Faith Activities

msssbible.com

<http://msssbible.com/newtestament/greatestcommandment.htm>

The Greatest Commandment with tons of resources for illustrating the story, coloring pages/activity sheets, crafts, and songs.

ecusa.anglican.org

[http://www.episcopalchurch.org/50534\\_62453\\_ENG\\_HTM.htm](http://www.episcopalchurch.org/50534_62453_ENG_HTM.htm)

Lesson Plans for Small Congregations

sermons4kids.com

<http://www.sermons4kids.com/number-one.html>

I'm Number One! object lesson

grassroots.com

<http://www.grassroots.com.au/Kidschurch/BloveGod.htm>

Love God and Your Neighbor lesson

textweek.com

<http://www.textweek.com/mtlk/matt22c.htm>

<http://www.textweek.com/mkjnacts/jn10a.htm> Lectionary, Scripture Study and Worship Links and Resources

homiliesbyemail.com

[http://www.homiliesbyemail.com/leaf/cas/2005\\_10-23\\_Proper25A.pdf](http://www.homiliesbyemail.com/leaf/cas/2005_10-23_Proper25A.pdf)

Activity sheets, coloring pages, puzzles, etc.

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mscperu.org

[http://www.mscperu.org/images/graficoslit/aTO/30\\_to\\_a.htm](http://www.mscperu.org/images/graficoslit/aTO/30_to_a.htm)

Clip art

### **Book Marks**

dltk-bible.com

<http://www.dltk-bible.com/mbiblebookmarks.html>

A few appropriate bookmarks

### **Crafts**

daniellesplace.com

[http://www.daniellesplace.com/html/bible\\_themes\\_l\\_m.html](http://www.daniellesplace.com/html/bible_themes_l_m.html)

Scroll down to Love Crafts

Love Notes- Cute magnet craft to put on your refrigerator to leave loving messages to the people in your family. (Christian Crafts for Christmastime by Kathy Ross, pages 54 & 55).

grassroots.com

<http://www.grassroots.com.au/Kidschurch/LovingOthers.htm>

Loving Others IOU cards (down near the bottom)

familyfun.go.com

<http://familyfun.go.com/arts-and-crafts/season/feature/famf127lastmin/famf127lastmin11.html>

IOU a Great Gift

### **Games**

christiancrafters.com

[http://www.christiancrafters.com/game\\_greatest.html](http://www.christiancrafters.com/game_greatest.html)

The Greatest Commandment?

"How to Love" Ball Toss- A fun game for all ages on how to show love to others. (Super Bible Game Book by Linda Standke, page 120).

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### Puzzles

The Greatest Commandment- Hidden in this picture are seven treasures. See if you can find them. Which is the greatest treasure of all? (Big Puzzles for Little Hands: Jesus' Life and Lessons by Carla Williams, page 48).

sermons4kids.com

[http://www.sermons4kids.com/greatest\\_commandment\\_dot2dot.htm](http://www.sermons4kids.com/greatest_commandment_dot2dot.htm)

Dot to Dot

sermons4kids.com

[http://www.sermons4kids.com/greatest\\_commandment\\_wordsearch.htm](http://www.sermons4kids.com/greatest_commandment_wordsearch.htm)

Word Search

silk.net/RelEd

<http://www.silk.net/RelEd/PDF/greatest.pdf>

The Greatest Commandment crossword

### Worksheet

cqsb.qc.ca/svs

<http://www.cqsb.qc.ca/svs/434/pdf/love.pdf>

Can you give examples of how to live this commandment?

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