

Sunday School Weekly Update

Recap from October 3: Challenge Othering



Family Class: Scripture: Luke 7:36-50

FLY: Scripture: Mark 10:13-16

Preschool: Scripture: Acts 10

K5- 2nd grade: Scripture: Luke 7:36-50

3rd grade- 5th grade: Luke 7:36-50

Topic and task for the week: "As a family, think of things that you love to do and that you are good at. Could your gifts and talents be a way for you to offer hospitality within your congregation and beyond? Might your family even become known for these personal gifts of welcome?*"

"Take-Home" Activities and Topics

- Challenge 'Othering:' "Read the book *A Very Big Problem* by Amy-Jill Levine and Sandy Eisenberg Sasso or [watch the YouTube video 'Story Time with Pastor Cindy: A Very BIG Problem by Amy-Jill Levine and Sandy Eisenberg Sasso.](#)
- Make a poster. Write the word 'DIVERSITY' vertically down the left side of a piece of paper. Then write and decorate each word corresponding to the letters in DIVERSITY: Different Individuals Valuing Each other Regardless of Skin, Intellect, Talents, or Years.
- Hair is one way we immediately see, and sometimes judge, one another. Explore hair. Do an internet image search for 'hairstyles around the world' and look at pictures of the many ways people express themselves with their hair. Gather scarves, clips, headbands, hair bands, and so forth to try different styles. Look for the beauty that each person shows in their hair."**
- "Ask yourself these questions:
 - When was a time in your life when you felt othered by someone else?
 - What were the circumstances? What was done or said that made you feel that way?"***

Sunday, October 10 Schedule

Officer Training at 8:45 AM

Classroom: E205: Newly elected Deacons and Elders meet each Sunday to be trained for their leadership on the Board of Deacons and the Session.

Classes Meeting at 9 AM

Family Class: Classroom: E201, Scripture: [John 1:35-50](#)

FLPConversations: Classroom: Parlor

Zoom link for FLPConversations: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86801237100> or click [here](#)

FLY: Location: FLY Wing, Scripture: [John 1:35-50](#)

Preschool: Classroom: E107, Scripture: [John 1:35-50](#)

K5- 2nd grade: Classroom: E109, Scripture: [John 1:35-50](#)

3rd grade-5th grade: Classroom: E115, Scripture: [John 1:35-50](#)

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