

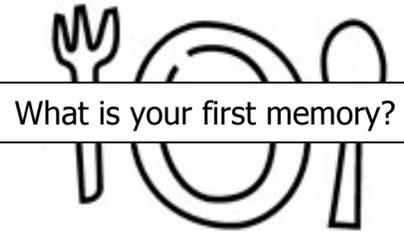
# THE PASS-THE-PLATE DEVOS

"Families passing on their faith as they pass their plates during the 16<sup>th</sup> week after Pentecost"

Share your **HIGHS**



and **LOWS!**



What is your first memory?

1. What did Jesus tell his disciples about the Son of Man?
2. Why do you think the disciples were afraid to ask Jesus about the things he was teaching?
3. When Jesus and his disciples came to Capernaum, Jesus asked them what the disciples were arguing about on the road. What were they arguing about?
4. What did Jesus tell the disciples about being first and last?
5. What does Jesus do when he sees a little child?
6. What does Jesus say about people who welcome little children?



## **FAMILY CHALLENGE**

In other places in the Gospel, Jesus calls us to become like little children. Why would he do this? What is special about little children? Make a list of five of the youngest kids your family knows. Then, pray for each of these children together.

Mark 9:30-37

<sup>30</sup>They left that place and passed through Galilee. Jesus did not want anyone to know where they were, <sup>31</sup>because he was teaching his disciples. He said to them, "The Son of Man is going to be betrayed into the hands of men. They will kill him, and after three days he will rise." <sup>32</sup>But they did not understand what he meant and were afraid to ask him about it.

<sup>33</sup>They came to Capernaum. When he was in the house, he asked them, "What were you arguing about on the road?" <sup>34</sup>But they kept quiet because on the way they had argued about who was the greatest.

<sup>35</sup>Sitting down, Jesus called the Twelve and said, "If anyone wants to be first, he must be the very last, and the servant of all." <sup>36</sup>He took a little child and had him stand among them. Taking him in his arms, he said to them, <sup>37</sup>"Whoever welcomes one of these little children in my name welcomes me; and whoever welcomes me does not welcome me but the one who sent me."

The Word of the Lord.  
THANKS BE TO GOD!