

## Sunday Gospel Activities

Name:
Sunday, January 17, 2021 Worksheet for ages 7 to 10 years old
1. Today is the Sunday in Time.
Circle the color of Father's vestments. Underline the color of the cloth on the altar.
red blue white gold green rose/pink purple/violet
2. From which book of the Bible is today's first reading?
1 Kings 2 Kings 1 Samuel 2 Samuel Daniel Tobit Exodus
Is this book found in the Old or the New Testament? Old New
In this story, Samuel is a very young boy. Did God want to talk to him? Yes No
What did God want Samuel to do?
(a) God wanted Samuel to go outside and run a marathon.
(b) God wanted Samuel to make lots and lots of money.
(c) God just wanted Samuel to listen to Him.
Do you think God is asking you to listen to Him? Yes No Not sure
3. From which Psalm is today's Responsorial?
Psalm 67 Psalm 4 Psalm 1 Psalm 89 Psalm 23 Psalm 40
What is the theme of this Psalm?
(a) Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will. (b) Have mercy on me, O Lord.
(c) The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.
How can you reword this in today's language that you can remember it? (Pick your
favorite! They're all correct in a different way.)
(a) Here I am, Jesus. What would You like me to do?
(b) Hello, Jesus! I'm waiting for Your instructions.
(c) Good morning, Jesus! Let me hear and do whatever You want me to.
Memorize your favorite version of the above verse, and repeat it several times a day
every day this week. It might just make amazing things happen in your life!

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Name:
Sunday, January 17, 2021 Worksheet for ages 11 to 14 years old
1. What day is it, today, in the Church's calendar? What season are we in?
This season is reflected in the color of the priest's vestments and the cloth on the altar.
What color(s) are they?
2. From which book of the Bible is today's first reading?
Is this book found in the Old or the New Testament?
In this story, is Samuel young or old? Did He expect God to want to talk to him?
What did God want Samuel to do?
Do you think God wants to talk to you?
He might not be as obvious as He was with Samuel. What are some ways kids your age can hear God speaking to them? (This is a very exciting book in the Bible! Make a poin of reading it, soon, and see what amazing things happened in Samuel's life.)
3. From which Psalm is today's Responsorial? What is the theme of this Psalm?
Write down the Psalm response and memorize it. Repeat it several times a day, every day this week. It might just make amazing things happen in your life!

4. Do you know the name of your priest, today? Write down one point from his homily.



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## Answers:

2 Sunday in Ordinary time, color is green.

Readings: 1 Samuel, Old Testament, Ps 40, 1 Cor, John

God wants Samuel to listen to him.

The theme of Ps 40 is Here I am Lord, I come to do your will.