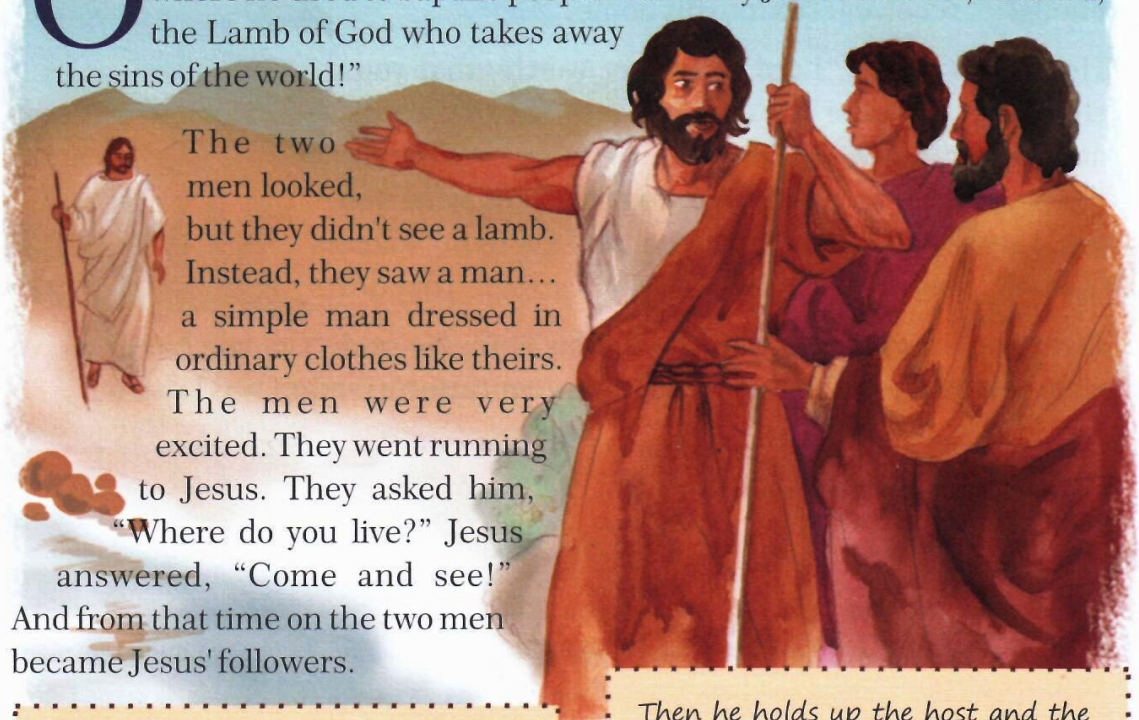


We Believe in Jesus and Welcome Him

'BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD!'

One day two men were standing with John the Baptist near the river where he used to baptize people. Suddenly John cried out, "Behold, the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world!"



The two men looked, but they didn't see a lamb. Instead, they saw a man... a simple man dressed in ordinary clothes like theirs. The men were very excited. They went running to Jesus. They asked him, "Where do you live?" Jesus answered, "Come and see!"

And from that time on the two men became Jesus' followers.

AT MASS, the celebrant breaks the host and puts a small piece into the wine. This shows that the Body and Blood are one.

At that time we pray to Jesus:

Lamb of God, you away
..... of

, on (twice)

Lamb of God, you away
..... of

Then he holds up the host and the chalice and says:

Behold the Lamb of God! Behold him who the
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are those called to the
of the Lamb.



Q: Who is the Lamb of God?
A: Jesus! He died to take away our sins.

Once a Roman centurion came to Jesus hoping that he would heal his servant who was dying at home. Jesus said, "I will come and cure him!"

'LORD, I AM NOT WORTHY!'

But the centurion realised who Jesus was. He realised his great power, and he also felt that he was not good enough to receive Jesus into his home.

He said to Jesus, "Lord, I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word, and my servant will be healed!... Because I know that if you just give an order, your angels will do what you ask. I know about this because when I say to my soldiers "Come!" they come, and when I say "Do this!" they do it."



Jesus was amazed and happy to see his faith. He said, "Go, you have received what you believed!" At that moment the centurion's servant was healed.

Like the centurion we also say:

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(THIS MEANS: Lord, I am not good enough for you to come to me in Holy Communion, but if you say 'I forgive you', my soul will become clean and you will be able to come.)

As we walk up to receive Jesus, we should think only of him. We bow as we come close to him.



When we say 'Amen' we mean: YES, I BELIEVE IT IS JESUS! YES, I WANT TO RECEIVE HIM! We keep thinking of Jesus and loving Him as we go back to our places.

WORDS TO LEARN

NOT WORTHY:
Not good enough

'BEHOLD':
Look!

FAMILY TIME

READ : John 6:35

SHARE : What did God say to you through this reading?

PRAY: Ask God to help you receive him in a loving way.

DO : Write the verse on a sheet of paper and learn it . Say it to each other without looking at it.

Yes, done!

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