

# Together @ Home

October 17<sup>th</sup> 2021

The Twentieth Sunday  
after Trinity

## Bible Passage

Mark 10 v 35-45  
Others first

## Today in church we learned that...

God wants us to put others first,  
to love and serve one another.

## Memory Verse

Matthew 6 v 10

May your kingdom come and what you want be  
done, here on earth as it is in heaven.

## Family Fun Together

**Simon Says:** Play a game of Simon Says together  
and take it in turns to be the leader, giving  
instructions that everybody else should follow –  
but only if the instruction begins with “Simon  
says...” You could talk about how serving others  
can mean putting their wants and needs first.

**Serving a meal:** We can serve others by helping  
to meet their needs. Why not bake some cakes,  
biscuits or a special meal and share it with  
somebody else this week like a close friend or  
neighbour.



## A question for adults to ask children

What different ways can you think of that  
we can serve others?

## A question for children to ask adults

How do you like to serve God at church?

## Connect with God Together

We can serve others through our physical actions  
but we can also serve them by putting them first  
in our times of prayer.

Travel around your home together or scroll  
through recent photos on a phone, when you find  
a picture of a friend or family member pause and  
pray for them.

Why not ask God to give you an encouraging  
message or word which you can share with them,  
or to give you an idea of how you could serve  
them practically this week.

## Acts of Service Challenge

Why not challenge yourself as a family to  
complete as many different acts of service and  
kindness to others as you can this week. You  
could make a simple chart and keep a record of  
who manages to complete the most acts this  
week.

	Yellow	Green	Blue	Purple
helping	★	★		★
sharing	★	★		
servicing		★	★	★
kind words			★	
loving	★			★
other		★		