CHILDREN BROCHURE

MORAVIAN CHURCH – BARBADOS CONFERENCE

Provincial Theme: Advance the Kingdom: S.H.I.F.T.

S. – Seek & Submit

H. – Hear & Heed

I. – Imagine & Insight

F. – Focus & Function

T. – Totally Transformed

Age: 7yrs. & Under

IMAGINE

August 16 – New Relationships

Scripture:

**Mark 3:31-35 Jesus’ mother and brothers came and stood outside. They sent someone to get him. 32 A crowd was sitting around Jesus. They told him “Your mother and brothers are outside. They are looking for you”. 33 “Who is my mother? Who are my brothers?” he asked. 34 Then Jesus looked at the people sitting in a circle around him. He said, “Here is my mother! Here are my brothers! 35 Anyone who does what God wants is my brother or sister or mother.” (NIRV)**

Message:

**Who is your mother? Who is your brother? Can you identify the people that are important to you? Jesus was told that His family members were outside and they had come to see Him. Jesus looked at the crowd of persons who were around Him and said that anyone who follows God’s directions will be members of His family.**

**That is why it is so important to do the will of God and not go our own way. To do the will of God is to be a part of His family, to have brothers and sisters who think and behave like you do. When we move with people who think in the same positive and God-like manner, we know that we have true friends and family. These are people we can count on in times of difficulties. These are the type of relationships we should encourage and nurture.**

**Activity:**

**Fill in the following table:**

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| **OLD HABITS** | **NEW RELATIONSHIP HABITS** |
| **Wickedness** | **G \_ \_ d n \_ \_ s** |
| **Sin** | **H \_ l \_ n \_ \_s** |
| **Hate** | **L \_ \_ e** |
| **Sorrow** | **J \_ \_** |
| **Lies** | **T \_ u \_ h** |
| **Sadness** | **G \_ a \_ n \_ ss** |
| **Darkness** | **L \_ g \_ t** |
| **War** | **P \_ a \_ e** |
| **Anger** | **S \_ l \_ - c \_ n \_ r \_ l** |
| **Dishonesty** | **H \_ n \_ s \_ y** |

(Answers next week)

(Answers from last week)

1. Have good (soil)

2. (Plant) good (seeds)

3. Be (loving)

4. (Do) what is (right)

5. (Read) our (Bible)

6. Go to (Sunday School)

7. (Live) for (Jesus)