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: 8 - 12 yrs.

S.H.I.F.T.

August 29

Scripture:

Mark 12:30 "And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.' This is the first commandment. (NKJV)

(Last week's scripture: Luke 12:34 "For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.")

Message:

Be excited about loving the Lord, and if you are excited about it, you will put your everything into serving Him. When you are excited about something, you want to do everything so you will always have it. If you are excited about someone, you want to be with them all of the time. And if you are excited about an activity such as cricket or football, you would want to play it all the time, or even be on the winning team. The point is that you would put all your efforts into something which brings you pleasure.

It is the same or even more so with the Lord Jesus Christ. You just don't love Him half-heartedly, sometimes or when you feel like doing so. Jesus loves you all the time as well as unconditionally. So we are to love Him with all of our heart, soul, mind and strength, in other words, our everything. It is not a question of if we love the Lord, but how much we love the Lord. When we love things or people, we do not want to give them up. Let us not give up our God as He can do so much for us. He gives us everything we need, let us give Him our everything as He continues to bless us.

Activity:

Fill in a vowel (A E I O U) in the following spaces

Get excited about:

- A. J_s_s Chr_st
- B. B_ ng Tr_thf_l
- C. Sh_w_ng K_ndn_ss
- D. B__ng L_v_ng
- E. L_v_ng _th_rs
- F. B__ng H_n_st
- G. L_v_ng P_ c_f_lly
- H. B__ng C_mp_ss__n_t_
- I. S_rv_ng J_yf_lly
- J. Pr_y_ng
- K. B_ ng C_ mm_ tt_d
- L. S_nd_y Sch_ _l

(Answers next week)