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.

March 28

Scripture:

Matthew 5:10 "Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, For theirs is the kingdom of heaven". (NKJV)

Message:

Jesus Christ was persecuted in the worst way when He was put to death on the cross. He did no wrong, committed no sin or crime but He paid the price for our sins so that we could have eternal life. Imagine being punished for something you did not do, or for doing something right. There are some persons no matter what you do to live the right life, they are always saying negative things to you or about you. They persecute you night and day making you doubt yourself and even change your mind. But I would remind you that you need to please Jesus Christ above all others. Once you know what you say and do is pleasing unto Him, all else does not matter.

Know that many before you, many were persecuted for the sake of the gospel and many after you will be in the same position. What is important is you do your part especially when it comes to serving the Lord and to do your best. You may please some of the people some of the time, but you will not please all of the people all of the time. Just make sure you please Jesus all of the time so if you are persecuted some or all of the time, be confident that your reward will be the kingdom of heaven.

Activity:

Place a vowel (A E I O U) in the spaces below:

Persecution calls for:

Str _ ngth C__r_g_ P_rs_v_r_nc C _ mm _ tm _ nt P_rp_s_ Br _ v _ ry
P _ _ c _ D_t_rm_n_t__n

And the rewards are:

(Answers next week)

(Answers from last week)

To be pure is to:

- a) Clean b) Right c) Clean
- d) Best
- e) Good
- f) Nearer to
- g) Listen
- Generously
- Come and serve Jesus Christ
- Love