Priests
Take the Place of Jesus

In today's Gospel reading Jesus was preaching in the synagogue. (A synagogue is kind of like your local church building.) The people there didn't believe in Him because they thought they knew Him. They didn't take Him seriously because they knew His family.

Do you know the priest at your church? He takes the place of Jesus at every Mass and when you go to Confession. God gave him a very special job.

However, even though priests have a very special job, they are still people like you. They need lots of help from God to do their job well. We should pray for our priests every day!

Here is a prayer you can say:

Dear Jesus,
Please bless all priests. Make them be like you. Give them all the help they need to lead us to Heaven.
Thank you for all the priests who have helped me, and please send more good priests to the Church. Amen.

Answer to front page: Teaching in the synagogue.
Answer to Word-Find: "That the POWER of CHRIST MAY LIVE IN ME"

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Mark 6:1-6

What was Jesus doing in today's Gospel reading? Use the secret code to find out!

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SAINT BENEDICT
JULY 11

SAINT BENEDICT DIED AT AGE 67. HE IS CALLED THE FOUNDER OF WESTERN MONASTICISM BECAUSE HE WROTE THE RULE AND TAUGHT PEOPLE HOW TO LIVE A SIMPLE LIFE TO BECOME HOLY. HIS RULE IS STILL USED BY PEOPLE ALL OVER THE WORLD. IN 1966 BENEDICT WAS MADE THE PATRON OF ALL EUROPE!

Saint Paul Accepts Suffering from God

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Find the words in CAPITALS, The leftover letters tell you why Saint Paul said he would boast of his weakness.

Saint PAUL tells of asking God to take away his suffering: "Three times I BEGGED the LORD about this, that it might LEAVE me, but he said to me, "My GRACE is sufficient for YOU, for power is MADE PERFECT in weakness." I will rather BOAST MOST GLADLY of my WEAKNESSES, in order that the POWER of Christ may DWELL in me. Therefore, I am CONTENT with weaknesses, INSULTS, hardships, PERSECUTION and constraints, for the SAKE of CHRIST; for when I am weak then I am STRONG."

"That the _ _ _ _ _ _ of _ _ _ _ _ _ _

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