**RE Home Learning - 1**

**Gospel:** Matthew 25:31-46

**Gospel reflection: What do you remember from today’s reading?**

Jesus tells us about the kind of person who will be welcome in his kingdom. Can you remember what they did to make Jesus happy?

This group of people fed Jesus when he was hungry, gave him a drink when he was thirsty. They welcomed him when he was a stranger and lonely, they gave him clothes when he didn’t have any. They visited him when he was sick and in prison.

**But how do they feel and what do they say when they hear all this?** They are very surprised and they ask Jesus when it was that they did all these things.

What does Jesus answer? He says, “when you did this to the least of my brothers or sisters, you did it to me.” **What do you think this means?**

We are all God’s children. And so Jesus is our brother. We are all brothers and sisters – members of one big global family. And Jesus is saying that he is in each one of us. And so every time we help someone else, every time we treat someone kindly, welcome them or share with them, then we are doing this to Jesus.

**Can you think of a time when you have done one of these things?** When have you given food to someone hungry or a drink to someone thirsty? When have you welcomed someone or given someone in need some clothes? When have you visited someone who is sick or in prison? Or when someone shared with, welcomed or cared for you? How did you feel?