

## **LESSON 13**

### **Disciples Sent By Jesus**

#### **I. What children should understand:**

##### **1. Conviction**

- Disciples are sent by Jesus to proclaim the Good News.
- Pope is the leader of the Catholic Church.
- It is our duty to proclaim Good news of Jesus.

##### **2. Attitude**

- We must be obedient to Pope who is the leader of church.
- We must proclaim good news like disciples.

##### **3. Habit**

- Must remember always that we are the disciples of Jesus.
- Will pray for blessing of Holy Spirit.
- Will witness to Jesus through our thought, word and deed.

#### **II. Teaching aids:**

New testament, Photo of Jesus and disciples, a chart with the names of twelve disciples.

#### **III. Presentation of the lesson:**

Show the photo of Jesus and disciples. Let the children say the names of disciples whom they know. Call a child near assuming him to be the disciple. Like this call twelve children and Jesus. Jesus blesses the disciples by keeping the hand on their heads and sends them. All the twelve go to different places of the class.

#### **IV. Activities related to the lesson:**

##### **a. Let us find out the answers**

1. The meaning of word Apostle is one who is sent.
2. (Write directly from the lesson).
3. Pope is the successor of Peter.
4. St. Thomas became martyr at Chinnamalai of Mailapur near Chennai.

##### **b. Match the following**

3. Jesus raised
4. Jesus purified
2. Jesus healed
5. Jesus drove out
1. Jesus preached

**c. Complete the columns**

Working Miracle  
 Speech faith  
 Charisms of Holy Spirit  
 Prophecy Wisdom  
 Healing

**d. My decision**

God has given different talents and gifts to children. Help children to find out this first. Give encouragement to good gifts. Instigate them to use it.

**V. Corelated Activities:**

**a. The command of Jesus.**

‘Go to the whole world and proclaim the Good News to all creatures’ – write this on a chart and display in class. Explain about this in a way suitable to children.

**b. Let us discuss**

Discuss about how we can be witness to Jesus through thought, word and deed. Give children a clear picture.

**c. More questions**

1. What did Jesus entrust his disciples to do?
2. What is the command of God?
3. Who is the leader of the disciples?
4. Name some of the special gifts and talents given by Holy Spirit
5. Why has the Holy Spirit given us different gifts?