

Reconciliation Parent/Adult Catechesis 6:1

Reflection on Mission for Reconciliation

Read each passage slowly and reflectively. When you have finished, write down what you hear regarding your mission of reconciliation in the world.

You are like salt for everyone on earth. But if salt no longer tastes like salt, how can it make food salty? All it is good for is to be thrown out and walked on. You are like light for the whole world. A city built on top of a hill cannot be hidden, and no one would light a lamp and put it under a clay pot. A lamp is placed on a lampstand, where it can give light to everyone in the house. Make your light shine, so that others will see the good that you do and will praise your Father in heaven. (*Matthew 5:13-16*)

What I hear is _____

Then Jesus said, "Come to me, all of you that are weary and carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest." (*Matthew 11:28*)

What I hear is _____

Always be glad because of the Lord! I will say it again: Be glad. Always be gentle with others. The Lord will soon be here. Don't worry about anything, but pray about everything. With thankful hearts offer up your prayers and requests to God then, because you belong to Christ Jesus, God will bless you with peace that no one can completely understand. And this peace will control the way you think and feel. Finally, my friends, keep your minds on whatever is true, pure, right, holy, friendly, and proper. (*Philippians 4: 4-8*)

What I hear is _____

Be ready! Let the truth be like a belt around your waist, and let God's justice protect you like armor. Your desire to tell the good news about peace should be like shoes on your feet. (*Ephesians 6:14-15*)

What I hear is _____

Each one of you is part of the body of Christ, and you were chosen to live together in peace. So let the peace that comes from Christ control your thoughts. And be grateful. Let the message about Christ completely fill your lives, while you use all your wisdom to teach and instruct each other. (*Colossians 3:15-16*)

What I hear is _____