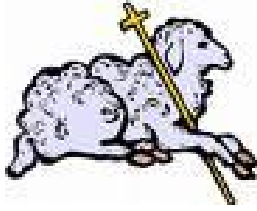


Every Day Is a Gift

Minute meditations for every day taken from the Holy Bible
and the writings of the Saints



Whoever receives one such child in My Name receives Me.

– Mt 18:5-6

REFLECTION. Do you want to do something good and holy – indeed very holy and divine?

Then work for the salvation of all young people.

– *St John Bosco*

PRAYER. *Heavenly Father, help me to see You in all children as well as in all human beings, And let me work to bring forth Your image and likeness in them.*

Matthew 18:2-6 (Jerusalem Bible)

18:2 So he called a little child to him and set the child in front of them.

18:3 Then he said, 'I tell you solemnly, unless you change and become like little children you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

18:4 And so, the one who makes himself as little as this little child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

18:5 'Anyone who welcomes a little child like this in my name welcomes me.

18:6 But anyone who is an obstacle to bring down one of these little ones who have faith in me would be better drowned in the depths of the sea with a great millstone round his neck.

瑪竇福音 18: 2 - 6 (思高)

耶穌就叫一個小孩子來，使他站在他們中間，

說：「我實在告訴你們：你們若不變成如同小孩子一樣，決不能進天國。

所以，誰若自謙自卑如同這一個小孩，這人就是天國中最大的。」

「無論誰因我的名字，收留一個這樣的小孩，就是收留我；

但無論誰，使這些信我的小孩子中的一個跌倒，倒不如拿一塊驢拉的磨石，繫在他的頸上，沉在海的深處更好。

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"This is the day the Lord has made, let us be glad and rejoice in it." –Ps 118:24

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