

“A Reminder”

Matthew 25:31-46
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In today's Bible lesson, Jesus says we should “Feed the Hungry”, “Welcome the Stranger”, and “Visit the Sick”.

In fact, the Bible has a LOT OF PLACES where Jesus tells us over and over to “Love Our Neighbor”. It is a good thing we are reminded, because we seem to be a forgetful people!

The other day, Uncle Floyd was on the phone. He was saying “I reckon I will be in touch and have it all arranged for Christmas Eve if that still works for you.” And then Gator walked into the room and suddenly Uncle Floyd became more secretive about what he was saying. Gator sort of noticed, but not really. I wonder what that call was about. I think it may have to do with Welcoming a Stranger hmmmm. Thank you, Uncle Floyd? . . .

Polly and Haman helped at “Thanks and Giving” last Sunday. They made some really nice cards to go with the meals when our church delivered all those delicious turkey dinners to people who were alone that day. What a nice way to cheer up the lonely and hungry, to deliver a Thanksgiving dinner to them! Thank you, Polly and Haman,!



And Elizabeth's family had a big Thanksgiving dinner and Mr. Mawakasunga invited a family that others do not particularly pay attention to. They invited Mr. P and his daughters Latisha and Toquoia. And he also invited Mrs. Rutabaga, who is the old woman who lives in the third-floor apartment upstairs. She often watches Latisha and Toquoia. As you can see, she is NOT a rutabaga, she is a carrot, but her husband was a rutabaga and that is why that is her name! The Mawakasungas shared their big dinner with a family who has next to nothing at home. Thank you Mawakasungas!

Maybe YOUR family could feed the hungry or visit the lonely or make a curious phone call that is bound to bring good news to someone.

Today's lesson from the book of Matthew is our reminder to be "People Helping People"!

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