

Getting Ready for Sunday!



Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time



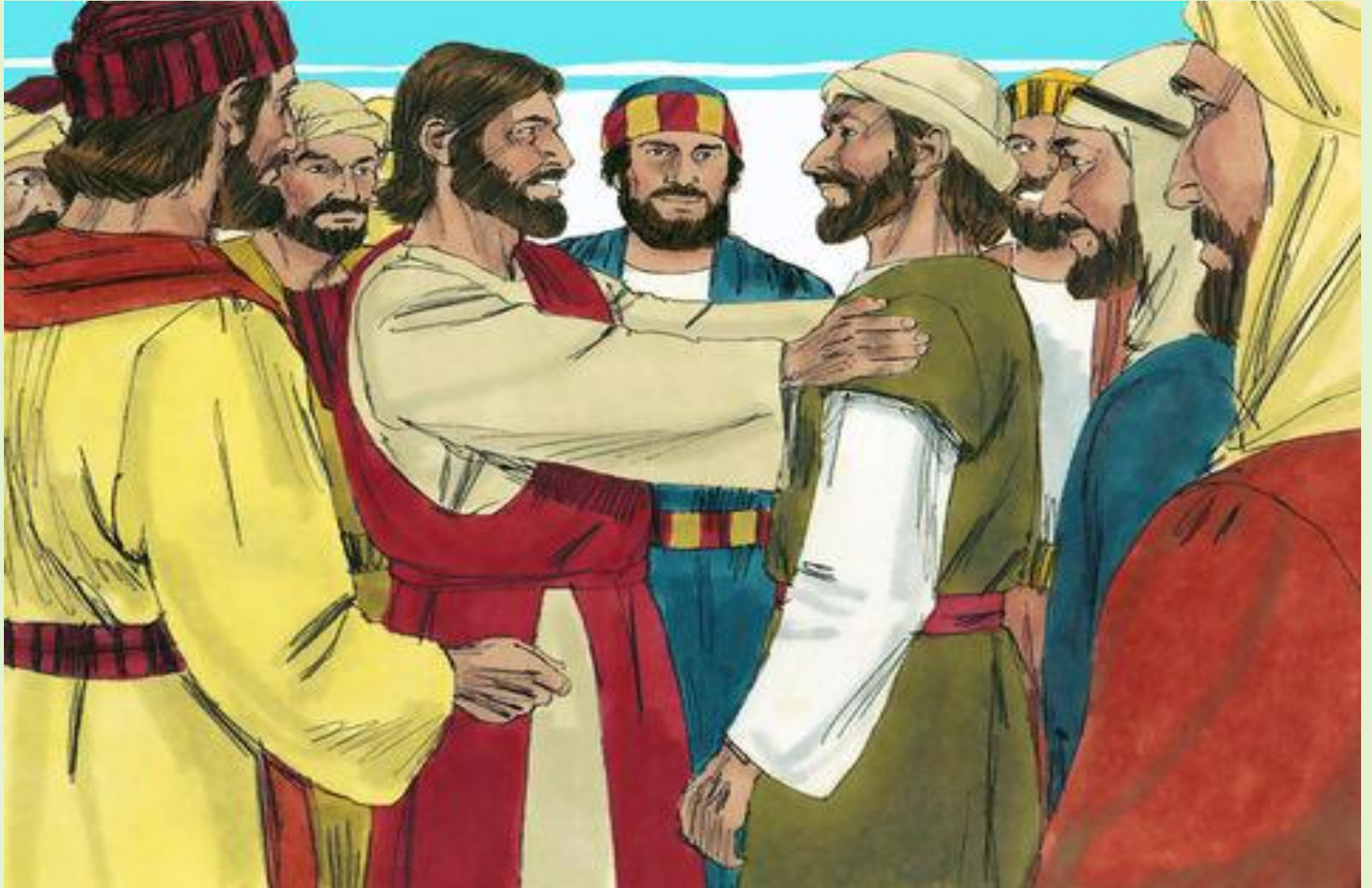
Matthew 9:36-10:8



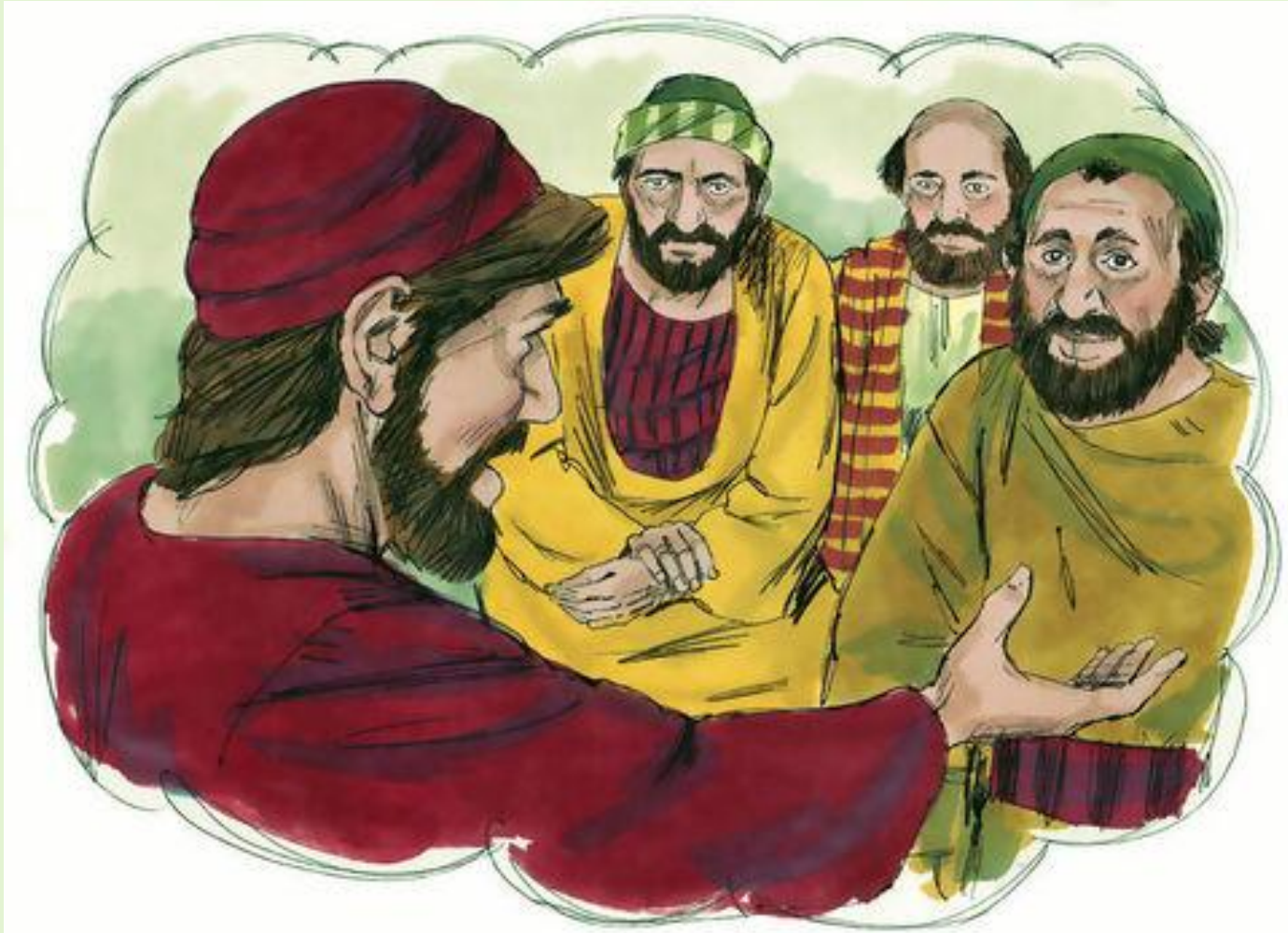
When Jesus saw the crowds he felt sorry for them because they were harassed and dejected, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, *The harvest is rich but the labourers are few, so ask the Lord of the harvest to send labourers to his harvest.*



He summoned his twelve disciples, and gave them authority over unclean spirits with power to cast them out and to cure all kinds of diseases and sickness.



These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon who is called Peter, and his brother Andrew; James the son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas, and Matthew the tax collector; James the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Zealot and Judas Iscariot, the one who was to betray him.



These twelve Jesus sent out, instructing them as follows:

Do not turn your steps to pagan territory, and do not enter any Samaritan town; go rather to the lost sheep of the House of Israel. And as you go, proclaim that the kingdom of heaven is close at hand.



Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out devils. You received without charge, give without charge.



Bible Search

Read **Matthew 9:36-10:8** in your family Bible-this is the Gospel reading at Mass this Sunday.



Consider



**Name all the gifts God has given to you.
Give thanks to God for each of these gifts.**

Praying to Jesus



Pray for the grace to be more grateful this week.

Ask God to help you to give thanks to God and others this week.

