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Sunday, February 25, 2007

Scripture Reading: Luke 4:1-13

TODAY'S THOUGHT: *Half our life is spent trying to find something to do with the time we have rushed through life trying to save.* —Will Rogers

Have you ever had an opportunity to watch children perform? Perhaps as a parent, grandparent, or even a great-grandparent, you've been able to watch the kids do something they enjoy and do it very well.

Perhaps you went to a piano recital, or a football game, or a musical. What you saw was a performance. What you didn't see were the hours of practice that supported every minute of the performance.

An excellent performance without strenuous practice is very difficult. A humorist once noted on the occasion of his 85th birthday that "the reason why I'm not doing so well at being old is that I don't have any practice."

Actually, our entire lives are practice for the performance we give today. Yet, at the same time, our actions and our lives today are the practice we're going to need for tomorrow's performance.

Prayer: Gracious God, help me to be conscious of my movements and my steps so that I might learn them well. Others are watching my example. Keep me from missteps. Amen.

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Activity Page for the week of February 25, 2007

Daily Bible Readings

Sunday: Romans 1-4

Monday: Romans 5-8

Tuesday: Romans 9-11

Wednesday: Romans 12-16

Thursday: Proverbs 1-3

Friday: Proverbs 4-7

Saturday: Psalms 19-21

Verse to Remember

What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us?

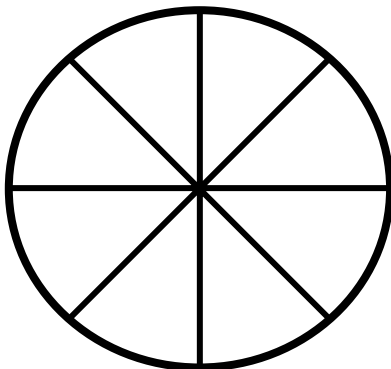
—Romans 8:31



First
Sunday
in Lent

Piece of the Pie

Arrange the numbers 1-8 so that when a number is added to its opposite, it totals nine (9)



Y IN THE WORLD!

Directions: The following words have no vowel except for a Y which provides the sound of a short i. Use the clues to help you figure out the words.

1. ___ ___ Y ___ ___ : a vault, often beneath medieval churches where the dead are entombed.
2. ___ ___ Y ___ ___ ___ : the beat and cadence of a song.
3. ___ Y ___ ___ ___ : a gift of the Magi.
4. ___ Y ___ ___ ___ : a mythical maiden living in the forests or near the water.

ANSWERS: Y-NOT—1. crypt, 2. rhythm, 3. myrrh, 4. nymph.
PIECE OF THE PIE —Start anywhere in this order, clockwise: 3,4,5,6,7,8,,1,2. There is more than one arrangement.