

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

YEAR B

LENT IS A TIME TO **WORSHIP GOD FROM** THE HEART







CONVERSATIONS

Share your highs and lows, or respond to the following:

- 1. Describe what it means to worship God.
- 2. What stops you from worshipping God? What helps you?



BIBLE READINGS

Read the following Bible readings throughout this week. Talk about what words or phrases stand out for you.

2nd reading 1st reading 1 Corinthians 1:18-25 Exodus 20:1-17 Christ crucified The Ten Commandments

> Gospel reading John 2:13-22 Jesus cleanses the temple

DISCUSS

Jesus became angry when he saw that the temple was being used as a marketplace. Why do you think he felt that way?



ACTION RESPONSE

The temple was a sacred place for God's Old Testament people. Talk together about what are sacred places or items for your household, through which you are reminded of God's presence. Design a sacred place especially for Lent. Decorate an area in your home with a cross, candles and various items, symbols or pictures associated with Lent (you may wish to use lots of purple, the church colour for Lent).



For all we eat and all we wear, for daily bread



Lord, may the words of our mouths and the thoughts of our hearts please you. Amen.



are saved.

MEALTIME PRAYER

and loving care, we thank you, God. Amen.

YOU MUSTLOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, ALL YOUR SOUL, AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND.

MATTHEW 22:37



