

G O S P E L

A reading from the Gospel according to Gospel of Luke, 3:10-16,

While John was baptizing in the Jordan River, many people came and asked him what they should do. John said to them, 'Anyone who has two coats should give one to someone who does not have a coat. Anyone who has food should share with people who are hungry.'

Tax collectors came to be baptized and they asked him, 'What must we do?'

John answered them, 'Don't make people pay more taxes than they have to.'

Soldiers also asked him, 'What about us?'

He told them, 'Don't bully people. Don't lie about anyone. And be happy with the money you are paid.'

All the people were filled with excitement. They wondered if John might be the Messiah, the one they were waiting for.

But John said to them, 'There is one who will come later, who is mightier than I am. I am not even worthy to untie his sandal straps. I am baptizing with water, but he will baptize you in the Holy Spirit.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Why do you think the people are asking John for advice?

Who is coming later?

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CAN WE TALK ABOUT IT

Today's Gospel shows a lot of different people asking John the Baptist for advice. They all want to know the secret to going to Heaven!

But the funny thing is, there is no secret. John doesn't tell them anything that they don't already know.

He tells the soldiers not be mean and bully others.

He tells people to share what they have.

It's a good reminder for us that God's way is simple to understand, but hard to do. May we live simply!

REMINDERS!

Decorate the circle below. Hang it in your room to remind you about what we are waiting for this season!

