

## Faith Summary

Ordinary Time falls outside of the seasons celebrating specific aspects of the mystery of Christ. We celebrate Ordinary Time in two parts during the liturgical year. We use this time to help us grow in our faith and our understanding of Scriptures so that we can live the way Jesus wants us to live.



### Ways of Being Like Jesus

Jesus blessed and broke bread at the Last Supper with his twelve apostles. *Pray before mealtime to thank Jesus for the many blessings he has given you.*



### Prayer

*Dear God, thank you for giving us this time to listen to your Word and grow closer to you every day. May we always feel the warmth of your light on our shoulders.*



## With My Family

**Activity** When you go to Mass during Ordinary Time, look for examples of the ideas and symbols you read about. Talk about what you see.

**Faith on the Go** Ask one another: *Why is reading Scriptures so important? How do you think it helps you grow closer to God?*

**Family Prayer** Use Ordinary Time to invite family members to grow in faith by keeping a prayer jar for special prayer intentions or requests.