3. Where do we find God?

"And after the lightning, the murmur of a gentle breeze was heard, (Prophet Elijah)



LIFE EVENT



Once upon a time there were four blind wise men, who had never met

They had an elephant, and after learning that their king owned one, they asked to meet it. The

monarch decided to grant their request.

They approached the animal and, one by one, touched the elephant to find out how It was that being.

The first wise man touched one of its tusks, and considered that the elephant was Smooth and sharp as a spear. The second one approached and touched the tail of

The elephant, and replied that it was actually more like a rope. The third would come into contact with the trunk, suggesting that the animal resembled a snake. Finally, the camera would indicate that the others must have been mistaken, since after touching the elephant's knee it concluded that it was something like a tree.

After reaching different conclusions, the wise men began to argue about who truly knew what the elephant looked like. Since they all defended their positions, they sought the help of a fifth wise man who could see. He helped them understand what the elephant truly looked like and that what they had discovered was only part of the truth.

of the animal as a whole.

WE SHARE:

- 1. What does this story teach you, how do you relate it to your knowledge of God?
- 2. Why do we need others to know God better?
- 3. Where do you think you can find God?

THE WORD OF GOD



"Then he was told, 'Go out and stand on the mountain and wait." to Yahweh, for Yahweh will pass by." First came a violent hurricane who shook the hills and broke the rocks before Yahweh. But Yahweh was not in the hurricane.

There was an earthquake, but Yahweh was not in the earthquake. Then lightning flashed, but Yahweh was not in the earthquake.

He wasn't in the lightning. And after the lightning, there was the murmur of a soft breeze. When Elijah heard it, he She covered her face with her cloak, left the cave, and stopped at her own. entrance. (1 Kings 19)

WE FOUND OUT:

- 1. We can find it in the Word of God, in the Sacraments, in prayer, in the poor, in my neighbor, in creation, and in the Church.
- 2. At Holy Mass we receive the Gospel standing, because in human words
 What we hear is God himself speaking to us.
- 3. The Church draws its life and strength from Sacred Scripture. With the exception of the The presence of Christ in the Holy Eucharist; there is nothing the Church sells more. reverently that the presence of Christ in Holy Scripture.

WEEKLY GOAL



In the Eucharist The Holy Eucharist is the Sacrament in which Jesus gives his Body and Blood for us.

In <u>the Church</u> = the called ones. We are all called by the Lord. As St. Paul says, Christ is the Head of the Church, we are the Body.

To <u>our neighbor</u> Jesus tells us in the Gospel of Matthew, "I was sick and you visited me... I was hungry and you gave me food... whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers, you did for me."

In Creation we fulfill God's creative design when we take care of the earth and effectively preserve it as a living environment, so that future generations can also live well on earth.

In our hearts <u>there</u> is a Saint named Augustine, who was determined to seek the presence of God, he sought Him in nature, in what surrounds us, and finally discovered that God is within us, in our hearts, in our conscience.

The <u>Sacraments of the Church are seven:</u> Baptism, Confirmation, Eucharist, Penance, Anointing of the Sick, Holy Orders, and Matrimony. And why do we really need the sacraments? We need the sacraments to transform our lives.

our small human life and through Jesus become like Jesus: children of God in freedom and splendor.