



## *Essential Evangelization*

### *We Are Children of God*

By our baptism we become children of God. By our Confirmation we receive the Spirit of Christ. In this Spirit we are further blessed with the fruits and gifts of His Holy Spirit. Love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness and self control should be our daily fruits. Our special gifts may also include one or more of the following talents for building His kingdom: wisdom, understanding, counsel (right judgment), fortitude (courage), knowledge, piety (reverence), and fear of the Lord (wonder and awe).

Evangelization means sharing our faith with others through the gifts that God has blessed us. One simple yet very challenging task is to share the Good News of Jesus and everlasting life through Him. To pray a prayer, give a kind word, a comforting touch, a smile, a hug, or words of wisdom. In the name of Jesus, we bring His love to all we meet. How are you using His gifts to bring the love of God to your family, parish, friends, neighbors and coworkers?

*Beloved: See what love the Father has bestowed on us, that we may be called the children of God.*

1 John 3:1

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