

CHILDREN BROCHURE
MORAVIAN CHURCH – BARBADOS CONFERENCE
Provincial Theme: Advance the Kingdom: S.H.I.F.T.



- S. – Seek & Submit
- H. – Hear & Heed
- I. – Imagine & Insight
- F. – Focus & Function
- T. – Totally Transformed

Age: 7 yrs. & Under

FUNCTION

November 15 – You shall not covet

Scripture:

Exodus 20:17 Do not want to have anything your neighbour owns. Do not want to have your neighbour's house, wife, male or female servant, ox or donkey. (NIRV)

Message:

Many times we see things that may seem nicer than the things we own. We may see someone with nicer clothes, shoes, phones, tablets, school bags and other things. Nevertheless, it is what they have and you have yours that may not be as expensive or new. So we must not be jealous of what others own for we are not too sure as to how they gained what they have. Their parents might have purchased it for them, or they might have worked to earn the money to buy what they want, or they might have received it as a gift. We would hate to think that they might have stolen it.

However they came to own what they have, it is theirs and we should not be envious of them. We must also be careful in that we may become so jealous, that we may consider stealing it. We simply need to be satisfied with what we own and make the best use of what we have. What is theirs belong to them and we should wish that it belongs to you, but if you wish to own a similar object, then make every effort to honestly gain what you want.

Activity:

Use one of the words in the list below to complete the sentences:

Thankful covet peaceful stealing greedy
belong envy grateful yours learn
result you crave

1. To c _ _ _ _ is to c _ _ _ _ what is not y _ _ _ _.
2. What is not y _ _ _ _ , does not belong to y _ _ _ .
3. E _ _ _ may r _ _ _ _ in s _ _ _ _ _ .
4. To e _ _ _ is to be g _ _ _ _ .
5. We must l _ _ _ _ to be t _ _ _ _ _ .
6. To be t _ _ _ _ _ is to be p _ _ _ _ _ .
7. To be t _ _ _ _ _ is to be g _ _ _ _ _ .

(Answers next week)

(Answers from last week)

- a. wrong
- b. hates
- c. steal, belong
- d. special
- e. sad
- f. precious
- g. steal, trouble
- h. honestly, gain

