

## **CCE PARENTS - PUT ON YOUR COACHING HATS! THE TIME TO PRACTICE IS NOW!**

It's time to start preparing your child for the SAVIOR BOWL. Below you will find a list of words and their definitions. Please practice these words with your child as if you were preparing for a vocabulary test at school. We appreciate your help and support.

### **2nd GRADE WORDS TO KNOW FOR THE SAVIOR BOWL**

**Absolution** - the words said by the priest in the Sacrament of Penance that takes away our sins.

**Apostles** - the twelve friends of Jesus who went out to tell others about Jesus after the Ascension. They became the first bishops.

**Benediction** - a church service that honors Jesus in the Holy Eucharist.

**Bible** - the holy book that God gave us. It tells us about God, His chosen people, the Savior He sent, and the early days of the Church.

**Confession** - another name for the Sacrament of Penance. It is part of the Sacrament where we tell our sins to the priest.

**Consecration** - the part of the Mass when the priest changes the bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Jesus.

**Fasting** - eating no food or less food as a way to do penance.

**Forgiveness** - the act of pardoning someone who has done something wrong.

**Genuflection** - a sign of reverence we make when we are in front of the tabernacle when we kneel down on our right knee, make the sign of the Cross, and then stand up again.

**Grace** - the life of God in our souls. We receive this from the sacraments, from prayer, and from doing good.

**Holy Eucharist** - the Sacrament in which Jesus comes to us in the form of the bread and wine; the Body and Blood of Jesus.

**Mass** - the sacrifice of Jesus on the Cross offered by the priest in our church.

**Monstrance** - a beautiful holder for the Host. It is used at a benediction service.

**Morning Offering** - a prayer we say each day. It offers all we will do and think and say to God.

**Penance** - the Sacrament in which all sins committed after Baptism are forgiven. It is also a prayer we say or something we do to make up for our sins.

**Ten Commandments** - the laws given by God to Moses.

**Venial Sin** - a small sin that makes a soul less pleasing to God.