

10 May Activities for Catholic Families

Make Mother's Day Cards for elderly parish members, shut ins, or neighbors who have family that live far away that they may not see on Mother's Day.

Plant **Marigolds** in honor of Mary.

Write out the fruits of the Holy Spirit onto plastic fruit.

Keep these out where you can discuss them with your children. Ask them to give examples of how to show them in their lives.

Plan a trip to a farm or a local greenhouse in honor of the feast day of St. Isidore the Farmer (May 15).

Pray the Rosary (or a decade with younger children) for world peace. (Our Lady of Fatima's Feast Day is May 13th)

Take a special lunch to a working family member on May 1st to thank them for the work they do to help your family.

(May 1st is the feast day of St. Joseph the Worker.)

Do a craft to celebrate the Ascension of Jesus

<http://bit.ly/12OGxny>



Fill small baskets of goodies for friends and neighbors for May Day.

Make a small floral crown, if you have a statue of Mary at your home, to do a May Crowning.

Invite family members to have a time of quiet to close their eyes, relax, and listen for guidance from the Holy Spirit.