

Children's Sermon for Oct. 6 (Theme: World Communion Sunday)

Items needed: several flavors of ice-cream (not vanilla), cup of cream in a glass container.

Who likes ice-cream? Show them your different flavors and ask them to guess what each flavor is. Point out how each flavor looks different, and each flavor tastes different. (You can get volunteers to each take a taste of one of the flavors.) Ask which flavor each child likes best. What is the same about all of these flavors? Bring out the cream and show it. What is the same about all of these flavors is that each of them have the same main ingredient. For all their differences, each of them is made up mostly of this--cream. That's why they are all called ice CREAM. Today is World Communion Sunday. Today, we remember Christians all over the world because today Christians all over the world will be celebrating Communion. Just like there are different flavors of ice-cream, but they're all made up mostly of cream, there are also different kinds of churches, but they all have the Spirit of God in them. When you see different churches, think of the different flavors of ice cream, but they've all got cream, and we all have the Spirit of the Lord in the churches.

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