

Children's sermon: September 5, 2010

"Lazy"

Look at Fred. Good lookin' guy ... but ----- HE IS LAZY.

Can you believe it? ... lazy on Labor Day weekend.

He comes home from school ... puts his books down ... doesn't do his homework ---- LAZY.

On Saturdays ... his parents ask him to clean his room.

He gets out a rag ... wipes one thing ... and then sits down ---- LAZY.

None of you are lazy like this, are you?????

I'm not sure if you are aware of this ... but we in the Lutheran church have a couple "saints" --- who are in charge of lazy people. They look like little airplanes.

**I'd like you to meet ST. AJAX.

and

**ST. COMET.

They see Fred being lazy today ... so, they fly into his house ... give him what Mattie Stepanek calls "a little bow-and-arrow pinch" ... Fred looks around ... and he hears St. Ajax and St. Comet giving him the business.

"Fred ... you are not allowed to be lazy in life.

There are tons of people who WORK to make your life good.

Parents, grandparents, friends, Sunday School teachers, neighbors they care about you.

And our boss --- GOD --- yes, God cares about you, too.

You have to give back. Do your homework, help around the house, help others, go the extra mile.

THIS IS WHAT LIFE IS ALL ABOUT."

Ajax and Comet ---- they have a lot to say.

We all have to WORK ... work together ... work to make the world a better place ...

Work is what God wants us to do ----- EVERYDAY.

I want to give each of you something to remind you of today's message.

Look what I found.

Containers of AJAX ----- 33% more in each container than usual.

Or, if you prefer ---- some COMET CLEANSER.

Have fun, my friends ----- don't work too hard today!@!!