

Pentecost C

- There was a mother who wanted her son to learn piano – **but he didn't**
 - After months of lessons – just 1 finger, Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star
 - So she took him to a concert – famous maestro to play
 - At Concert Hall, she meets friends, gets distracted & when lights dim, no son
 - Searching frantically until curtain rises & there he is sitting on stage
 - He's playing Twinkle Twinkle Little Star with 1 finger (Crowd giggles)
 - Maestro strolls onstage and whispers “keep playing”
 - Reaching around the boy he plays base with one hand, then melody w other.
 - Years later nobody remembers what else Maestro played, all remember Twinkle
- This is what it can be like for us after Communion – especially 1st Communion.
 - Before Communion we are like that 1 finger Twinkle Twinkle Little Star
 - After Communion – with the Maestro – filled with Jesus
- **Display the monstrance**
- Do you know what this is?
 - (Explain the Monstrance and Adoration)
 - Every Monday around 5PM we have Adoration at OLOS
 - I know a priest (Fr. Mateo)
 - He says after communion W E are a monstrance
 - We have JC in us – blood of JC on our lips
 - THINK
 - We go from being empty
 - To being FILLED WITH JESUS
- **Jesus wants us to be filled** – what did He say in the Gospel?
 - “Let anyone who thirsts come to me and drink”
 - “Rivers of living water will flow from within him who believes in me”
 - NOT a trickle – a River – with Jesus
- For the first time these children will leave here filled with Jesus
 - For some of us it is the 1,533rd time – but we are still filled
- As we leave here today REMEMBER – Jesus is with you & we are filled to overflowing
 - Like a river of living water
 - LET JESUS FLOW THRU YOU