

## ***Craft Ideas for Sunday September 20***

### **Stained Glass Lanterns**

Glue small pieces of tissue paper to small or medium sized mason jars. You can further personalize your jar by drawing on the tissue paper ways that you bring God's love into the world. Place a tea light in your jar and watch your creation light up!

### **DIY Kaleidoscope**

Decorate the outside of a toilet paper roll. On the inside, place a measured (4x6) piece of reflective card stock in the shape of a triangle (two folds length wise). You are finished the open ended kaleidoscope! If you want to add an end-cap with beads you can cut off an inch of another roll of toilet paper and make its diameter smaller by cutting into it and overlapping the ends by half an inch (make sure it fits into the end of the kaleidoscope – but not too loose or tight – enough to rotate.) Tape or glue a certain piece of hard plastic to one end of the end cap, and insert a circular piece of plastic to the end of your kaleidoscope. Fill the cap with colourful beads and insert it onto the end of the kaleidoscope! (look to youtube or pinterest for some help!)

***Message:*** A kaleidoscope shows how light reflecting on objects can create beautiful patterns.

### **Activity: Creek/River Clean Up**

If there is a creek or calm river close to you – you and your family or friends may want to do a clean-up of garbage. For safety, make sure to inspect the area in advance and wear gloves when picking garbage up. Remember to wear your face masks outside and keep your distance from others who are not part of your family bubble.

***Message:*** This activity open up a conversation about our responsibility to care for the sacred water we encounter.

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