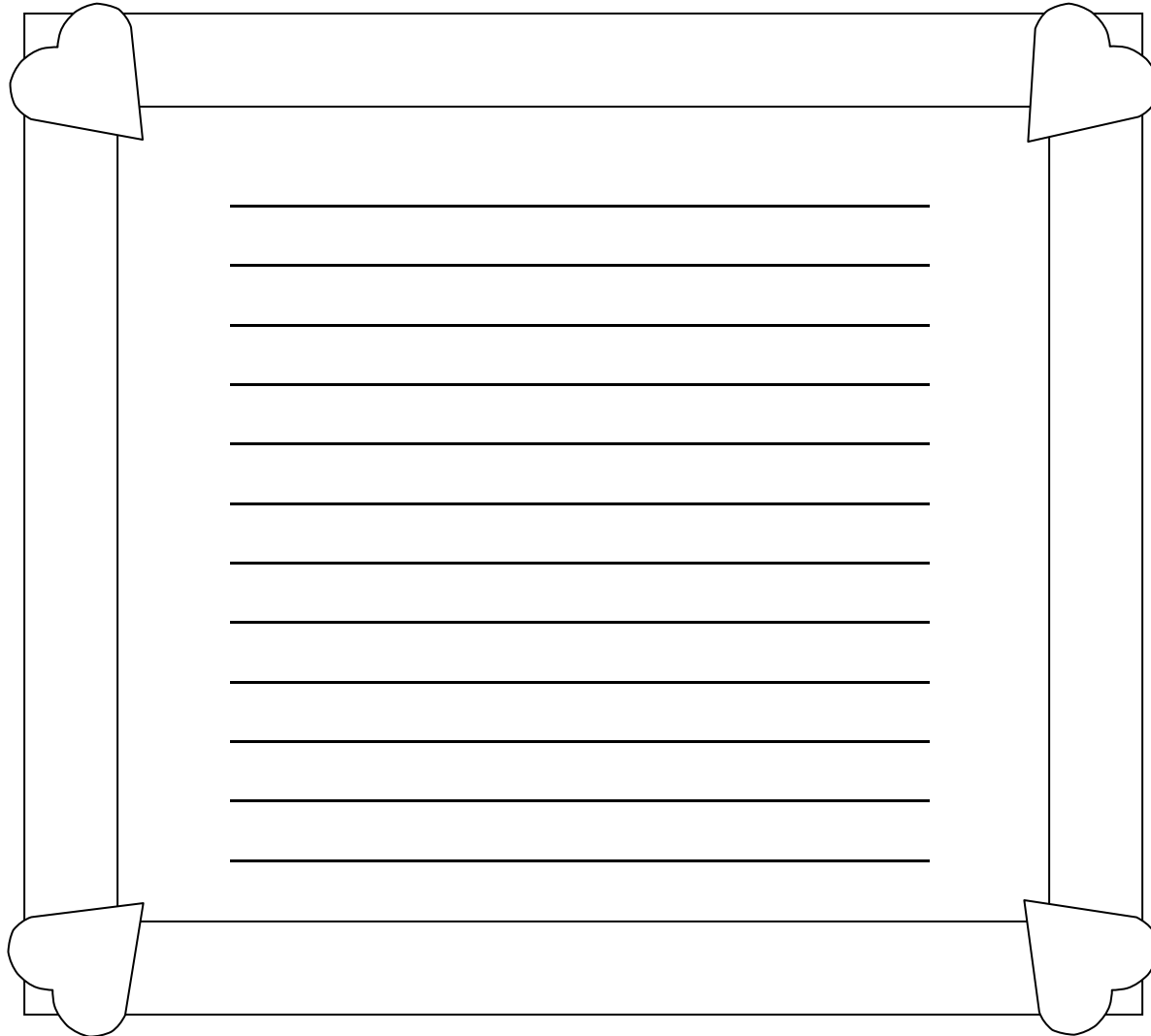


Name _____ Date _____

A Family Blessing

You have learned that the final words of the Mass are a blessing prayer. Write a blessing prayer for your family to pray each morning. In your prayer, ask God to love and care for the members of your family as they go through the day. Decorate the border of your prayer page.



The form consists of a large rectangular border. At each of the four corners, there is a heart shape that overlaps the border lines. Inside the rectangle, there are ten horizontal lines spaced evenly, providing a writing area for the blessing prayer.

Family Note: Your child is learning that the Mass concludes with a blessing. If your child completes this activity at home, encourage him or her to use family members' names in the prayer. Try to join your child in praying this prayer each morning.

Catechist Note: Use this activity page with Chapter 7, "Serving Others." Provide art materials. Remind the young people to take their completed prayer pages home to share with their families.