

Mercy in Action

Group Work / Plenary



Theme:

Franciscan Focus on the Year of Mercy

Mercy, the Face of God's Love

- What is Mercy?
- Mercy in Scripture

Franciscan Focus of Mercy

- Mercy at the Heart of Francis' Conversion
- Mercy in the Life of Francis

Mercy in Action

- Corporal Works of Mercy
- Spiritual Works of Mercy

Group Work and Plenary

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