

# KID'S CORNER

## VIRTUE OF THE MONTH: PATIENCE

Patience is the ability to wait without complaining. It looks like remaining calm when faced with something that takes a long time.

## SAINT OF THE MONTH: ST. KATERI TEKAKWITHA

Saint Kateri Tekakwitha was born around 1656 in New York. Her father was a Mohawk chief of the turtle tribe and her mother was a Christian Algonquin. When she was young, she caught smallpox with the rest of her tribe. Even though she survived, unlike the rest of her family, her face and body were left with permanent scars and her eyesight was damaged.

She is called the Lily of the Mohawks and she resolved to dedicate her life to Jesus. In fact she went so far as to choose Jesus alone for her husband and would not marry another man.

Kateri died at twenty-four years old in 1680 in Montreal, Canada. Her last words were, "Jesus, Mary, I love you." Not long after her death, the scars from the smallpox were erased and her face was radiant with joy.

Saint Kateri is the first Indigenous person of North America to be canonized. Her feast day is July 14th. Saint Kateri, pray for us!

## TRIVIA:

In the story about Samson in the Bible, what gave him his strength?  
*Answer on last page!*

## WORDS OF WISDOM:

"Mother, look at this cross; oh! How beautiful it is! It has been my whole happiness during my life, and I advise you also to make it yours."  
*- Saint Kateri Tekakwitha*

## WORD SEARCH:

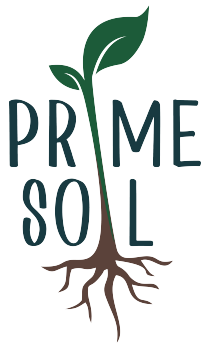
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LILY  
COURAGE  
SAMSON

KATERI  
PATIENCE  
TURTLE

SUMMER  
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FREEDOM





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## ANSWERS

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*His hair.*