"Love one another as I have loved you"

Take a few minutes to reflect on the nature of the Lord's amazing love for all people and how we can receive that love and live from it in relating to others. Read these two quotes to start:

The essence of [God's] love consists of three things, namely, to love others outside of Himself, to desire to be one with them, and from Himself to render them blessed... (*True Christian Religion* 43).

"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another" (John 13:34).

- 1. In the first column below, list the three aspects of the Lord's Love.
- 2. In the second column, jot down three events in which you felt that you were receiving the Lord's love. Another way to think of this is, what are your greatest blessings?
- 3. Finally, in the third column, reflect on how you can work on loving others as the Lord loves you, for this is His commandment to us all. What can you do to try to reflect each aspect of the Lord's love in how you relate to other people?

The Lord's Love	Receiving the Lord's Love	Loving Others