Christ teaching in home

Christ is our example. The home is God's school for his children: what sacred memories are recalled to almost every heart by that one word home: the most sacred ties of earth are centered there. It is there we receive those lasting impressions, how well we remember the prayers taught us at our mothers knee, and how often in the conflicts of life we have felt the influence of those early impressions. Home: it is there we shape our destiny, it is there our minds are moulded, it is there we first felt the impulse of religious convictions. God would have us know Him in our tender years, it is then He would have our minds instilled with those blessed truths.

There are enemies of the home which we should guard against, I will mention only a few, just to prove, that the place where our hearts best affections are centered, is in daily danger of absolute destruction by the great enemy.

The insidious foe lies in ambush, he lurkes along the way, ready to enter the most sacred spot on earth, the place nearest Heaven.

Pride is a great enemy of the home, by which we become involved, discorded, and ruined, and the home is gone. Gossip is another fireside evil and by it fires are kindled which burns like the flames of the lost.

Press of business is getting to be more and more an enemy of the home. and business cares, too often assail the peace of the domestic circle. How will we oppose these enemies: the alter of prayer is the strongest fortification, the Bible is the great law for the home, out of which we may forge weapons of defence.