

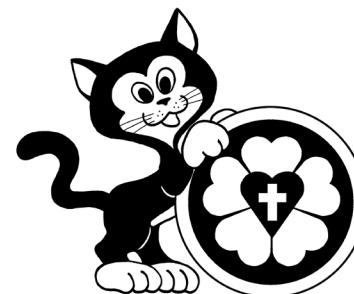
Children's Worship Pages

Season Packet

Season of Epiphany 2027

Double-Sided Bulletin Format

*(Print even and odd pages back-to-back,
with "Today's Gospel Lesson" on the front cover,
and "Children's Worship Pages" on the inside.)*



Each of worship master contains:

A young children's coloring page (Pre-Kin)

Worksheet pages for elementary-aged children

A word-find puzzle for older youth

*They can be photo-copied and handed out for worship,
or used as a basic resource for a lectionary-based
Sunday School time.*

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The Rising Star

Find the 37 **bold** words from Matthew 2:4-10 (ESV)

D E R A W R M W N H F R D D R
H E X O P C U R I E O I K R E
E C R C H P O L I S L N Z E J
R D R I E B E H E I E E A H O
O O L A U E C A G R F T S P I
D D L U E Q D E R P D T S E C
G N I R B S N I R E S I E H E
A S C E R T A I N E D R M S D
T T N P L C E O R G V W B W L
A A E Y H S M J O Y L O L O O
E R M R T M J U D E A Y I R H
R Y I S U S E B I R C S N S E
G S B S E C R E T L Y Z G H B
T M E H E L H T E B H G N I K
L E A R S I P R O P H E T P K

And **assembling** all the **chief priests** and **scribes** of the people, [Herod] **inquired** of them where the **Christ** was to be **born**. They told him, "In **Bethlehem** of **Judea**, for so it is **written** by the **prophet**: 'And you, O Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a **ruler** who will **shepherd** my people **Israel**.'" Then **Herod** **summoned** the **wise men** **secretly** and **ascertained** from them what time the **star** had **appeared**. And he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, "Go and **search diligently** for the **child**, and when you have found him, **bring me word**, that I too may come and **worship** him." After listening to the **king**, they went on their way. And **behold**, the star that they had seen when it **rose** went before them until it came to **rest over** the place where the child was. When they saw the star, they **rejoiced exceedingly** with **great joy**.

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Today's Gospel Lesson

Feast of the Epiphany

January 6, 2027

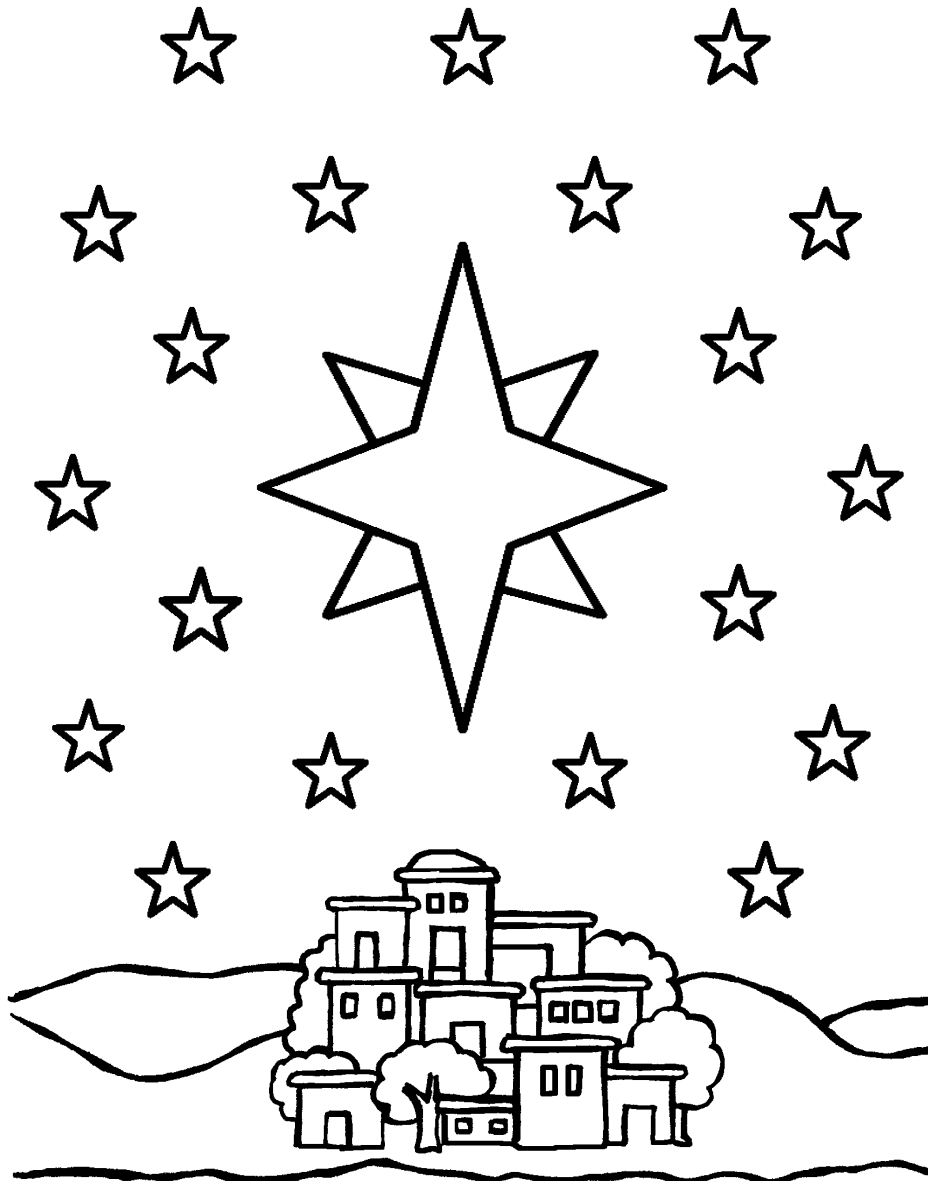


The wise men followed a star to find baby Jesus.

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A very special star led the wise men on their journey to find Jesus. It was called the "Star of Bethlehem."

*Decorate the Star of Bethlehem to make it stand out.
Then, color the rest of the picture, as well!*



The wise men were excited to meet the young Messiah.
When they finally found him, they gave him
gifts fit for a king!

Draw lines to match each gift with its correct definition.



Frankincense



Myrrh



Gold

This precious metal can conduct electricity. It was used to create money or jewelry, and is found by mining and panning.

Made from tree sap, this milky-white substance smells very good. Hint: It was used to make both incense and perfume, and rhymes with one of them!

This good smelling substance is also made from tree sap. Reddish in color, it was used in ointments and to treat wounds.

*If you were with the wise men, what would you give Jesus?
Write about it here:*



Baptism of the Beloved Son

Find the 36 **bold** words from Mark 1:4-11 (ESV)

K P P L E A S E D S P I R I T
H K J B P L S U S E J S U T B
O R E T A W E E M J G N Q P A
L E R E P E N T A N C E A S P
Y I U V G R E C I O V V A E T
H T S O E N V M B S N A D Y I
T H A D E Z I T P A B E G T Z
R G L E N A G D D L P H A S I
O I E H L H R R N L T T L I N
W M M C P C O N F E S S I N G
B T O A O J F J R W C T L S T
B R V E O S L A D N A S E N M
P P A R T S Z B E L O V E D L
C W Y P S A E D U J R P A D T
X F M U N T I E N R O T V F C

John appeared, **baptizing** in the **wilderness** and **proclaiming** a **baptism** of **repentance** for the **forgiveness** of **sins**. And all the country of **Judea** and all **Jerusalem** were going out to him and were being **baptized** by him in the river **Jordan**, **confessing** their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair and wore a leather belt around his waist and ate locusts and wild honey. And he **preached**, saying, "After me comes he who is **mightier** than I, the **strap** of whose **sandals** I am not **worthy** to **stoop** down and **untie**. I have baptized you with **water**, but he will baptize you with the **Holy Spirit**." In those days **Jesus** came from **Nazareth** of **Galilee** and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And when he came up out of the water, immediately he saw the **heavens** being **torn open** and the Spirit **descending** on him like a **dove**. And a **voice** came from heaven, "You are my **beloved Son**; with you I am **well pleased**."

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Today's Gospel Lesson

Baptism of Our Lord

January 10, 2027

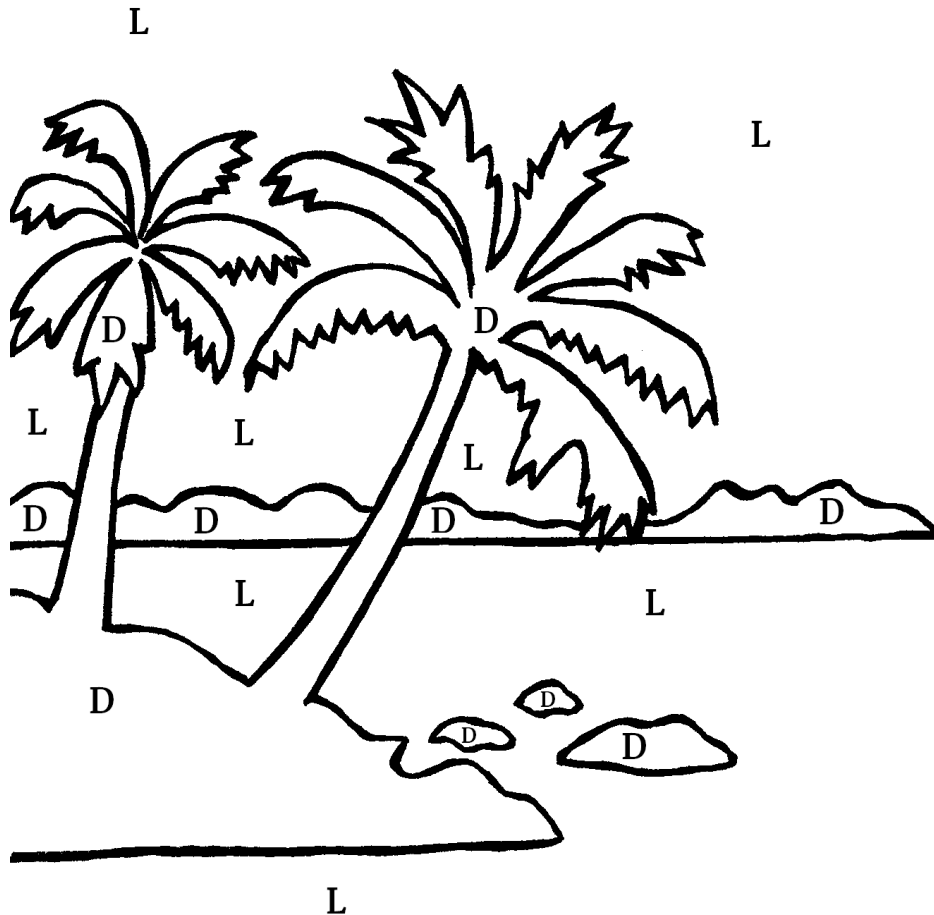


**When Jesus was baptized,
the Holy Spirit descended on him like a dove.**

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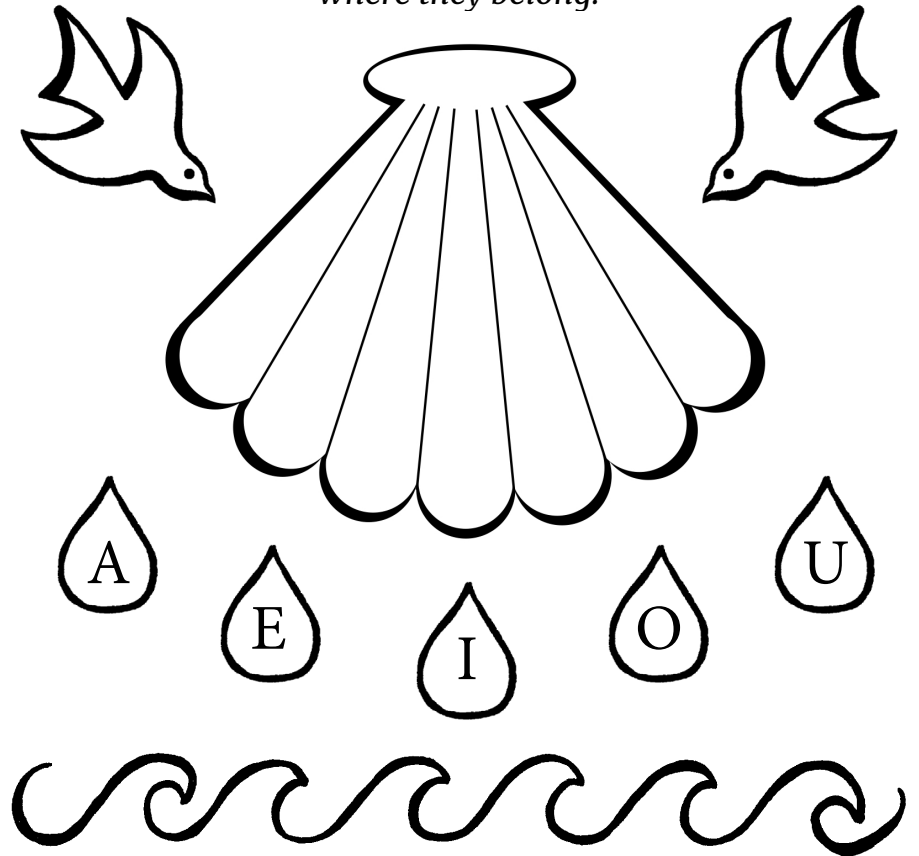
God spoke, and there was light.
What might it have looked like when God first created
the world, with all of its light and shadow?

*To find out, make a silhouette picture!
Color all of the areas marked "D" with a dark colored crayon.
Then, color the areas marked "L" with a light colored crayon.*



What did the voice from heaven say
after Jesus was baptized?

*To find the answer, look at the vowels in the water droplets.
Then, place those vowels in the blank spaces
where they belong.*



“Y___r___
my b___l___v___d S___n;
w___th y___ I ___m
w___ll pl___s___d.”

(Check your answer in Mark 1:11).

Finding Nathanael

Find the 31 **bold** words from John 1:43-49 (ESV)

W M I G U E X S D I P E T E R
M O O G Y E R E O S E M O C H
M O N D J L A E G R S F W R T
D I S K Z I B R C A V O P A P
K H Z E N L B T S E N I N R S
B E T H S A I D A L L D O J R
R D J X T G T S Y I E P R B M
C Z O Y D E E H H T H A E E Q
O L S R X E R P A E T H R Z W
U R E L R U U A T N O O D S A
T T P C K N N S Z L A N C U I
T U H T I E C E D A U E E S E
F O L L O W L A W O N U L E I
X G Y Y B W Z J F L G M X J S
G N I H T Y N A G I F W L S I

The next day **Jesus** decided to go to **Galilee**. He **found Philip** and said to him, “**Follow** me.” Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of **Andrew** and **Peter**. Philip found **Nathanael** and said to him, “We have found him of whom **Moses** in the **Law** and also the **prophets** wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the son of **Joseph**.” Nathanael said to him, “Can **anything good come out of Nazareth?**” Philip said to him, “Come and **see**.” Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him and said of him, “**Behold**, an **Israelite** indeed, in whom there is no **deceit!**” Nathanael said to him, “How do you **know** me?” Jesus answered him, “Before Philip called you, when you were under the **fig tree**, I **saw** you.” Nathanael answered him, “**Rabbi**, you are the **Son of God!** You are the **King of Israel!**”

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Today's Gospel Lesson

Second Sunday after the Epiphany

January 17, 2027



Jesus invited Philip and Nathanael to follow him.

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As Psalm 139 says,
God is with you no matter where you are;
even in the darkest, scariest places!



*Draw something that frightens you.
Then, draw Jesus sitting beside you in that
place. Nothing is too scary for him.
He will always be there for you.*



*"If I take the wings of the morning and dwell in the uttermost
parts of the sea, even there your hand shall lead me, and your
right hand shall hold me." (Psalm 139:9-10)*

Your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit (1 Cor. 6:19).
Treat it with respect!

*What are some ways you can care for your body,
and by so doing, honor God?
Find the answers by changing one letter
of the words that are in parentheses.*

I take care of myself by...

Eating healthy (FOOT) _____

Getting enough (SLEET) _____

Taking regular (PATHS) _____

Speaking kind (WORMS) _____

Brushing and (GLOSSING) _____

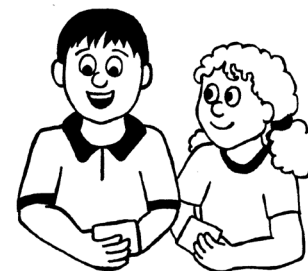
Praying before (SEALS) _____

Going to the doctor when I'm (SILK) _____

Getting some exercise each (DAD) _____

Washing my (SANDS) _____

Spending time with (OTTERS) _____



Followers

Find the 31 **bold** words from Mark 1:14-20 (ESV)

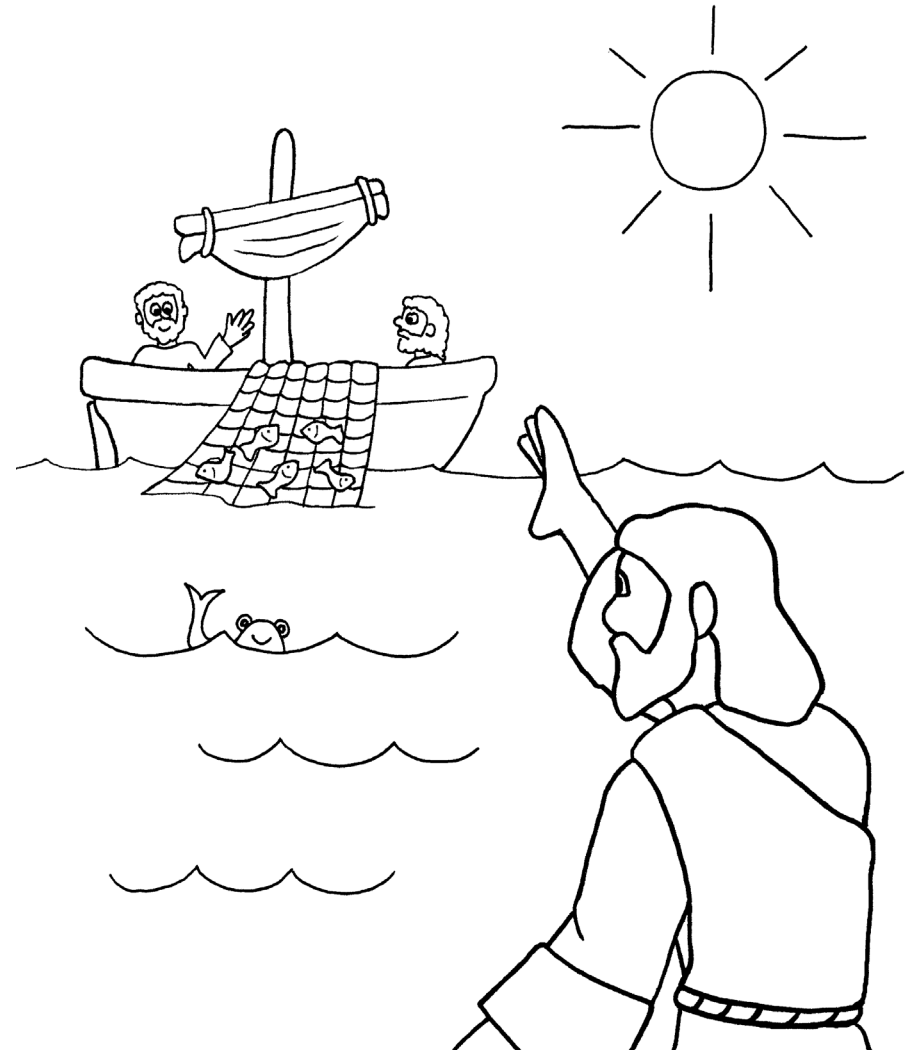
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G R O T W F E V V T W U I I O
J N O N D Y E L C F K S M S L
L M I C J I S F I A H E E H L
E O M D L O F S F L S J A E O
P D P E N A H A U A A T U R W
S G B O D E I N L B N G I S H
O N M M R O M M F R U D L N F
G I Y M E T G M I M E E R A G
S K E J A M E S L N F H R E T
U N R E P E N T L T G T T E W
B R O T H E R E E S H U N A M
D E L L A C E E D E B E Z E F
D E T S E R R A R T A O B S V
Y U K D M E N Q W C V Q X X T

Now after **John** was **arrested**, **Jesus** came into **Galilee**, **proclaiming** the **gospel** of **God**, and saying, “The **time** is **fulfilled**, and the **kingdom** of God is at hand; **repent** and **believe** in the gospel.” Passing alongside the **Sea** of Galilee, he saw **Simon** and **Andrew** the **brother** of Simon **casting** a **net** into the sea, for they were **fishermen**. And Jesus said to them, “**Follow** me, and I will make you become **fishers** of **men**.” And immediately they **left** their nets and followed him. And going on a little **farther**, he saw **James** the **son** of **Zebedee** and John his brother, who were in their **boat** **mending** the nets. And immediately he **called** them, and they left their **father** Zebedee in the boat with the hired servants and followed him.



Today's Gospel Lesson

Third Sunday after the Epiphany
January 24, 2027

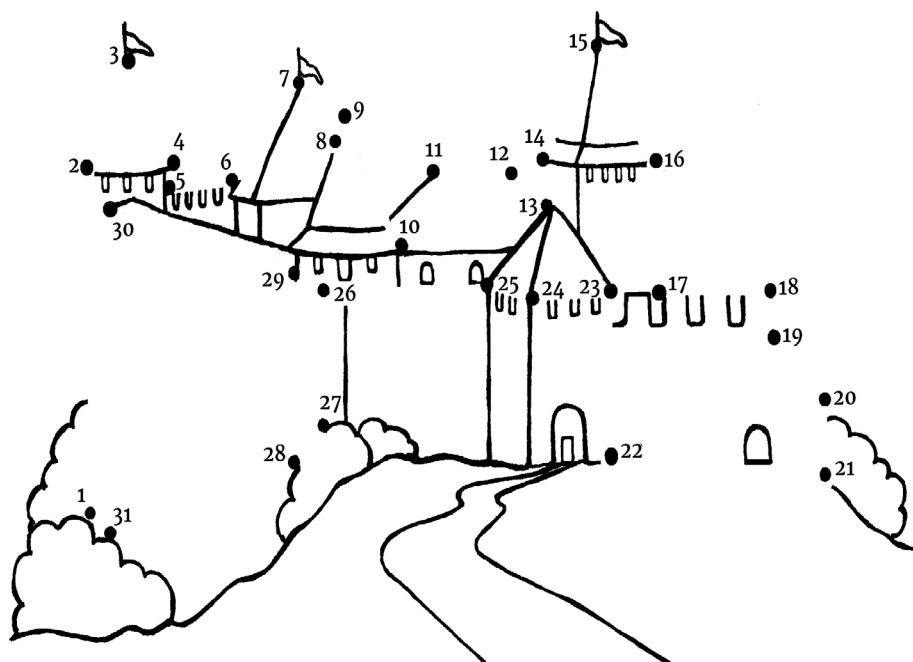


Jesus chose some fishermen to follow him.

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Psalm 62 says that God alone is our rock and salvation,
our _____.
What is the missing word?

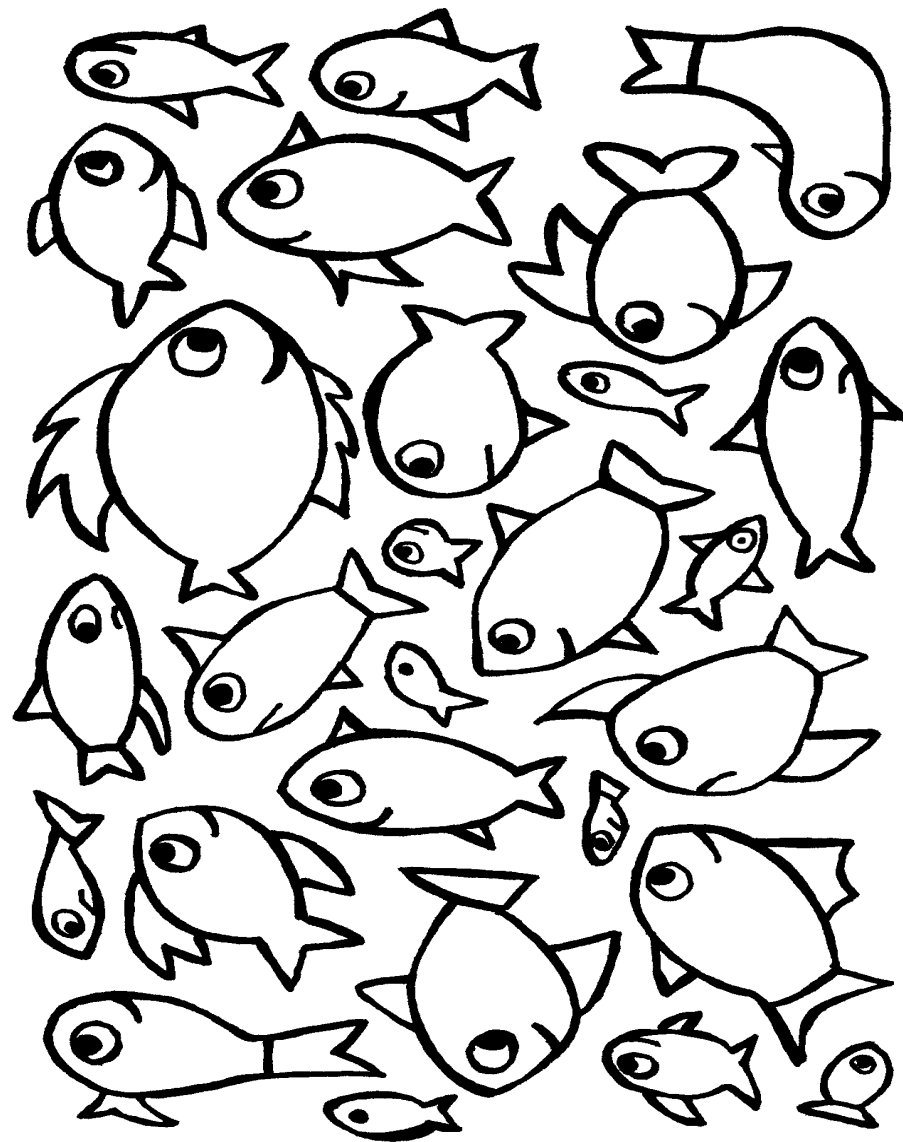
*To find out, do the dot-to-dot.
Then, unscramble the letters at the bottom of the page.
Write the new word on the blank lines.*



T O R E S F R S

It is good to be a follower of Jesus! But not everyone knows much about him. Who can you tell about Jesus?

Write their names in the fish shapes below. Color each fish!



*“Follow me, and I will make you become fishers of men.”
(Mark 1:17)*

Spreading Fame

Find the 31 **bold** words from Mark 1:21-28 (ESV)

G I S E D D C T O E T A R W T
S N M Y E E E R R N S U E G N
S A I Z N A S E I E E T B M E
F D A S C A H T B E G H U J L
T M N H L W G I R A D O K D I
A I I A Y U R O L O V R E E S
D N R R M C V I G O Y I D N Y
G U E I S M L N I U J T H O E
N V O E P E O C O R E Y T I B
E B Q L E S E C I C S Y A T O
C A P E R N A U M O U T B S G
U N C L E A N I X T S L B E O
S I U D E H S I N O T S A U D
H T E R A Z A N Y L O H S Q N
T H G U A T S P R E A D D C R

And they went into **Capernaum**, and immediately on the **Sabbath** he entered the **synagogue** and was **teaching**. And they were **astonished** at his teaching, for he **taught** them as one who had **authority**, and not as the **scribes**. And immediately there was in their synagogue a man with an **unclean spirit**. And he cried out, "What have you to do with us, Jesus of Nazareth? Have you come to destroy us? I know who you are—the **Holy One of God**." But Jesus **rebuked** him, saying, "Be **silent**, and come out of him!" And the unclean spirit, **convulsing** him and crying out with a **loud voice**, came out of him. And they were all **amazed**, so that they **questioned** among themselves, saying, "What is this? A new teaching with authority! He **commands** even the unclean spirits, and they **obey** him." And at once his **fame spread everywhere** throughout all the surrounding region of **Galilee**.



Today's Gospel Lesson

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany
January 31, 2027



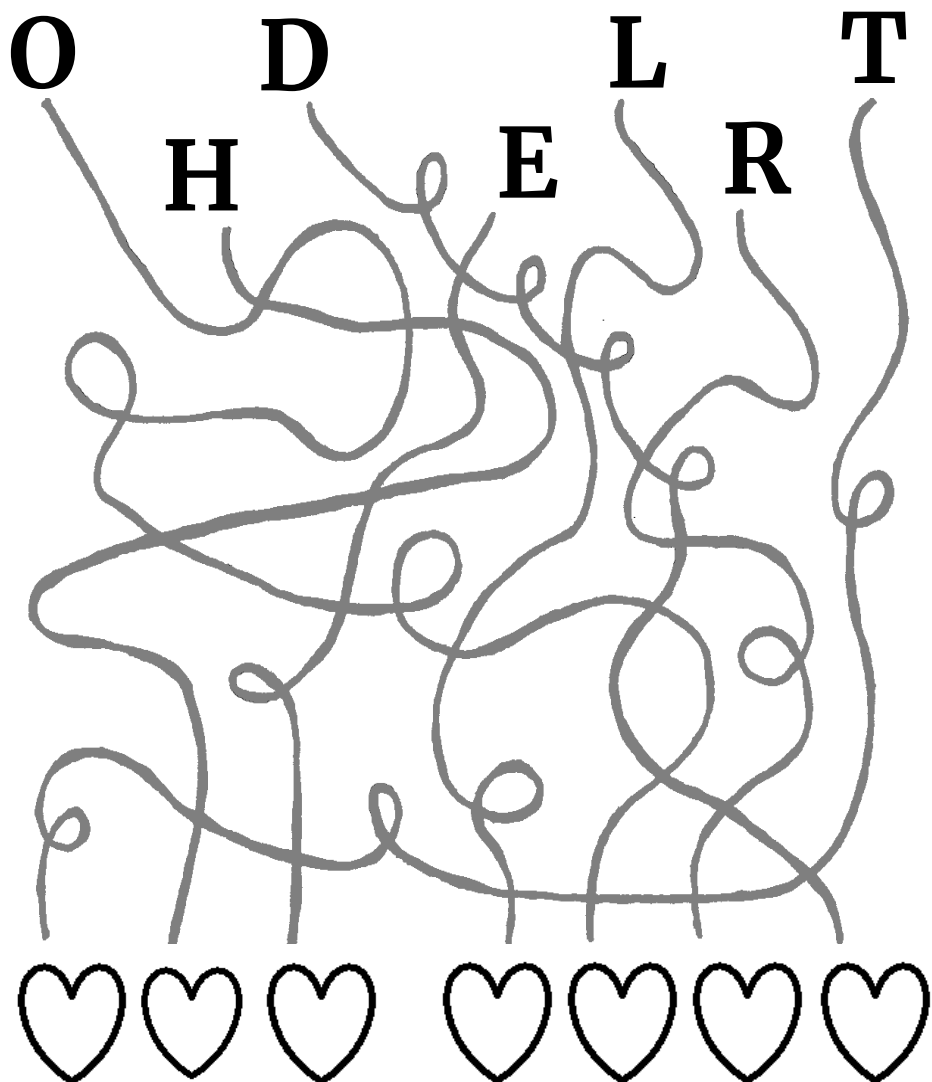
Jesus cast out evil spirits.

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Who is always gracious and merciful?
Psalm 111 has the answer!

Start at a letter, and follow the squiggly line to a heart.
Then, write the letter in that heart.

Do this for every letter!

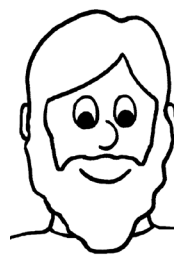


Jesus is king over all the earth.
Even the unclean spirits must listen to him!

The first letter is missing from each of the words below.

Fill them in, using the gray boxes.

Then, write those same letters on the blank lines
at the bottom of the page to complete the verse.



JESUS IS...



	r	u	t	h	f	u	l			
	e	a	v	e	n	l	y			
	x	c	e	l	l	e	n	t		
	o	u	t	h	f	u	l			
	b	e	d	i	e	n	t			
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	x	c	i	t	i	n	g			
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	o	l	y							
	m	p	o	r	t	a	n	t		
	e	s	s	i	a	h				

“He commands even the unclean spirits and

_____.”

(Mark 1:27 ESV)

Spreading Fame

Find the 33 **bold** words from Mark 9:2-9 (ESV)

G I S E D D C T O E T A R W T
S N M Y E E E R R N S U E G N
S A I Z N A S E I E E T B M E
F D A S C A H T B E G H U J L
T M N H L W G I R A D O K D I
A I I A Y U R O L O V R E E S
D N R R M C V I G O Y I D N Y
G U E I S M L N I U J T H O E
N V O E P E O C O R E Y T I B
E B Q L E S E C I C S Y A T O
C A P E R N A U M O U T B S G
U N C L E A N I X T S L B E O
S I U D E H S I N O T S A U D
H T E R A Z A N Y L O H S Q N
T H G U A T S P R E A D D C R

And after **six days** Jesus took with him **Peter** and **James** and **John**, and **led** them up a **high mountain** by themselves. And he was **transfigured** before them, and his **clothes** became **radiant**, **intensely white**, as no one on earth could **bleach** them. And there **appeared** to them **Elijah** with **Moses**, and they were talking with Jesus. And Peter said to Jesus, “**Rabbi**, it is good that we are here. Let us make **three tents**, one for you and one for Moses and one for Elijah.” For he did not know what to say, for they were **terrified**. And a **cloud overshadowed** them, and a **voice** came out of the cloud, “This is my **beloved Son**; **listen** to him.” And suddenly, looking around, they no longer saw anyone with them but Jesus **only**. And as they were coming down the mountain, he **charged** them to tell no one what they had seen, until the Son of **Man** had **risen** from the **dead**.



Today's Gospel Lesson

Transfiguration

February 7, 2027

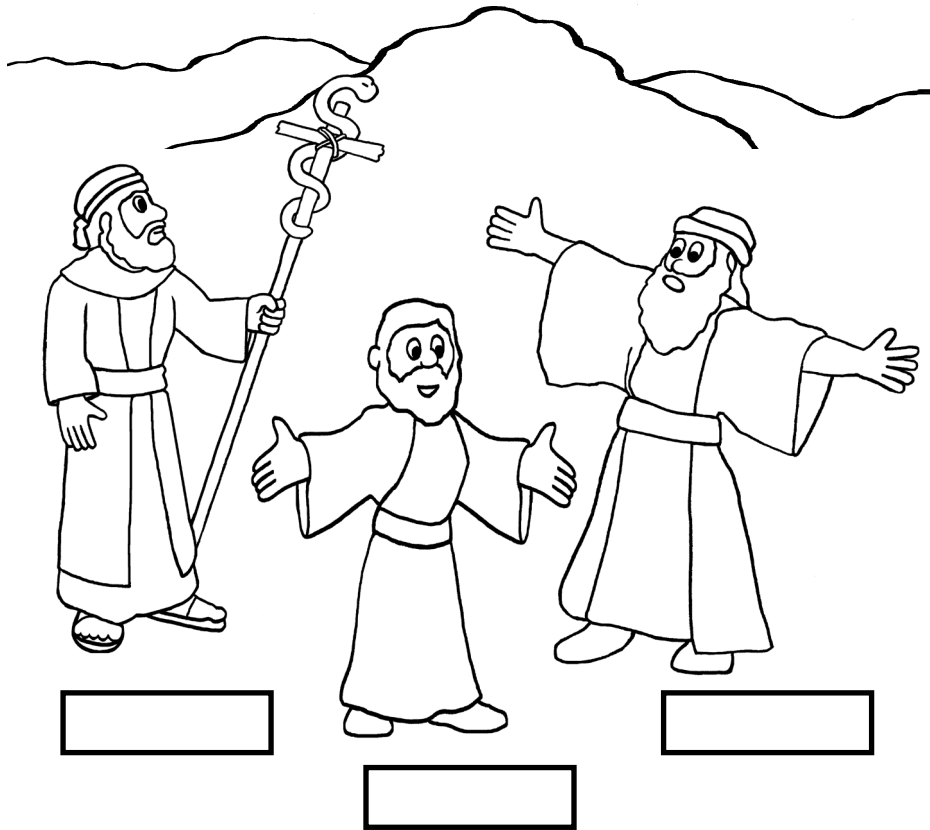


As Jesus was on a mountain, a voice from heaven said,
“This is my beloved Son.”

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At the Transfiguration,
two other men appeared on the mountain with Jesus .
Who were they?

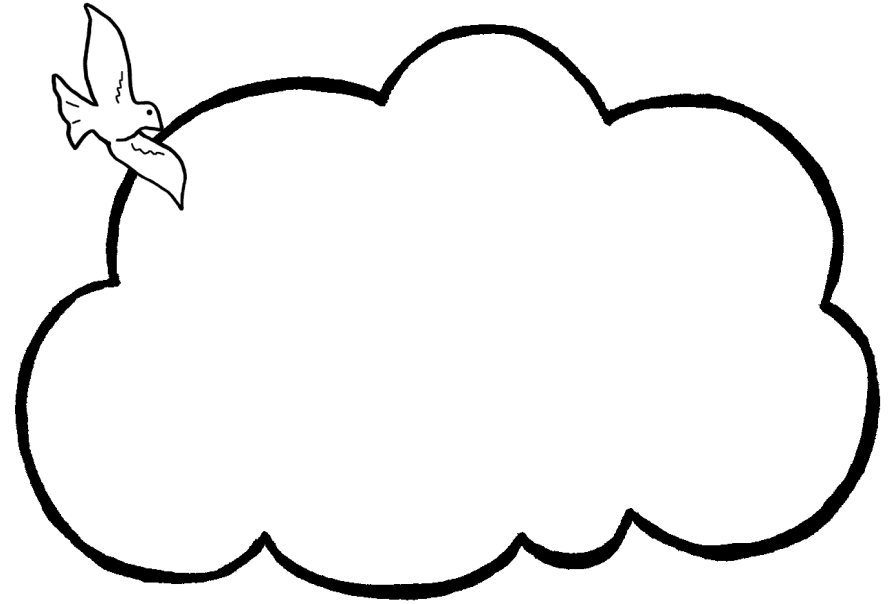
*To find out, look at the clues below.
Write each person's name in the box beneath him.
Then, color everyone!*



Moses has a long staff and is wearing sandals.
Elijah is wearing a hat and has his arms open wide.
Jesus is smiling and welcoming Peter, James and John.

What did the voice from the cloud say
when Jesus was Transfigured?

*To find out, cross out all of the As, Cs, Fs, and Gs
in the letter puzzle below. Write the remaining letters
inside the cloud. Then, divide those letters into words
and write them on the lines at the bottom of the page.*



ACFTAHCISAFGICSGAMCYFG
ACSGGAOANFCLGAICSGATAGEC
NACTGGOACHAGCIFGAMGCAFC

“ _____ ;
_____ .”



(Mark 9:7 ESV)