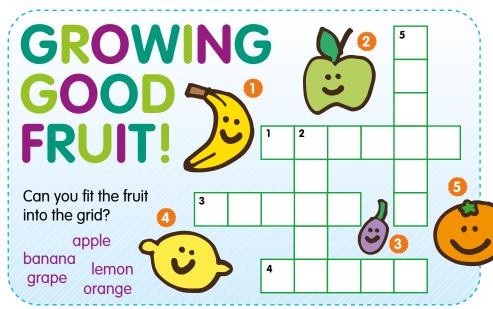
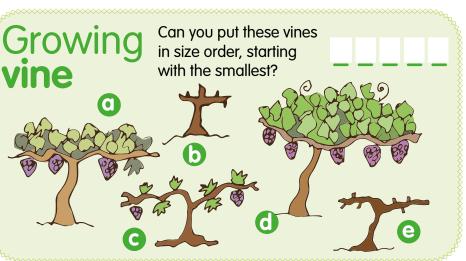
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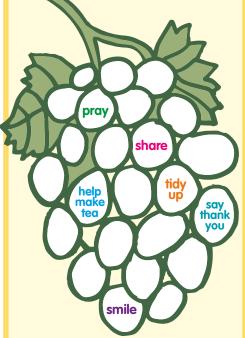
Jesus tells the people that he is like a vine. Father, God in heaven, is like the gardener who looks after the vine, and we are like the branches that the grapes grow on.



Bearing good fruit

The good things we do are "good fruit". How will you share God's love and grow good fruit this week? Add some of your own ideas.





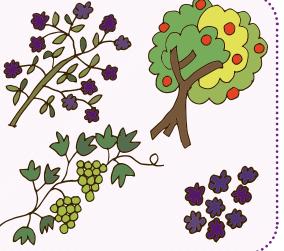
Colour in the grape when you complete the mission.

Which fruit? Here is a vine, a tree and a bush. Which fruit

grows on which plant?



Draw a line to match each fruit to the right plant.



A PRAYER TO SAY

Dear Jesus, thank you for giving me everything I need to grow. Please help me to grow in your love and bear good fruit. Amen.

Answers: 1.Banana, 2.Apple, 3.Grape, 4. Lemon, 5.Orange. Size order is b, e, c, a, d.

IN THE GOS PEL TODAY

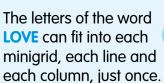
Jesus said that he loves us just as his Father God loves him. If we listen carefully to what Jesus teaches us we will know that love. Jesus' commandment to us is to love one another.

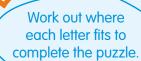
LOVE ONE ANOTHER

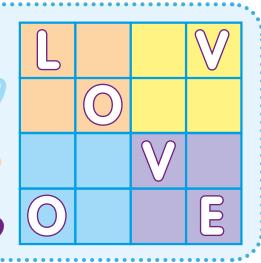
Rearrange the tiles to make Jesus' commandment for us











Stay in my love

We show how much we love Jesus when we live as he asks. Find some of the ways we can show how much we love Jesus.

CARE, GIVE, LOVE, PLAY, **PRAY, SHARE**

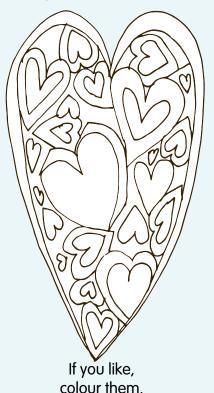






Love is all around

We know that Jesus loves us. We use a heart as a symbol of love. Count how many hearts you can see here.



A PRAYER TO SAY

Dear Jesus, we know that you love us, whatever we do. Help us to love one another as you taught us to, even though it is sometimes hard to do. Amen.

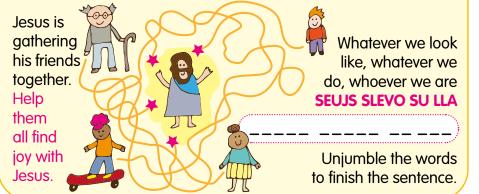
Answers: The tiles spell "love one another". There are 35 hearts

Sunday 16 May 2021 John 17:11-19 7th Sunday of Easter

GOS PEL TODAY

Jesus prays to God the Father, asking God to look after his disciples. Jesus has taught his friends all about God the Father and how much God loves them. Jesus wants us all to know God's joy in our hearts.

JESUS BRINGS JOY

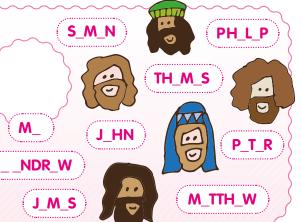


Jesus' friends

Jesus' disciples were Jesus' special friends. Here are the names of some of them.

Fill in the vowels (a e i o) and try to remember the names.

Draw yourself with them!



wordsearch

Here are some things which may make you feel joyful. Look up and down, backwards and forwards to find them:

BALLS MUSIC

BIKES PETS

DANCING PLAY

FAMILY PRAYER

FRIENDS READING ICECREAM SINGING

LOVE SUNSHINE

Joy with Jesus!

William is happy because he knows that Jesus loves him.





Spot **five** differences between the two pictures.

Dear Jesus, we know that you love us - thank you! May we feel the joy in our hearts that loving you brings. Help us to share our joy with other people. Amen.

Answer: Jesus loves us all. The disciples are Peter, James, John, Andrew, Thomas, Simon, Matthew, Philip and me. The differences are hair, top, backgrounds, shoes and pockets.

Sunday 23 May 2021 John 15:26-27; 16:12-15 **Pentecost**

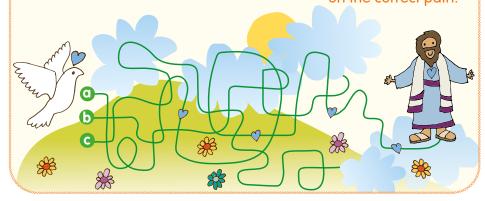
GOS PEL TODAY

Jesus tells his friends that a special helper will come, called the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit will be their teacher and will speak to them just as Jesus did when he was alive and with them. The Holy Spirit will show the disciples what they must do and what they must say in Jesus' name.

YOU ARE NOT ALONE

The Holy Spirit helps us every day.

Let the Holy Spirit guide you to Jesus on the correct path.



God's love

The Holy Spirit shows us how much God the Father loves us. God loves you more than you could ever imagine.

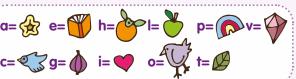
Spirit of truth

Jesus says the Holy Spirit is the **Spirit** of Truth.

Can you crack the code to discover the truth about Jesus?







Draw a picture under the umbrella of God's love, all the people who love you.

Pass it on!

God the Father sent us the Holy Spirit to teach the world about Jesus. Can you spot the

disciples in the crowds sharing the message of Jesus by speaking or helping? What are some of the different things they are doing?



The Holy Spirit inspired the disciples to learn more and teach others.

A PRAYER TO SAY

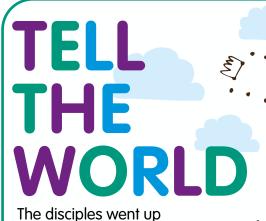
Dear Jesus, send us your Spirit to teach, guide and help us. Amen.

Answers: You are not alone: Path b. Spirit of truth: love, peace, hope, light



IN THE GOS PEL TODAY

he disciples meet Jesus on a mountain in Galilee. Jesus gives them a very important task: he asks them to go and make other people his disciples, baptising them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. Jesus tells his friends that he will be with them always.

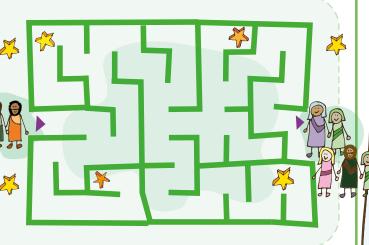


Join the dots to see who met them there.

Go, make disciples 🚜

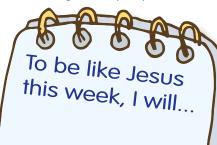
a mountain.

Jesus asked the disciples share his message of love. Guide the disciples to their friends so they can tell them about Jesus.



Be like Jesus

We can teach the world about Jesus by living as Jesus did and loving other people.

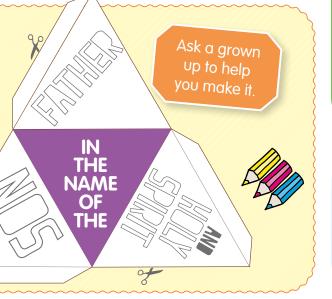


What can you do this week to be just like Jesus? Draw or write your ideas on the Action List.

To make

Jesus told his friends to baptise people in the name of the Trinity: Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Colour and decorate the pyramid.



A PRAYER TO SAY

Dear Jesus, I know you love me. Please be with me always, as you were with the disciples. Amen.