

Sunday 4 April 2021  
John 20:1-9  
Easter Sunday of the Resurrection of the Lord

IN THE GOSPEL TODAY

My name is \_\_\_\_\_

# JESUS IS ALIVE!

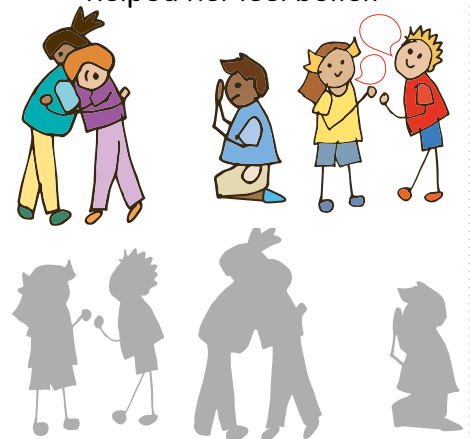
Join the dots to see what Mary found at Jesus' tomb early that Sunday morning.



When Mary Magdalen arrives at Jesus' tomb, she finds the stone has been rolled away. Mary runs and tells Simon Peter and another disciple, who discover that Jesus' body is gone. **They do not understand yet that Jesus has risen from the dead.**

## When someone is sad...

Mary was upset that Jesus was gone. Talking to Simon Peter helped her feel better.



Match the shadows to see how you can help people who are feeling sad.

## See for yourselves

Mary Magdalen told Simon Peter and his friend that Jesus' tomb was empty. **Can you help them find their way to the empty tomb so they can see for themselves?**



## God's plan

Jesus' friends were upset the tomb was empty. They thought someone had stolen Jesus' body. But God had a bigger, better plan.



a = sun e = palm h = house j = flower n = arch r = heart t = harp

d = rock f = rainbow i = cloud m = harp o = house s = person u = musical note

Decode the letters to find out what the plan is.

## A PRAYER TO SAY

Dear Jesus, when Mary saw your tomb was empty, she was very sad. She didn't understand the good news that you had risen from the dead. Sometimes we don't always understand what is happening. When we are sad, help us to trust that you always have a bigger and better plan. Amen.