



March 2003  
Miami, Fl.

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

This year Lent began on March 05 with Ash Wednesday. There are 40 days of Lent. Lent is time for extra prayer, sacrifices and acts of kindness especially for poor people. Favorite lenten prayer forms are: bible reading, stations of the cross and daily mass.

Show the children the graces we gain with the Sacrament of Reconciliation. This is a good time to explain the children the meaning of forgiveness as we say *It in the Our Father "Forgive our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us"*. Let's teach them about the graces we gain in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

Let explain the children why we fast and abstain of meat.

Try to make two station of the cross with the children each week, beginning the first week of lent. by Good Friday you will have done all the station of the cross.

Enclosed you will find some feasts and saints of this months :

March 05	Ash Wednesday	March 25	The Annunciation
March 17	Saint Patrick	<b>March 27</b>	<b>Leader's Workshop</b>
March 19	Saint Joseph		

Enclosed Materials:

- a) Monthly Calendar
- b) Short stories and coloring – pages of some saints of this months.
- c) Calendar for Lent
- d) Brief meditation of Sunday Gospel

Suggested Videos: (All available in the video club of the F.C.P.)

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| 1. - Easter Story      | 4.- The Life of Christ II(father Peyton)  |
| 2. - Saint Patrick     | 5.- Resisting Temptation 6.- Penance(SHC) |
| 3. - Ten Commandements | 7.- Jesus dies on the cross 8.- Lent      |

**Our next meeting will be on March 27 . Please come and share with us.**

From 11:00 A.M. To 1:00 P.M From 7:00 P.M. To 9:00 P.M.

On March 1 and 2 we will have the First International Eucharistic Conference at the Hyatt Regency. This will be a very special event. Try to attend!!!

**From now on, our monthly package will be in the internet. If you have access to it, let us know. In this way next month it will not be send to you and you will be helping our ministry with the mailing expenses.**

May God Bless You Always,

Friends of Jesus and Mary

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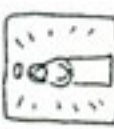

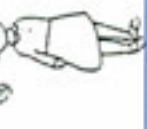

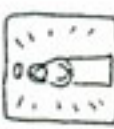
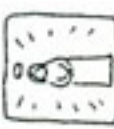
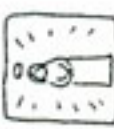

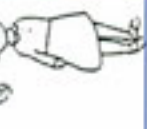

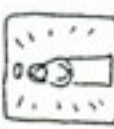
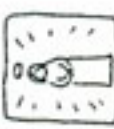
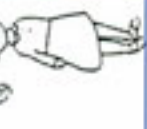
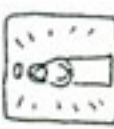
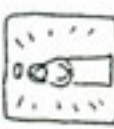
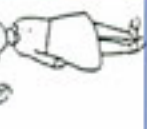
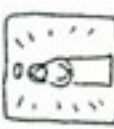
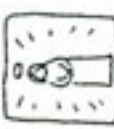
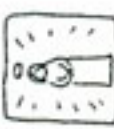
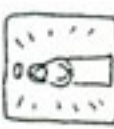
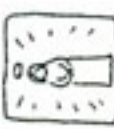
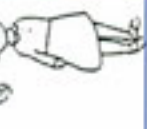
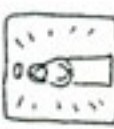
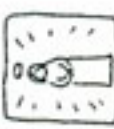
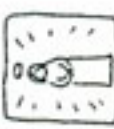
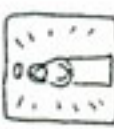
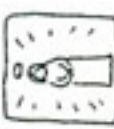
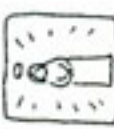
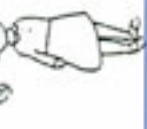
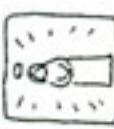
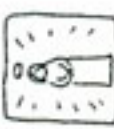
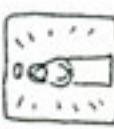
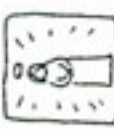
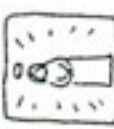
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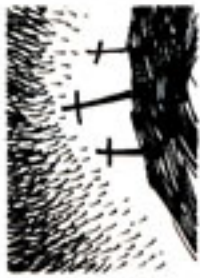
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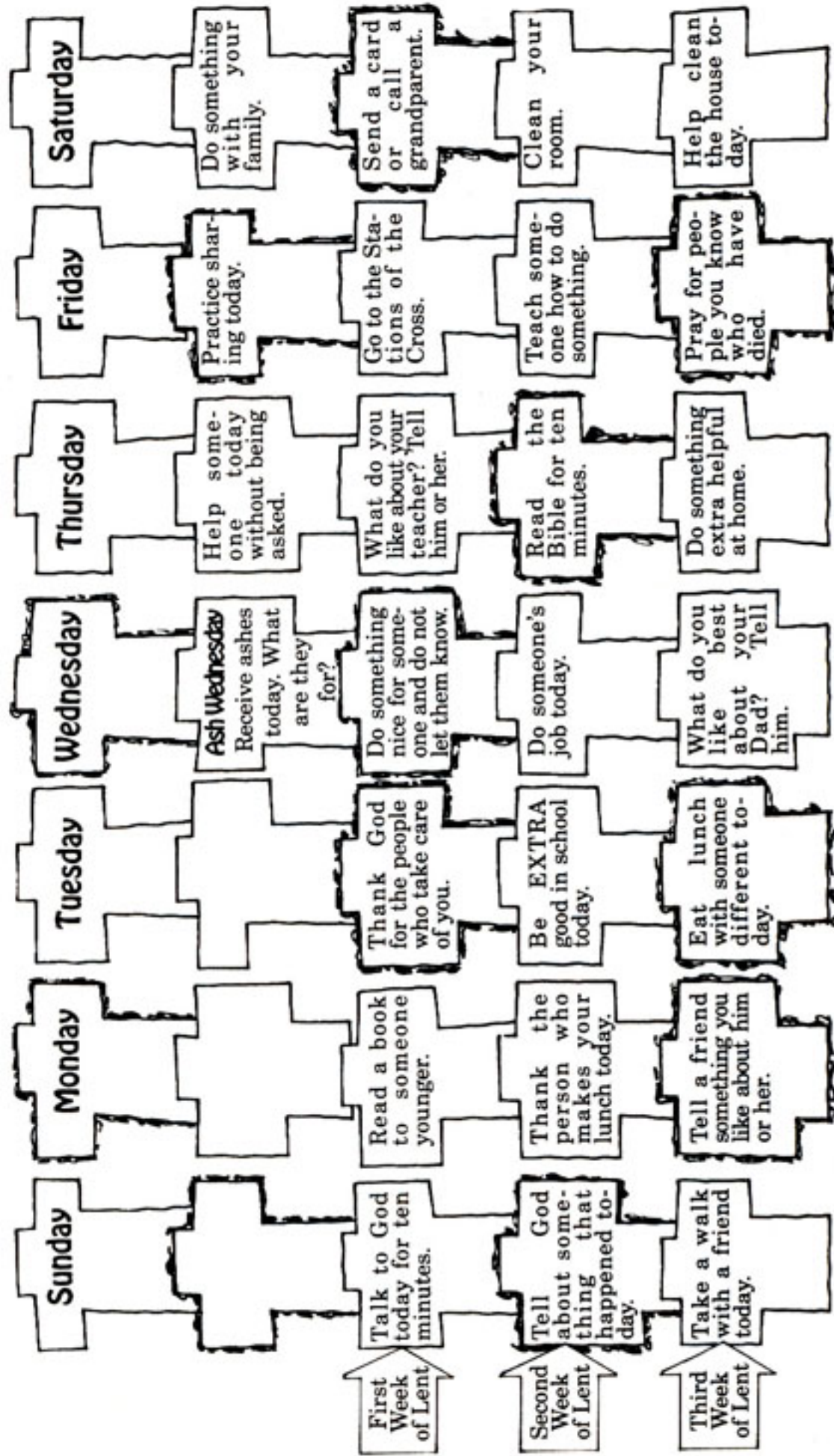
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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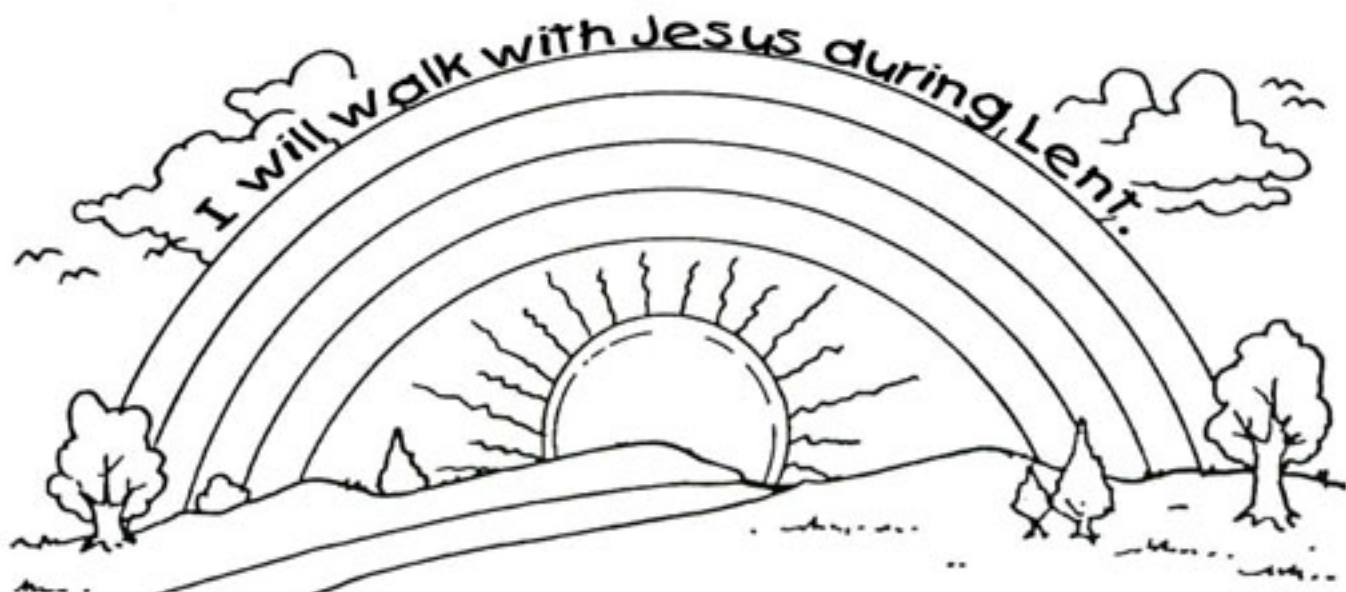


# Lenten Calendar



Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# We Celebrate Lent: Following Jesus



A prayer I will say often.

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Something I will try not to do.

\_\_\_\_\_

Someone I will be very kind to.

\_\_\_\_\_

Something special I will do.

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# The Sacrament of Pardon and Peace

The Sacrament of Reconciliation celebrates our coming back to God when we sin. In the sacrament, God forgives our sins, granting us

pardon and peace. This sacrament is also called the Sacrament of Penance.

The sacrament has four important steps. Use the following code to discover each step.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M
26	25	24	23	22	21	20	19	18	17	16	15	14
N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
13	12	11	10	9	8	7	6	5	4	3	2	1

**Step 1**

24 12 13 7 9 18 7 18 12 13

shows I am sorry for doing wrong and that I will try not to sin any more.

24 12 13 21 22 8 8 18 12 13

means telling my sins to the priest.

**Step 2**

**Step 3**

11 22 13 26 13 24 22

is my way of making up for my wrongdoing.

26 25 8 12 15 6 7 18 12 13

brings forgiveness of my sins- God's pardon and peace.

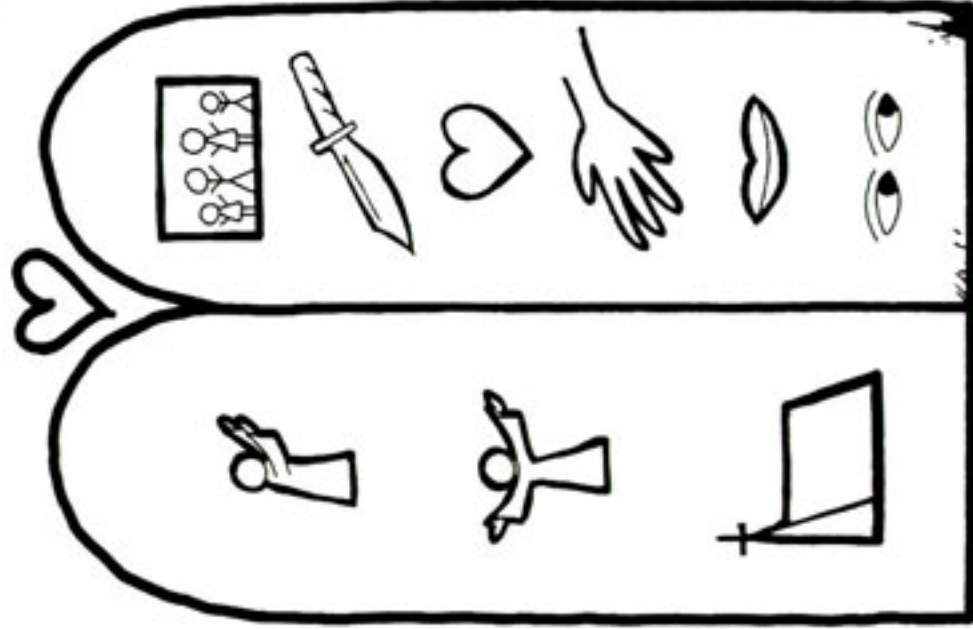
**Step 4**

Answers: Step 1—contrition; Step 2—confession; Step 3—penance; Step 4—absolution.



## Clues to Happiness!

By each picture write a one word clue to help you remember the commandment.



# Penance

The Ten Commandments are not just "rules". They are clues to a happy life. Sometimes, though, we do things our own way. This can lead to hurting thoughts and actions.

Reflecting on what Sister Monique said about the Commandments, think of a time when you fell into doing things your own way instead of God's way.

Write down how you will work on it this week. Put a happy face on the paper each time you choose God's way.

## Reconciliation Rhythm Song

Have students learn this song/rap. Ask for Volunteers to compose movements and Perform the song for other classes.

When you've done something wrong  
And things are looking bad,  
You're feeling kind of guilty and kind of sad,  
Don't give up! Don't run away!  
Work things out the Five Step Way!

Five Alive! Five Alive!  
Five steps to keep love alive!  
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Five steps to keep love alive!

One: take the time to think of your sins;  
Two: be really sorry for everything;  
Three: just decide you won't do them again;  
Four: to tell them to the priest  
'cause he's your friend;  
Five: make up to the Lord with all your heart.

You can be sure Jesus does his part  
To keep love alive between him and you,  
To keep love alive in all the things you do,  
To keep love alive with your family and friends,  
To keep love alive in this world you're in.

Five Alive! Five Alive!  
Five steps to keep love alive!  
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So, don't give up, don't run away,  
Work things out the five-step way.  
Five Alive! Five Alive!  
Five steps to keep love alive!  
Five Alive! Five Alive! Five Alive!



# Saint Patrick

## Missionary Bishop

Feast Day: March 17

*St. Patrick, the great patron of Ireland, was actually born in Britain, the son of a deacon. In his early teens, Patrick was kidnapped and sold as a slave in Ireland. There he tended pigs and sheep for his master. He longed for his home and family, but learned to find peace through prayer.*

*After six years, Patrick escaped. He went to Europe to live in a monastery. There he was ordained a priest and then a missionary bishop. His mission land was Ireland.*

*Patrick returned to Ireland, this time to preach the Gospel. Patrick's words brought the faith to thousands of people. His holy life inspired even more. Ireland became center of Catholic faith and culture, a "land of saints and scholars".*

-Marianne Slattery

Illustrated by Beth Krasing



# SAINT JOSEPH

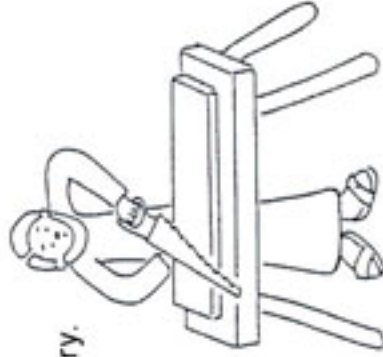
## MARCH 19

Several times you have drawn the nativity scene or placed it in your house for Christmas. And as you know, there are three important people who must always be part of it.

JESUS      JOSEPH      MARY

All of them form the holy family, the Family of Nazareth.

- JOSEPH was a good father.
- JOSEPH was a good husband.
- JOSEPH took care of Jesus and Mary.
- JOSEPH was a faithful man.
- JOSEPH was a good worker.
- JOSEPH was kind with all people.
- JOSEPH always obeyed God.
- JOSEPH always believed.
- JOSEPH kept secrets from God.
- JOSEPH prayed with faith.
- JOSEPH was a fair man.
- JOSEPH loved and helped Mary.
- JOSEPH looked for a house for Jesus's birth.
- JOSEPH embraced the stable in Behtlehem.
- JOSEPH always said YES.**



*Jesus's foster father.  
Virgin Mary's husband.  
Protector of the Church.*



What do you ask of Saint Joseph today?

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# Annunciation of the Lord

March 25



## THE ANGELUS

- The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.  
-And she conceived of the Holy Ghost.  
(Hail Mary, full of grace...)
- Behold the handmaid of the Lord.  
-Be it done unto me according to Thy word.  
(Hail Mary, full of grace...)
- And the word was made flesh.  
-And dwelt amongst us.  
(Hail Mary, full of grace...)
- Pray for us, O Holy Mother of God,  
-That we may be worthy of the  
promises of Christ.

## Let us Pray:

Pour forth, we beseech thee, O Lord, Thy grace into our hearts, that we to whom the Incarnation of Christ, Thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by His passion and cross be brought to the glory of His Resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hos. 2:16-17, 21-22;  
 Cor. 3:1-6;  
 Mark 2:18-22

# Jesus Makes all Things New

March 2: Eight Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Jesus, your friend, invites you:

- >> What old habit do you think Jesus what you to give up?
- >> Jesus says that while we are with Him, we have joy. Do you enjoy being with Jesus everyday for a little while? Do you thank God for each new day?

## What am I going to do?

- Speak to Jesus and tell him about a bad habit you want to get rid of. Tell him what you want to do:
- >> For example: *I will not leave a mess in my room so that my mom or someone else will have to pick it up.*

>> For example: *I will do my homework before I get distracted and forget about it.*

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**Q:** Jesus said sometimes people have to give up their old customs and start doing new things when they follow. What bad habits do you want to give up? What bad habits do you have?

*Favorite Rules of Jesus*

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Today, Jesus gives us an important lesson about rules. Some rules, he says, are more important than other rules. From everything you have learned about Jesus, what do you think are some of the more important rules Jesus would like us to follow? List as many as you can below.

## WORD SEARCH:

- Find the following hidden words in Spanish and write a sentence using them:
- WINESKINS, WINE,
- JOY, JESUS, NEW,
- OLD, CUSTOMS,
- REPAIR, BREAK,
- FRIENDS

A V S O G I M A I O  
 M I N O P I L S D  
 I E L N S I A E D R  
 G J H I O S N G N E S  
 C O S T U M B R I H U  
 S V E U E S M S A R S  
 J U R D P D M R R B E  
 P N R R E O N A R R L J  
 N O R R E P A R A R R



Gen: 9:8-15;  
1 Pe. 3:18-22;  
Mark 1:12-15

# Jesus was also Tempted

March 9: First Sunday in Lent

## You are there

>> Do you think Jesus should show power as Satan suggested, and avoid the difficulties?  
>> Do you think Jesus was hungry and thirsty in the desert? Satan asked him to show his power and turn the stones into bread. Would you have done that if you were Jesus?

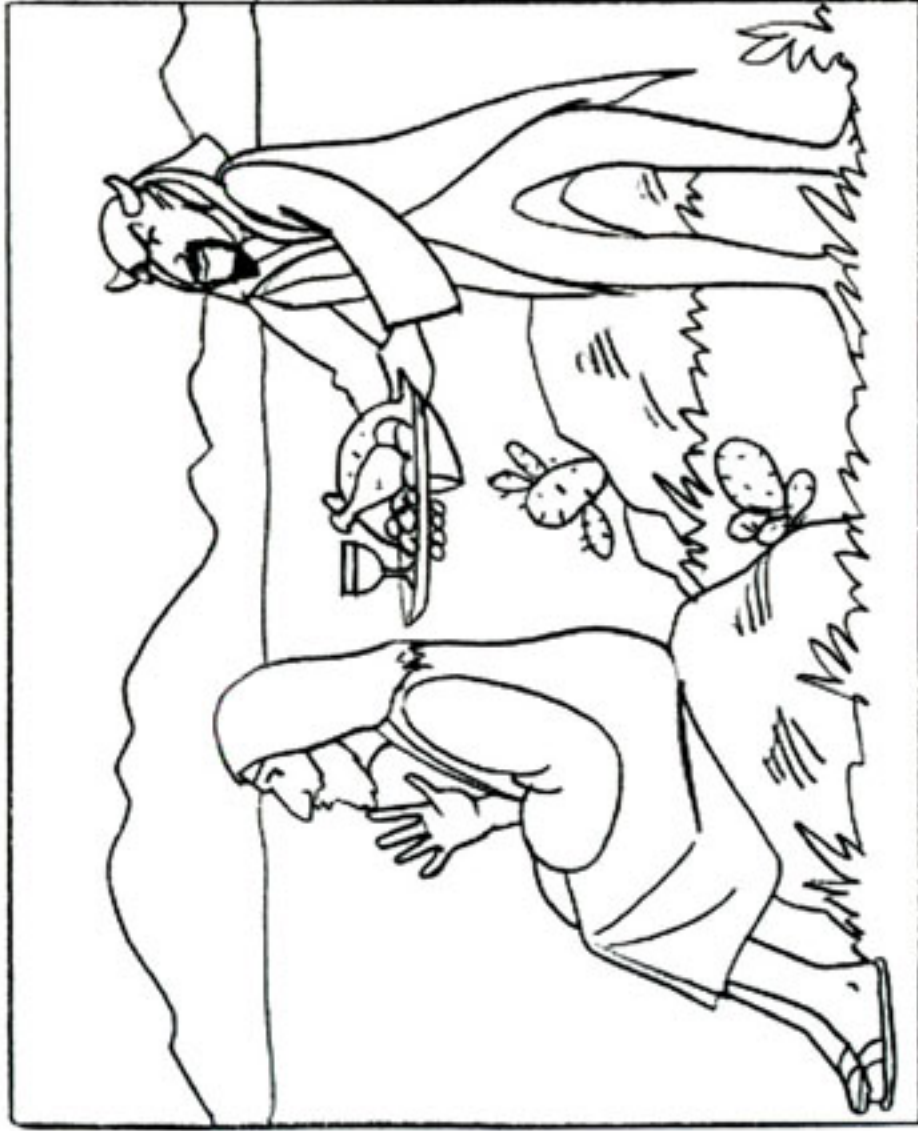
## Jesus, your friend, invites you:

>> Jesus feels tempted not to do what God had asked of him. Do you sometimes feel tempted not to do what adults ask from you?  
>> Jesus prays that he will be able to complete his task. do you ask God to be with you when you are about to do something important?

>> Jesus invites people to change their way of life and please God. What do you need to change? What do you think God dislikes the most about things you do?

## What am I going to do?

Speak to Jesus and tell him about when you want to do something well but feel lazy, or are distracted. Tell him what you want to do?  
>> For example: *I will ask God to help me be consistent and to do as I am told.*  
>> For example: *I will do my homework as soon as I get home, so I don't get distracted.*  
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**Q:** Satan tried to tempt Jesus by asking him to turn the stones into bread. Do you know people who are tempted to use their power in the wrong way? Are you sometimes tempted to do the wrong thing?

Jesus has spent 40 difficult days in the desert. Can you now help him find his way out?





# Jesus Shines Like the Sun

March 16: Second Sunday in Lent

Gen. 22: 1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18;  
Rom. 8:31b-34;  
Mark 9: 2-10

**Talk about the story.** Talk with the children about very happy moments in their lives that they remember as clear as photographs. Did they wish that those times would last forever? What changed? Does it help you remember good times when one is going through hard times?

Talk about what they would like to do when they grow up. What do their parents tell them they should study? Do they suggest professions that make a lot of money only because of that? Talk about the voice that says we must listen to Jesus. How do they listen?

## You are there

Are you afraid when you see the vision? Do you want to set up up some tents and stay there for a long time, or would you rather go back to the town? What do you think this means?

## Jesus, your friend, invites you:

>> Jesus invites the friends are with him to know him well and to know that he is the Son of God and true God. do you want to know Jesus?

>> The voice from heaven says we must listen to Jesus. Jesus sometimes speaks through people around us. Do you listen to the adults at home?

## What am I going to do?

Speak to Jesus and tell him about one time that you were enjoying so much you didn't want it to end. Ask him for help remembering the good times when you are going through difficulties.

>> For example: *I will give thanks for good times.*  
>> For example: *I will listen to Jesus who speaks to me through adults.*



**Q:** Peter, James, and John were happy to see a vision of Moses and Elijah on a mountain as Jesus stood by dressed in white. Have you ever seen a vision of something? Were you afraid or excited when you saw it?

## WORD SEARCH:

Find the following hidden words in Spanish and write a sentence using them:

WHITE, SHINE, LISTEN  
MOSES, ELIJAH,  
MOUNTAIN, TENTS,  
PETER, JAMES, JOHN,  
SON, BELOVED

M E R A H C U C S E  
S O R D E P F M S L  
A G N E H I J O D I  
N G H T J U D I R A  
T Q R S A I B S A S  
I A B N R R Ñ L E L E  
A T I E N D A S L B  
G E U D A D N R I R  
O Q R D O N C R R A  
N O P Q R C O U B R



# Jesus gets very Angry

March 23: Third Sunday of Lent

## Jesus, your friend, invites you:

- >> The Commandments God gave to the people through Moses are guides to live together in peace. When you are asked to do something, do you feel it is an imposition, or do you understand it as your own good and the good of the family?
- >> Jesus says the temple is a sacred place of prayer and encounter with God. How do you go into the church? Do you show respect?

## What am I going to do?

Speak to Jesus and tell him you really want to be with him and do what he likes. Tell him what you would like to do:

- >> For example: *I will obey when adults ask me to do something.*
- >> For example: *I will behave well in church.*

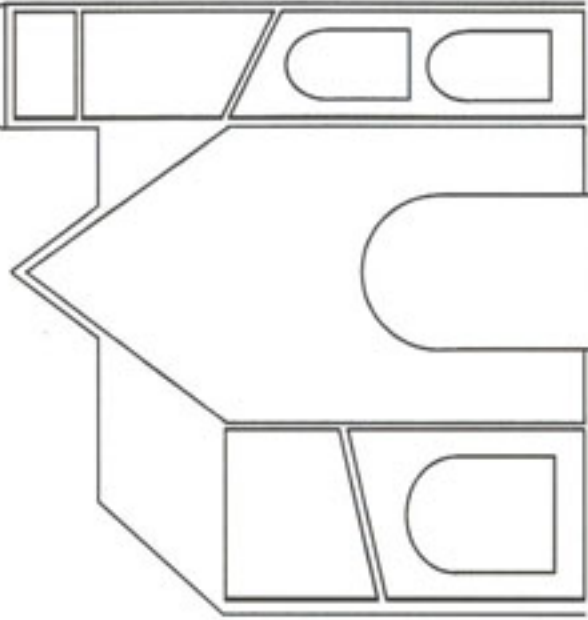
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**Q:** Jesus was very angry that people were selling things in the temple instead of using it for prayer. Have you even done something that would make Jesus very angry? What things can you do to make Jesus happy?

Jesus wanted the Temple to be a beautiful place of worship. Decorate this church so that it, too, can be a beautiful place of worship.



*Exod. 20:1-7;  
1 Cor. 1:22-25;  
John 2:13-25*

## WORD SEARCH:

Find the following hidden words in Spanish and write a sentence using them:

- ANGRY, TEMPLE,
- JESUS, MERCHANTS,
- ANIMALS, COINS,
- AUTHORITY, GOD,
- ABUSE, CENTER

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



# Jesus Will be Lifted Up

March 30: Fourth Sunday in Lent

2 Cor. 36: 14-16, 19-23;

Eph. 2:4-10;

John 3:14-21

**Talk about the story.** Talk with the children about doctors and illnesses. Have they ever realized that the symbol in many doctors' offices is a snake wrapped around a pole? Have they ever heard of any sickness that was healed by just looking at something? Are any of their family members sick now?

What other illnesses are there besides physical ailments? How can these be cured?

**Activities and prayer.** Show the children a drawing or photo of a snake wrapped around a pole. Take a large cross made of styrofoam or cardboard to class, and ask the children to write some sickness or problem on a small piece of paper. Each child will then stick his or her piece of paper on the cross, saying: "Jesus, you are our health."



**Q:** Many sick people were healed by looking at Moses' pole with a serpent wrapped around it. Do you know someone who is very sick? Do you believe that Jesus can heal them? How?

## You are there

>> What do you want to ask Jesus about Moses and the serpent and the people who were sick?

>> Are you afraid of snakes? What do you feel when you look at the cross of Jesus?

## Jesus, your friend, invites you:

>> Jesus says that by looking at him we get strenght for the difficulties of life. What troubles would you like to tell Jesus about?

>> Jesus says that God loves us very much. Do you love God in return? Do you thank God?

## What am I going to do?

Speak to Jesus and tell him about some problem you have at this time. Ask him for strenght to overcome it. Tell him what you want to do:

>> For Example: *I will visit a person who is sick*

>> For example: *I will help a calssmate who might need it.*

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## WORD SEARCH:

Find the following hidden words in Spanish and write a sentence using them:

SERPENT, JESUS, LIFTED UP, GOD, HEAL, MOSES, CROSS, LOVE, LOOK, DESERT

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



# *Veronica Wipes Jesus' Face*

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Veronica had pushed her way through the crowd to get to Jesus. She wanted to give Jesus a handkerchief to wipe His face. When Jesus gave it back to her, a picture of His face was engraved upon it.

# *Jesus Meets the Weeping Women*



The women of Jerusalem who are standing at the corner of the street where Jesus is passing feel sorry for Him. Jesus tells them that He will feel better if He knows they will always be kind and gentle toward everyone.



## Act of Contrition

O my God, I am heartily  
sorry for having offended you,  
and I detest all my sins,  
because of your punishments,  
but most of all because they  
offend you, my God,  
who are all-good and  
deserving of all my love.  
I firmly resolve, with the  
help of your grace, to sin  
no more and to avoid  
the near occasions of sin.

*Amen.*

