

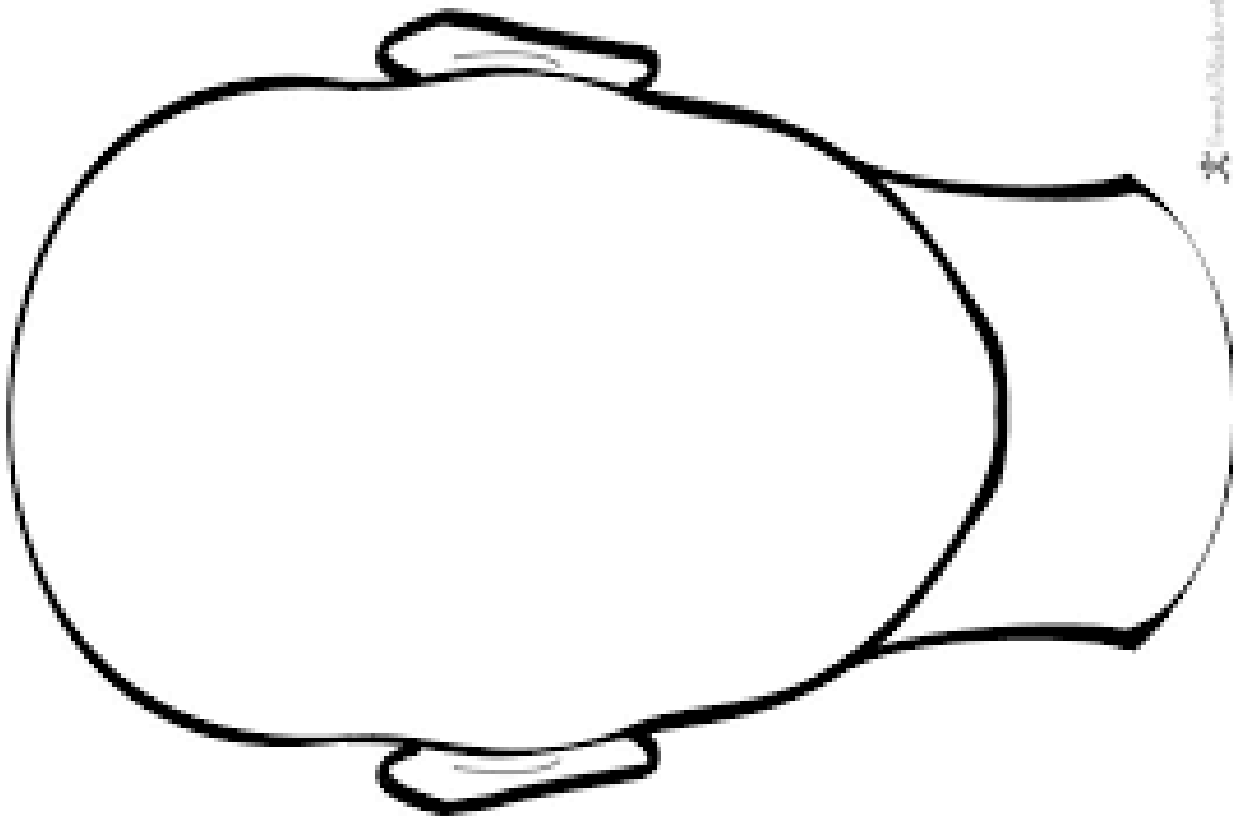
Today our worship focus is on: **BELIEVING!**



Today we are continuing to celebrate the good news of *EASTER!* Jesus came back to life after dying on the cross. He is **ALIVE** and this means that our sins can be taken away and we can live with God forever! Do you **BELIEVE** it?

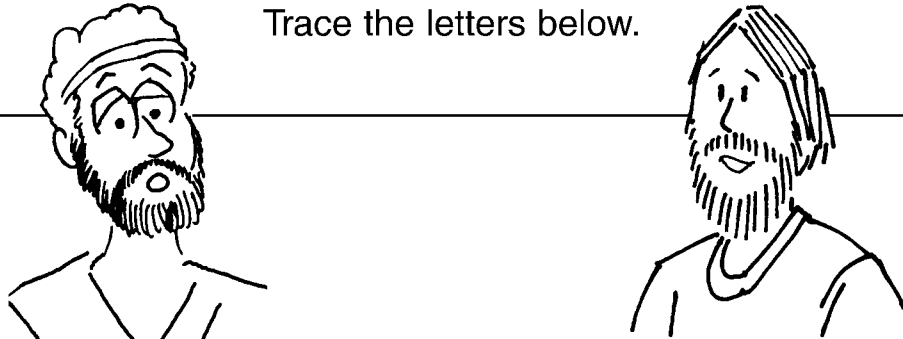
*There are 5 things you might like to do as part of our time of worship.*

1. **BELIEVE?**—In the Bible story today, the Disciple Thomas wasn't around when Jesus appeared to the other disciples after coming back to life. When they told Thomas what he missed, he said he could never believe it was true unless he saw Jesus for himself. Why do you think Thomas didn't have faith to know and trust that Jesus was really was alive?
2. **SEEING IS BELIEVING**— Then Jesus appeared again and, this time, Thomas saw him. How would you feel to see Jesus after you thought he was dead? On the back of this paper draw a picture of the look that would be on your face to see Jesus.....ALIVE!
3. **DOUBTS?**- Is there anything you don't understand about the Bible or following Jesus? Is there anything you wonder about how it could really have happened? Write down things you're wondering about on the blank paper. Show it to parent, pastor, or other church leader. Ask about those things!
4. **BIBLE BRAIN BUSTERS**— Complete the children's worship bulletin included in this bag. It is based on today's Bible passage.
5. **BLESSED**— Remember this! Jesus said, "Blessed are those who haven't seen me and believe anyway."

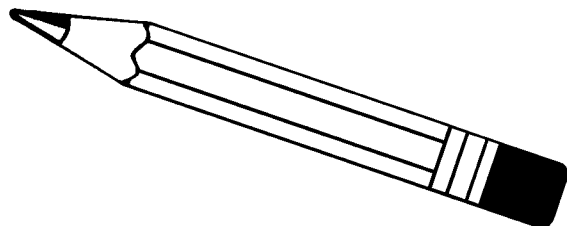


Thomas believed Jesus.  
What did he say?

Trace the letters below.



“My Lord  
and  
my God!”



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## Jesus Appears to His Disciples

The disciples told Thomas that they had  
seen Jesus! He was risen!

Find the hidden letters in the picture below.  
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But Thomas would not believe them.

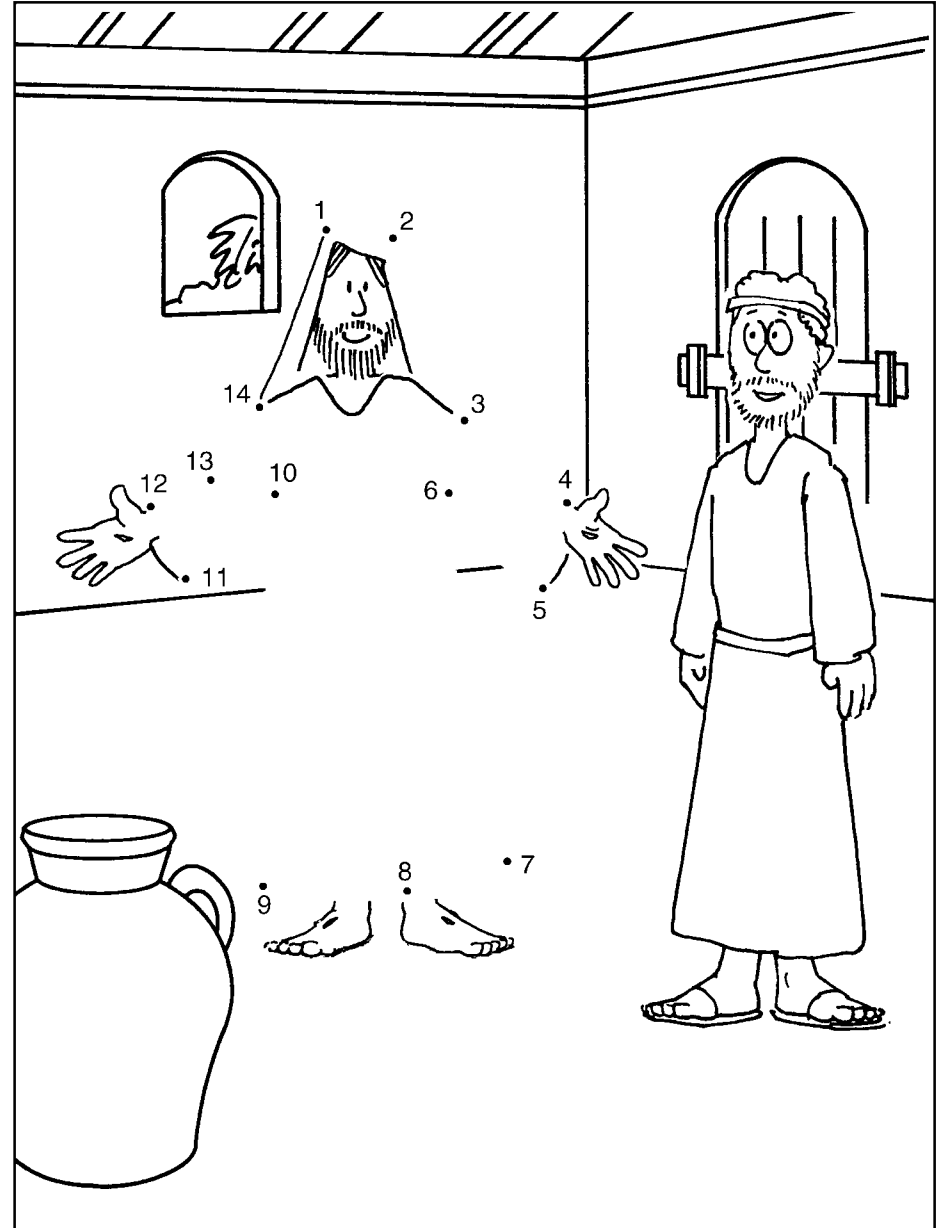
Circle 6 differences in the bottom picture.

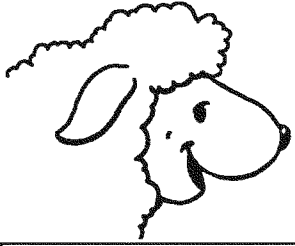


Then Jesus appeared to the disciples again. This time, Thomas was there.

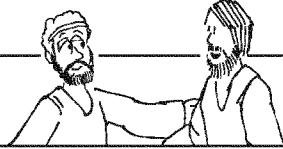
Connect the dots.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14





Then Thomas said,  
 "My Lord and my God!" What did  
 Jesus say back to him?



Unscramble the names below. Use the  
 numbered letters to fill in the blanks.

1. VIDAD      6    2
  2. LAPU                        12    9
  3. RAMY      10    5    14
  4. BOCAJ                       17    13
  5. PHOSEJ                      15    18
  6. REWAND    16                               1
  7. BELITHEZA                            8             3             7
  8. ONHJ                        4    11
- “  
3 18 17 16 12 15 18    14 13 12    4 16 2 18  
15 18 18 11    10 18    14 13 12    4 16 2 18  
3 18 9 8 18 2 18 6    3 9 18 15 15 18 6  
16 5 18    7 4 13 15 18    1 4 13    4 16 2 18  
11 13 7    15 18 18 11    16 11 6    14 18 7  
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4 16 2 18    3 18 9 8 18 2 18 6

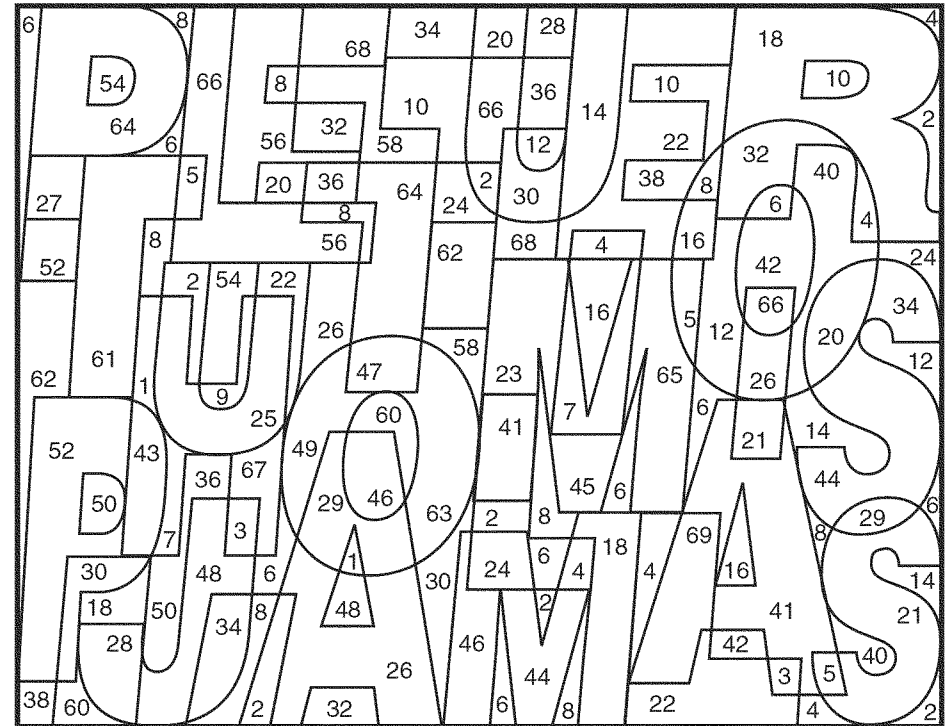
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## Jesus Appears to His Disciples

After Jesus rose from the dead, He appeared to the disciples. But one of them was not with them when Jesus came. Which disciple was missing?

Shade in all the areas with an ODD number. Find the answer.



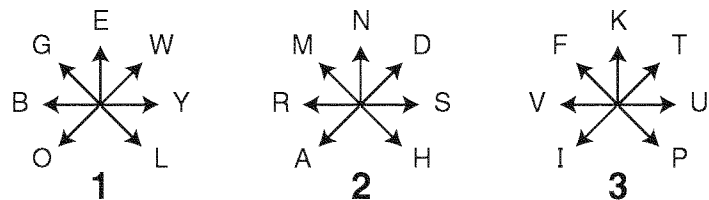
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The disciples told Thomas that they had seen the Lord, but Thomas did not believe. What did Thomas say to them?

Use the code to find the words.



Thomas said, “ \_\_\_\_\_  
3→ 2↑ 1↘ 1↑ 2→ 2→

\_\_\_\_\_  
3↘ 2→ 1↑ 1↑ 3↘ 2↘ 1↑

\_\_\_\_\_  
2↑ 2↘ 3↘ 1↘ 2↘ 2↘ 2← 3↑ 2→

\_\_\_\_\_  
3↘ 2↑ 2↘ 3↘ 2→ 2↘ 2↘ 2↑ 2↘ 2→

\_\_\_\_\_  
2↘ 2↑ 2↘ 3↘ 3→ 3↘ 2↘ 1→

\_\_\_\_\_  
3↘ 3↘ 2↑ 1↘ 1↑ 2← 1↘ 2↘ 1↑ 2← 1↑

\_\_\_\_\_  
3↘ 2↘ 1↑ 2↑ 2↘ 3↘ 1↘ 2→

\_\_\_\_\_  
1↘ 1↑ 2← 1↑ 2↘ 2↑ 2↘ 3↘ 3→ 3↘

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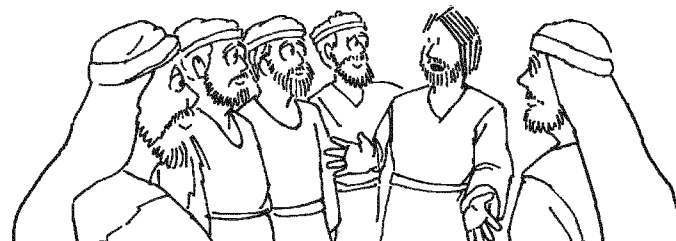
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\_\_\_\_\_  
1↘ 3↘ 1↘ 1↘ 2↑ 1↘ 3↘

\_\_\_\_\_  
1← 1↑ 1↘ 3↘ 1↑ 3← 1↑”

A week later the disciples were in the house again and Thomas was with them. Though the doors were locked, Jesus came and stood among them. What did He say?

Think of a word to match the clues. Then fill in the blanks.



provides light on earth to make something, such as a house

\_\_\_\_\_▲\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_+\_\_\_\_\_

tells time on your wrist

the center of an egg

\_\_\_\_\_◆ \_\_\_\_\_✿ \_\_\_\_\_\* \_\_\_\_\_◇ \_\_\_\_\_■

\_\_\_\_\_○\_\_\_\_\_

called “man’s best friend”

a young female

\_\_\_\_\_+\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_★\_\_\_\_\_

something you can write and erase with

\_\_\_\_\_☾ \_\_\_\_\_✿\_\_\_\_\_

“ \_\_\_\_\_☾ \_\_\_\_\_✿ \_\_\_\_\_✿ \_\_\_\_\_◇ \_\_\_\_\_✿ \_\_\_\_\_+ \_\_\_\_\_✿

\_\_\_\_\_◆ \_\_\_\_\_★ \_\_\_\_\_\* \_\_\_\_\_■ \_\_\_\_\_○ \_\_\_\_\_+ \_\_\_\_\_▲ \_\_\_\_\_!”