

# Welcome to SPC Kids Corner!

**Sunday, April 9, 2023**

## **THE RISEN JESUS**

Matthew 28:1-10; 16-20

**Key Verse:**

So they left the tomb quickly with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples.

Matthew 28:8

“Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.”

Matthew 28:19

**The Point:**

We are called to go make disciples.

**Making Connections:**

God’s Greatest Promise

**Bible Nuts & Bolts:**

God’s Peace

**Spiritual Practice:**

Worship

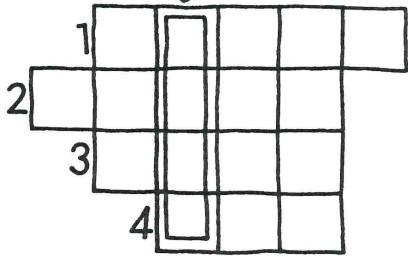


# Puzzles

## FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD

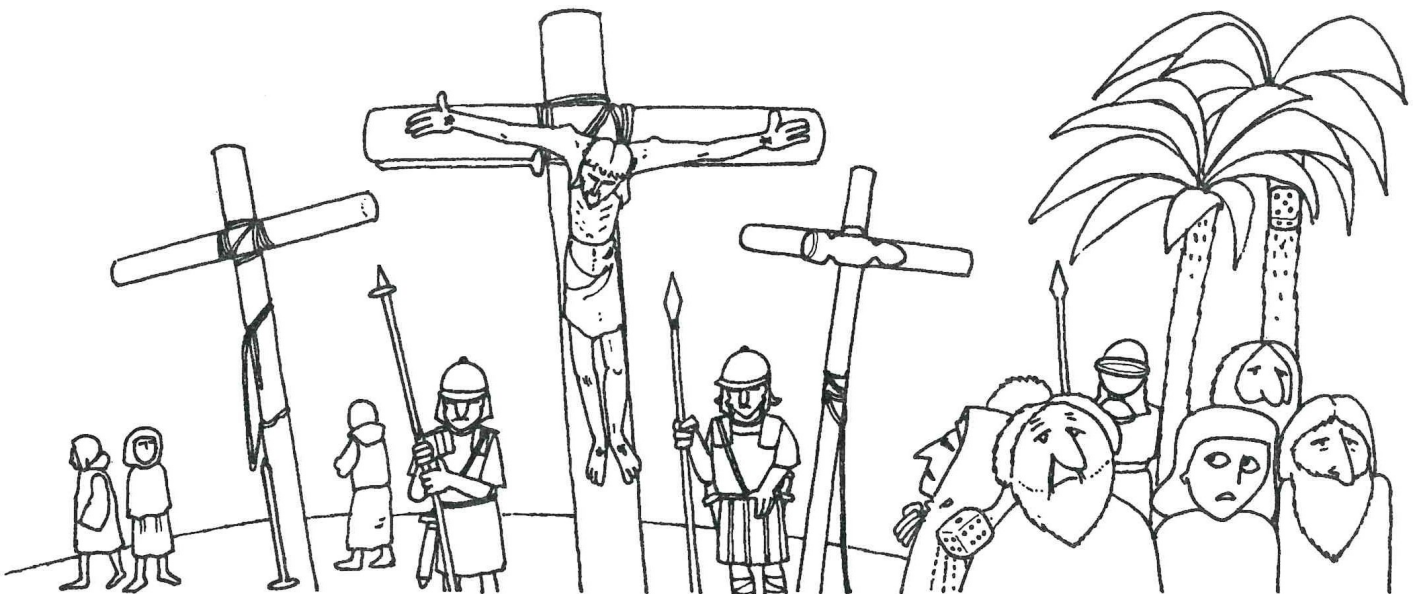
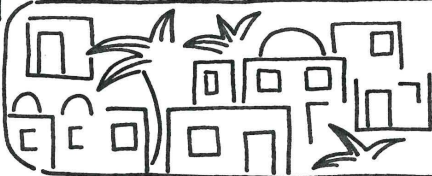
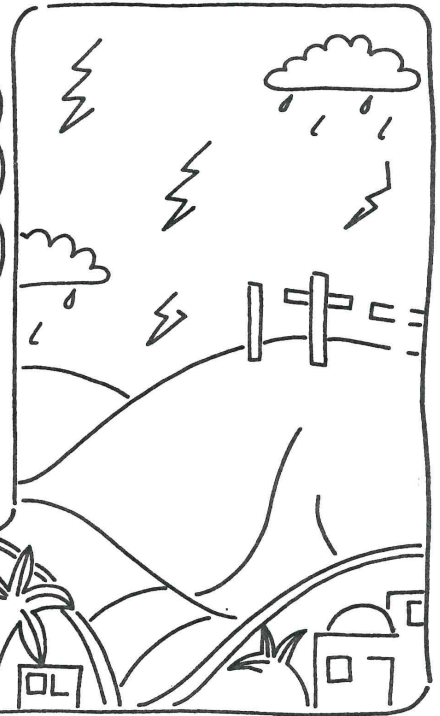
Finish drawing the picture and then colour it in.

This is what God has for you



1. Someone forced to work for nothing.
2. What did Jesus die on?
3. Hot + buns are baked in this.
4. Finish.

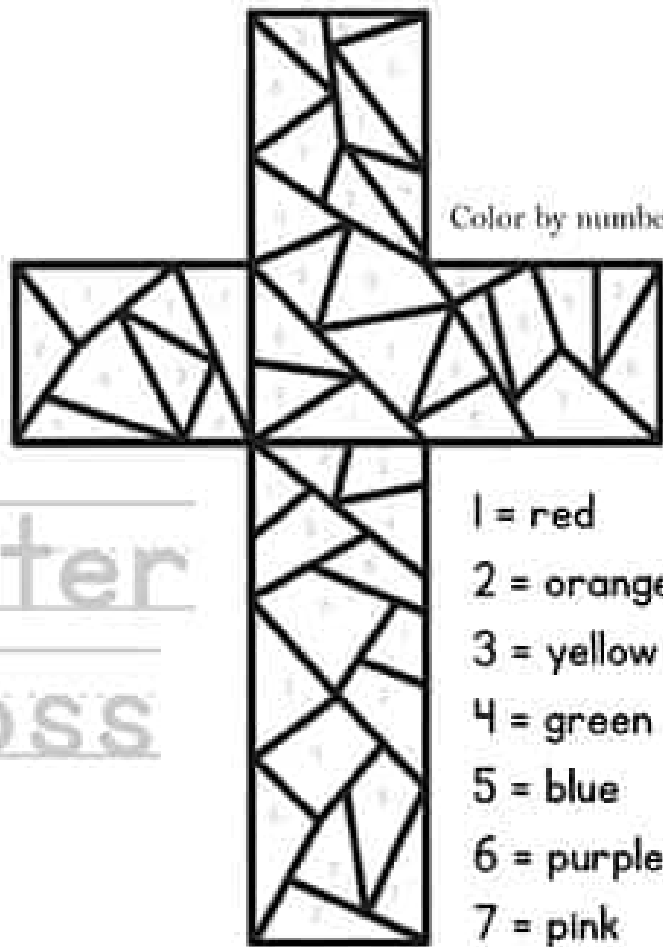
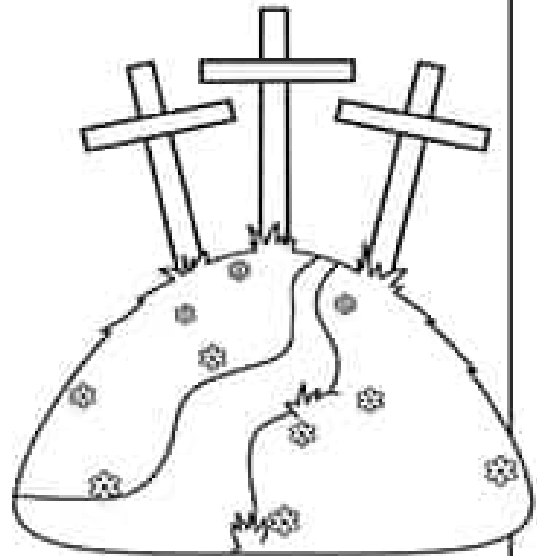
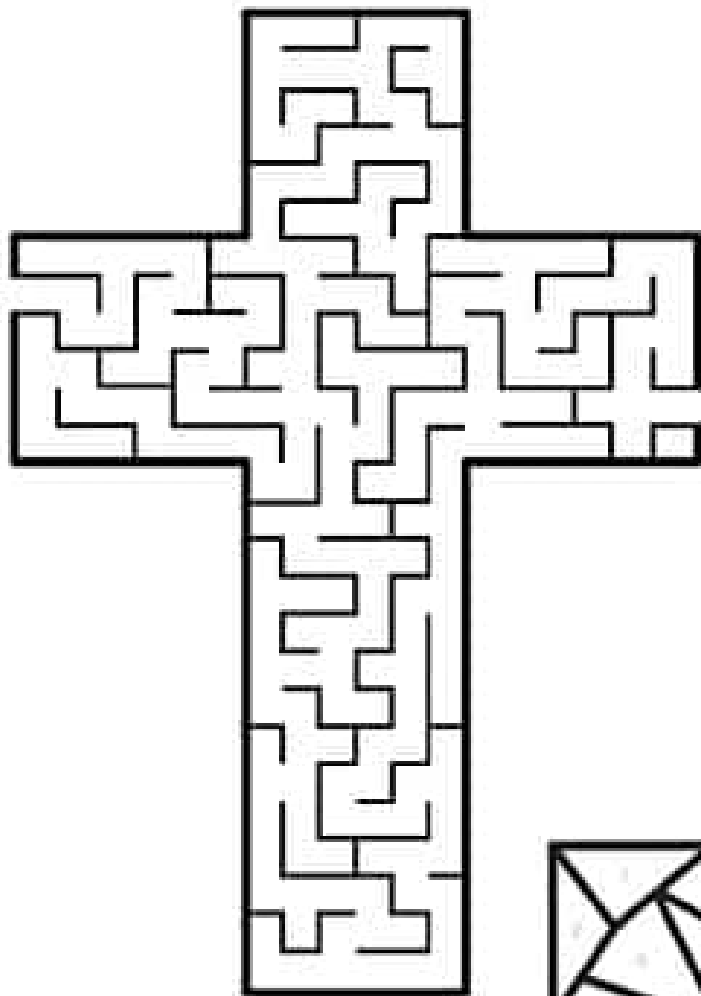
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 When you are  or   
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 is right   
 you. "God"  
 "lonely"  "hurting"  
 "sad" =  "beside"



Can you find a hammer, three nails, a cup of wine and a pair of dice hidden in the picture?



# Easter Cross Maze



Color by number:

- 1 = red
- 2 = orange
- 3 = yellow
- 4 = green
- 5 = blue
- 6 = purple
- 7 = pink


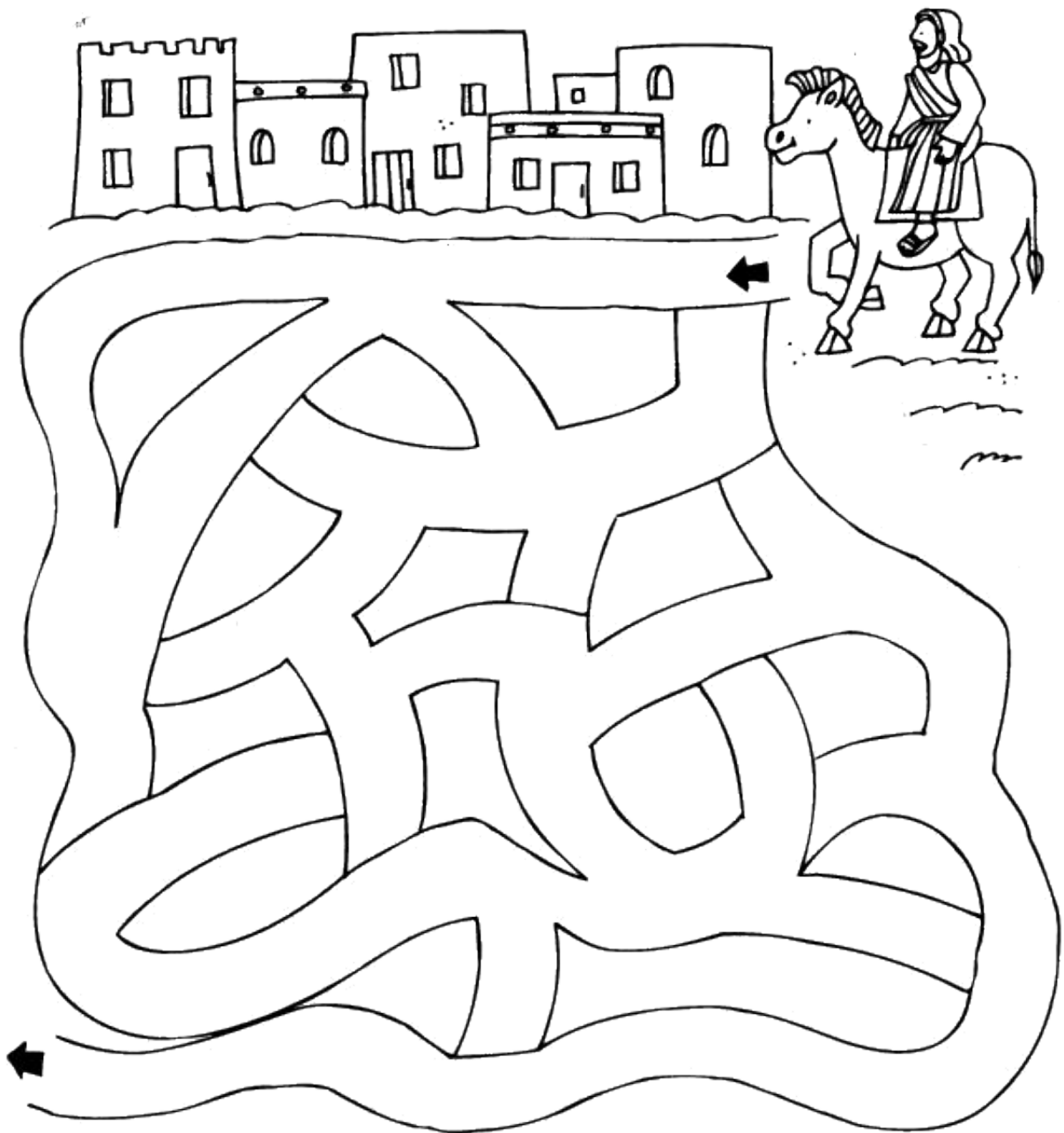
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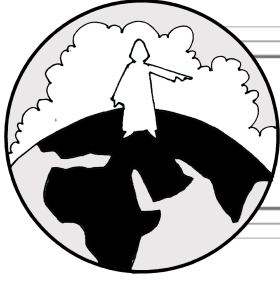


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# Puzzles

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# THE STORY @ HOME

**KIDS  
3RD-6TH**

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**Living the Word: Teaching Kids God's Story**  
Narrative Lectionary, Year 1 (2022-2023)

**Lesson #1-29**  
Matthew 28:1-10; 16-20

## LAST WEEK

Jesus rides a donkey into Jerusalem, and a large crowd gathers, laying cloaks and branches on the road before him (Matthew 21:1-17).

## THIS WEEK

Jesus rises from the grave, showing that his kingdom will have no end. He commissions his disciples and promises to be with them always (Matthew 28:1-10, 16-20).

## THE POINT

We are called to go make disciples.

## STORY SUMMARY

Jesus first appears to Mary Magdalene and another woman named Mary, who went to the tomb after celebrating the Sabbath. The angel tells the two women to not be afraid. The women leave the tomb with fear and great joy. Jesus meets them and tells them to bring the message of his resurrection to the other disciples. The resurrected Jesus appears again in Galilee where he joins the disciples on a mountain. He instructs them to carry his message of love, grace, mercy, and salvation to the ends of the earth.

## BIBLE NUTS & BOLTS

### *God's Peace*

The Hebrew word shalom means “peace, wholeness, and well-being.” Shalom is a gift to us from God, a reality when all people have everything they need to thrive. This peace may be found in relationships of individuals, nations, and communities. A spark of it may even be found within each of us. Peace is more than just the absence of violence. It is the ideal result of God's justice for all.

## PRACTICE: WORSHIP

Worship is time that we set aside to be with God. Some worship experiences are quiet and contemplative, while others are celebratory. As we continue in the season of Easter, we celebrate the resurrection. Have a praise party at home, celebrating Jesus' victory over death.

## NEXT WEEK

Peter takes the first step toward bringing the gospel to nations outside of Israel by baptizing and teaching the household of a Roman centurion (Acts 10:1-17, 34-48).

### *Family Discussions*

Use the questions below or other questions you think of to discuss today's Scripture reading (listed above) with your family.

- ✚ In what way does this text speak to our theme of trusting in God's promises?
- ✚ What does this Scripture have to do with our lives today?
- ✚ What part of this Scripture is the most interesting to you? Why?

### *Family Devotions*

As you hear and study these stories each week, consider what God has to say to you and your family. What is God's message to us? How should we respond?

<b>Sunday—Read Matthew 28:16-20</b>
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The Great Commission.

Climb up on a mountain (couch, deck, hill) to read this story.

<b>Monday—Read Acts 1:6-11</b>
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Jesus ascends to heaven.

Go outside and look at the sky. Imagine what this event would have looked like as Jesus rises into the clouds.

<b>Tuesday—Read Acts 1:12-14</b>
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Devoted to prayer.

Close your devotional time as a family with prayer.

<b>Wednesday—Read Acts 1:15-20</b>
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A replacement for Judas, part 1.

If it were your job to replace one of the disciples, what qualities would you look for in the new person?

<b>Thursday—Read Acts 1:21-26</b>
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A replacement for Judas, part 2.

Who in your life would have made a good apostle? Why?

<b>Friday—Read Acts 2:1-17</b>
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The Day of Pentecost.

Draw a picture of this miraculous story.

<b>Saturday—Read Acts 4:32-37</b>
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Life in the young church.

What would it be like to share all of your possessions? What one thing would it be the most difficult to share?