

# Send

## Peter the rock

Jesus called Peter the rock because he knew Peter would be a strong leader for the church. Do you have a nickname that says something about who you are or what you can do? (the runner, the smiling one, the thinker, junior)

**Write that name or choose one you think describes you. Draw a picture of how that name describes you.**



# gather

Welcome to worship. A name can tell a lot about who someone is. What do you think of when you hear “Grandma, “ the President,” my teacher,” “pastor”? You have different relationships with different people. **Name people you think of as:**

**Friend**

**Neighbor**

**Leader**

**Fun maker**

**Family**

**Helper**



*Jesus, thank you for  
helping me in many ways.  
Amen.*

## This week

Create a week-long list of Jesus' names.

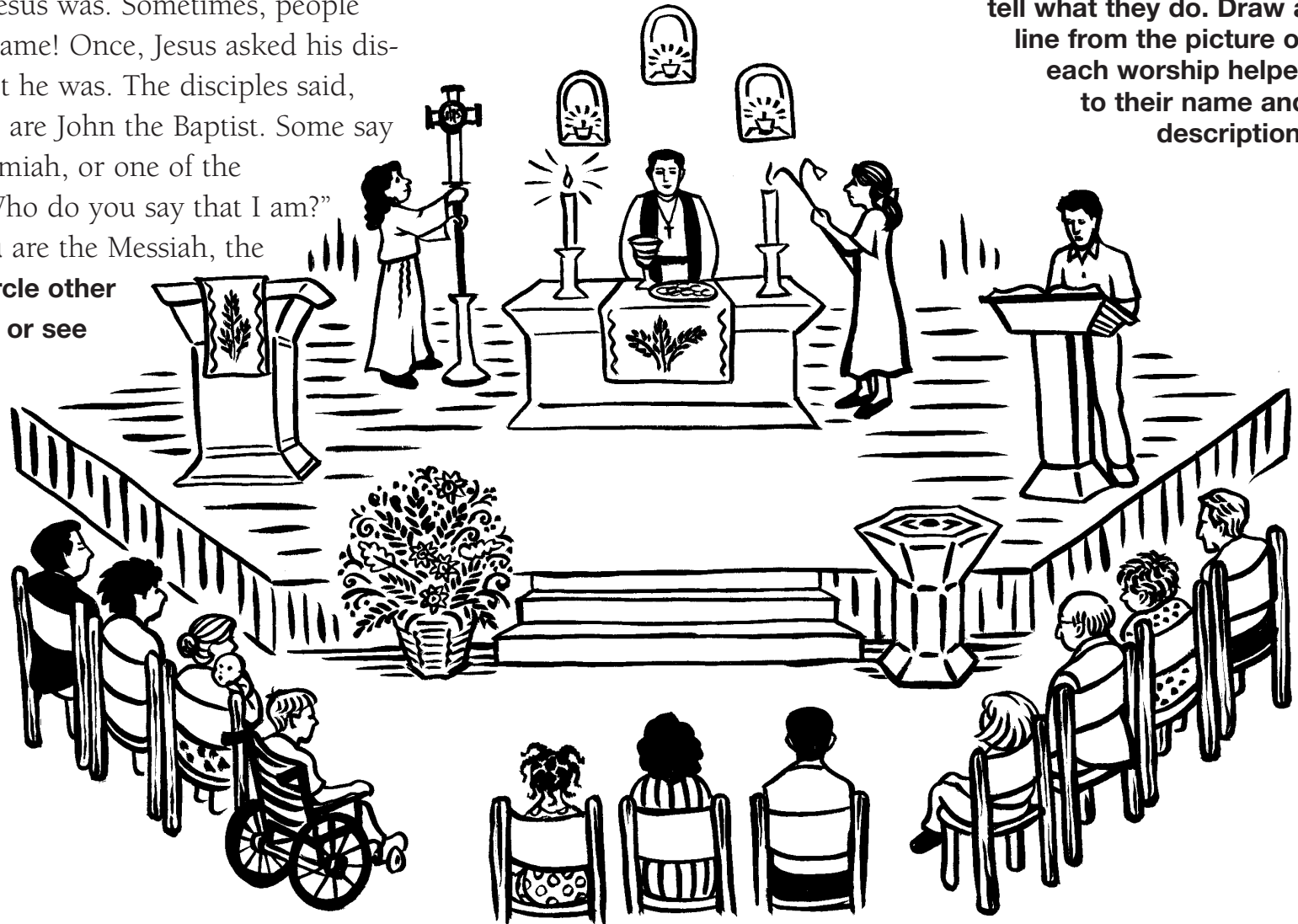
# Hear & Celebrate

## What's in a name

Matthew 16:13-20

Not everyone knew who Jesus was. Sometimes, people called him by the wrong name! Once, Jesus asked his disciples who people said that he was. The disciples said, "Some people say that you are John the Baptist. Some say that you are Elijah, or Jeremiah, or one of the prophets." Jesus asked, "Who do you say that I am?" Peter answered Jesus, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God." **Circle other names for Jesus you hear or see today.**

People who help with worship have names that tell what they do. Draw a line from the picture of each worship helper to their name and description.



## Lord

Savior

Lamb of God

Son of God

Teacher

Messiah



What names for Jesus do you see in your worship space?

The *acolyte* lights candles and helps the pastor.

The *crucifer* brings the cross into the worship space.

The *lector* reads from the Bible.

## Name Game

People who help with worship have names that tell what they do. Draw a line from the picture of each worship helper to the name and description that matches.

The acolyte lights candles and helps the pastor.  
The crucifer brings the cross into the worship space.  
The lector reads from the Bible.



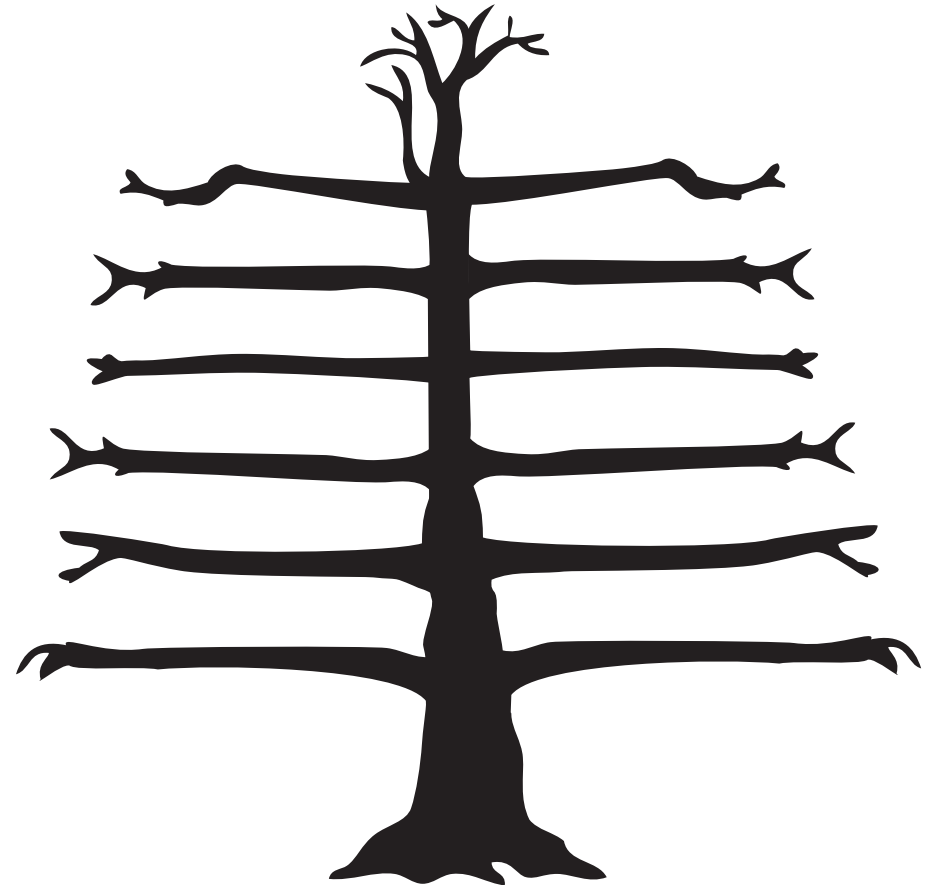
# READER

Pentecost 13

- Today is the **13<sup>th</sup>** Sunday after Pentecost.
- This season is a **celebration** of the church as a **community**.
- Jesus' followers come together to be **part of the church**.

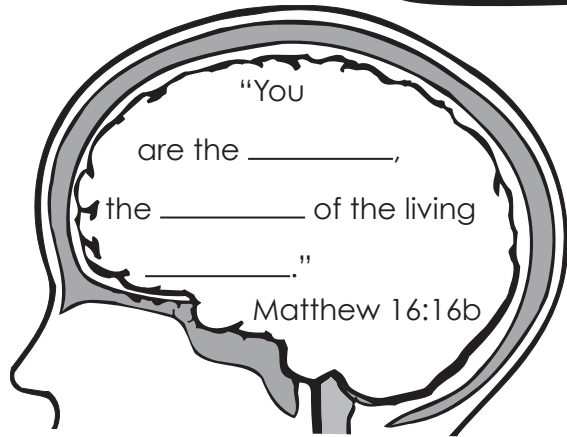
## Church Community

Who is a part of your church community? Write their names in the branches of this tree. Remember that we are all connected!



Fill in the blanks to complete this week's memory verse.

**Memory Verse**



"You  
are the \_\_\_\_\_,  
the \_\_\_\_\_ of the living  
\_\_\_\_\_."  
Matthew 16:16b

**Christ Crossword**

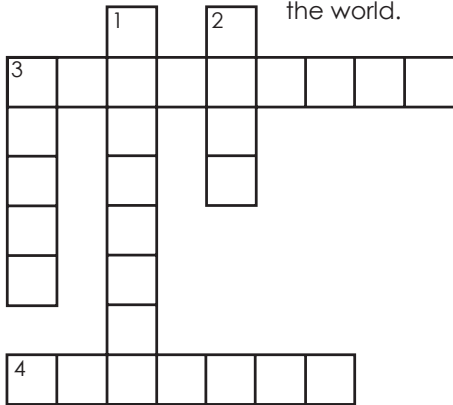
In the Gospel today, Jesus asks "Who do you say that I am?" There are many names for Jesus. Look up the Bible verses to solve the crossword puzzle. Each one contains a name for Jesus!

**ACROSS**

- 3. John 1:29: here is the \_\_\_\_\_ who takes away the sin of the world!
- 4. Matthew 3:17: This is my Son the \_\_\_\_\_.

**DOWN**

- 1. Matthew 1:23: and they shall name him \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2. John 1:1: In the beginning was the \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3. John 8:12: I am the \_\_\_\_\_ of the world.

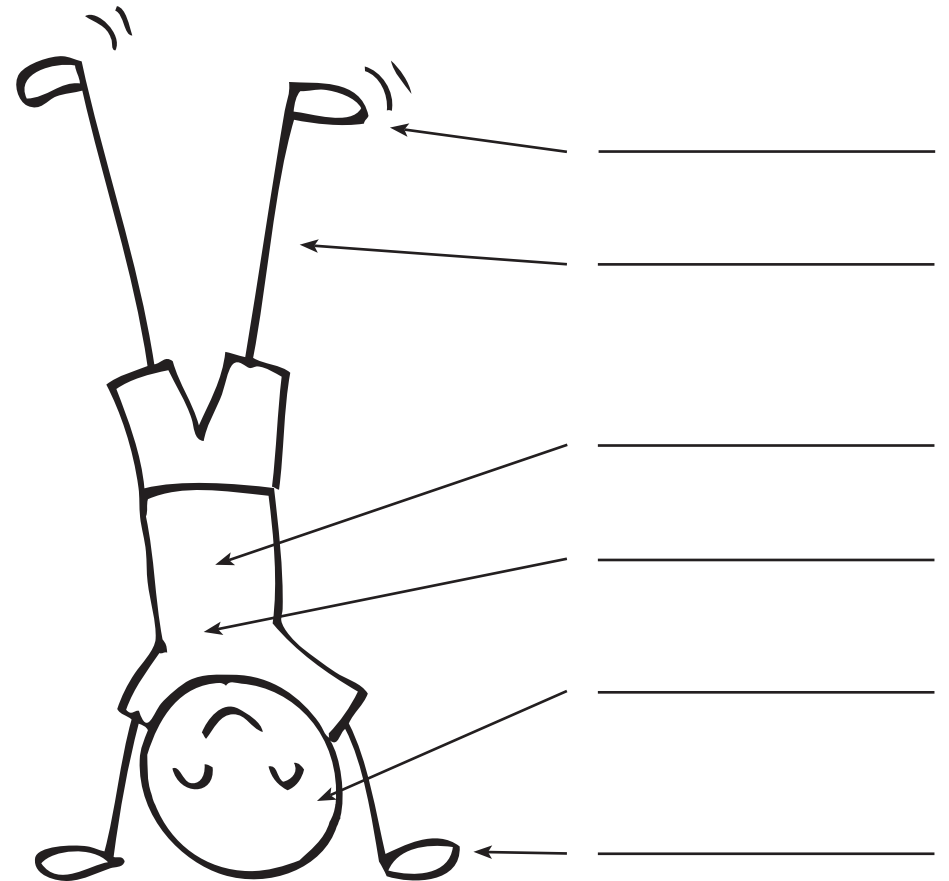


**Look It Up!**

The Gospel today is about Jesus' identity. Look up Isaiah 9:6 to read some other names for Jesus.

**Body Builder**

In Romans, Paul tells us to work together with each other like the parts of the body. What does each of these body parts do?

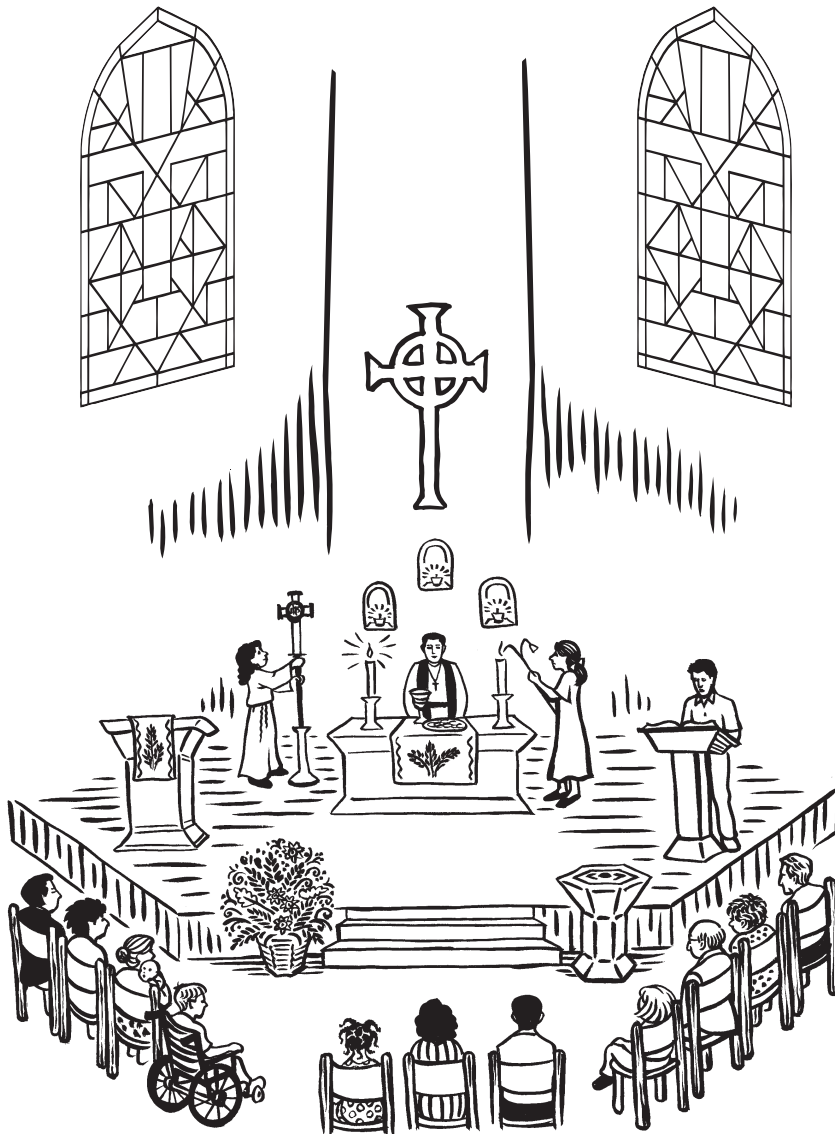


**Bible Tip!**

How can you find a certain book in your Bible? Look at the Table of Contents in the front of your Bible. You'll find the page number where the book starts.

There are many people who help during worship.

**Color this picture of all the people who help during worship!**

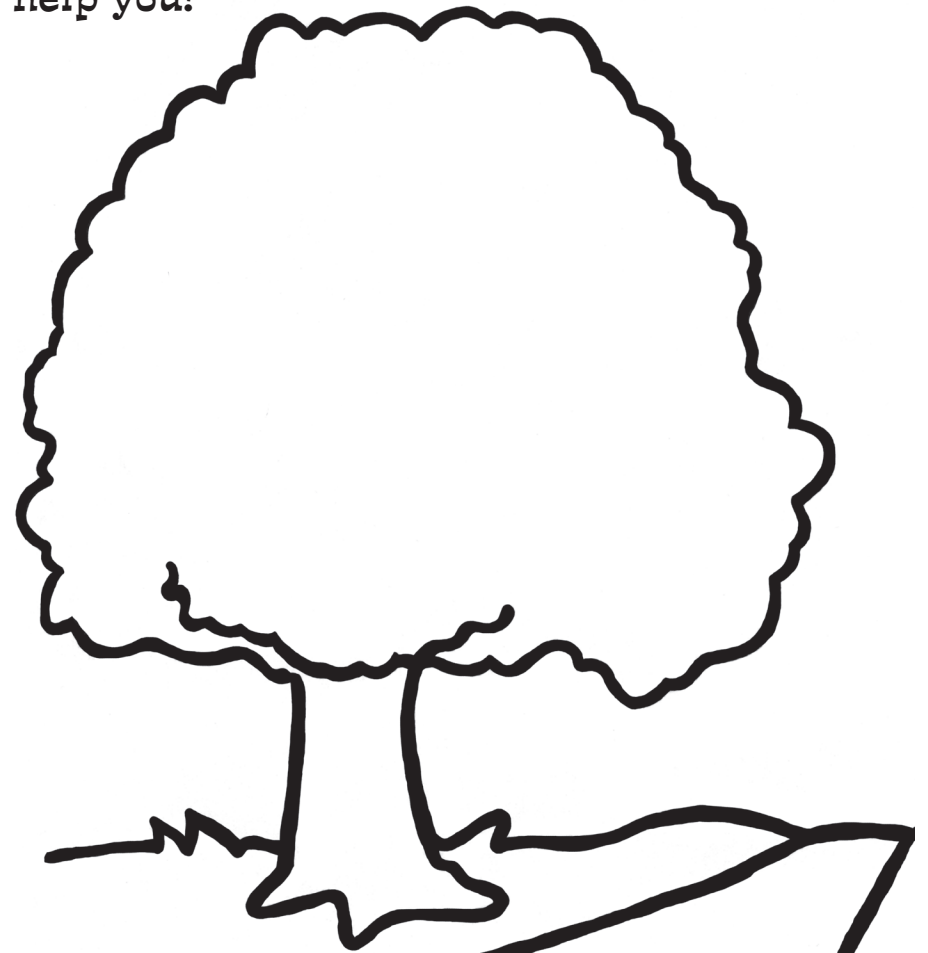


# PRE-READER

Pentecost 13

- Today is the **13<sup>th</sup> Sunday** after Pentecost.
- This season celebrates the **church**.
- The church is a **community** of people who **help each other**.

**Inside this tree, draw the people who help you!**





**“You’re the one God sent to save the world!”**

God wants us to work together with each other, just like parts of a body!



**Complete this body maze to help the body work together.**

