



April 29, 2022



Thank you to everyone who helped create/package ninety-six meals for ***Caring for Friends*** on Mosaic Sunday. Your help with this program is a real blessing and greatly to be appreciated.
Jean Ferrarelli

Mosaic Sunday was another success. **Loaves of Love** volunteers assembled sixty Blessing Bags, which was particularly fortunate since there were none left at Siloam. Thank you to those who helped put these together.
George Phillips

We had four dedicated souls show up in the **knitting group** and seven in the **greeting card group**. Our thanks to those who participated.
Barbara Reed & Andrée Tyagi

LADIES, YOU'RE INVITED ...

... to join the Midday Circle of Friends to see **"Sister Act" at the Media Theater, on Wednesday, June 1st**. We will meet at the church at 11:30 a.m. to go to lunch before the show. If interested, call Deana at 610-716-5939. **Deadline for ordering is May 8th**.

Our last GROW meeting of the season is on May 14th at 9:00 a.m. We will be having Molly, the director of YoungMoms come and speak to us. YoungMoms is the organization that I have been volunteering with and we have been supporting with gift card donations, diaper donations and baby blankets (thank you Lori Aungst). YoungMoms is currently in need of Newborn to size 1 diapers. If you have the opportunity to bring a box to our meeting, it would be greatly appreciated. **Even if you are unable to attend our GROW meetings, please feel free to donate diapers for delivery to YoungMoms.**



The Signup Genius is available. Please don't forget to sign up for a food item. If you would like me to sign up for you, please email me at JanineGlitters@verizon.net to let me know. Have a great week!

P.S. If you have any suggestions for speakers for next year, please let Angela and I know so we can reach out to them. Thanks for all of your help!
Janine Phillips

Please Note: We will no longer be printing the words to the hymns and praise music songs as these are now available on the screen each Sunday as you stream the service.

Those Needing Our Prayers

Bill Cloud **Dianne Forwood** **Bruce Robinson Family** **War in Ukraine and**
devastation and suffering it's causing. **Mark Schott** **Bill Bryan – lost sight in one eye**
Bill Kardine – recovering from a stroke **George, Mary Clark's brother. Had his third chemo**
treatment, for lung cancer. Feeling really bad. Concerned about his mental health as
well. Having a Ct scan next week -- may also have to do radiation treatments.

Don't forget that after 2 weeks these names will be removed from the list. Those with asterisks are people who need continuous prayer and they will be listed on the Prayer List that is sent out weekly.

Homebound:

Jean James, 313 Oakleaf Terrace. Glen Mills, PA 19342

SCRIPTURE READINGS FOR SUNDAY

Psalm 30
Acts 9:1-20

REFLECTION

Psalm 142

I call to You from the depths of my being,
with loud voice, I cry out to You!

I pour forth my fears before You,
I confess the doubts that I feel within.
When I am weary and my heart faint,
You are my Rock!

In the paths where I walk, is it not You
Who knocks at the gate of my heart?
And are You not the Voice of Mercy
comforting me in times of trouble?
Yes, your Presence washes over me,
like the ocean lapping the shore.

I call to You, O my Beloved;
for You are my refuge,
and in my understanding.
Come to me in the Silence, drop
pearls of wisdom into my heart.

Forgive me for every unkind word and thought;
Release me from the prison of fear
that I might rejoice and offer thanksgiving!
Transform my weaknesses into new life,
that I may be a gift of your love to all I meet.

Amen

Nan C. Merrill, *Psalms for Praying, An Invitation to Wholeness*

MAY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

If you wish to send a card to any of these persons, please call or email the church office at 610-459-2911 or mary@elamumc.org for addresses.

BIRTHDAYS

05/01	Timothy Sherman	05/16	Debbie Travers
05/02	Addison Duhadaway	05/19	George Davis
05/03	Elizabeth Munro		Joseph Lisicky, Sr.
	Caroline Puts	05/20	Alex Dorrell
05/04	Beth James	05/21	Cathy Kuhlman
	Brian Rogers		David Stebbins
05/05	Michael Clarke	05/23	Cynthia Hudock
05/06	Miranda Daviduk	05/24	Ashley Mullin
05/07	Victoria Heckman		Judy Palmer
	Willem Reid	05/26	Lori Aungst
	Tabitha Reilly		Eric Hoffmann
05/08	Molly Edwards	05/27	Jackie Brandt
	Broderick Lawler		Frances Ebsworth
05/10	Geoff DeMarro	05/28	Jack Dembek
05/11	Heather Dembek		Benjamin Stow
	Zak Topka	05/30	Kayla Blazier
05/12	Jessica Topka		Franny DeBoard
	Karen Wyman		Robert Munro
05/13	Beverly Brookes		Sarah Paoletti
	Peggy Mills		Zachary Vandenbraak
	Justin Verratti	05/31	Tom Brooks
05/15	Lauren Ferrarelli		Julia St. Germain
	Addison Morgan		
	Kathy Stebbins		

ANNIVERSARIES

05/15/2004 Erin & Patrick Baird
05/28/1994 Paula & Shawn Heckman
05/24/1975 Susan & William Kardine
05/08/1982 Cathy & Paul Kuhlman
05/03/2003 Ginny Lockwood & Ted Leon Guerrero
05/28/2010 Jessica & Andrew Morgan
05/10/1996 Ruth & Jim Weaver

If your name is not listed here and you have an May birthday or anniversary, please contact Mary at 610-459-2911 or mary@elamumc.org, and you will be added to our records. Please also let us know if we have an incorrect anniversary or birthdate.

Sunday Morning Worship Schedule for May and June:

05/08	Traditional Worship Service – Jubilate Choir
05/15	Traditional Worship Service – Jubilate Choir
05/22	Praise Worship Service – Elam Praise Band
05/29	Traditional Worship Service – Jubilate Choir or Special Music
06/05	Traditional Worship Service – Jubilate Choir (last anthem till Fall)
06/12	Praise Worship Service – Elam Praise Band
06/19	Traditional Worship Service – Special Music

REMINDERS



Below is a wish list for Loaves of Love:

Chef Boyardee	Syrup	Pancake mix	Cake mix
Frosting	Paper towels	Fruit	Pasta sides
Tuna	Mashed potatoes	Jelly	Canned chicken
Tissues	Spaghetti sauce	Mac and Cheese	

Thank you.

Sunday School and nursery for infants through sixth grade are available during the worship service. It is held in the Children's Day Out rooms (follow hallway past restrooms all the way to the end to room 107). Miss Bonnie and Miss Joy will be waiting there for you.

"I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope." ~ Jeremiah 29:11 NRSV

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Jesus asked Peter some questions.

Use the code to find out what Jesus told Peter to do.

♥ = a 🐑 = e

✋ = o

T k 🐑

c r 🐑 f ✋

My sh 🐑 p.

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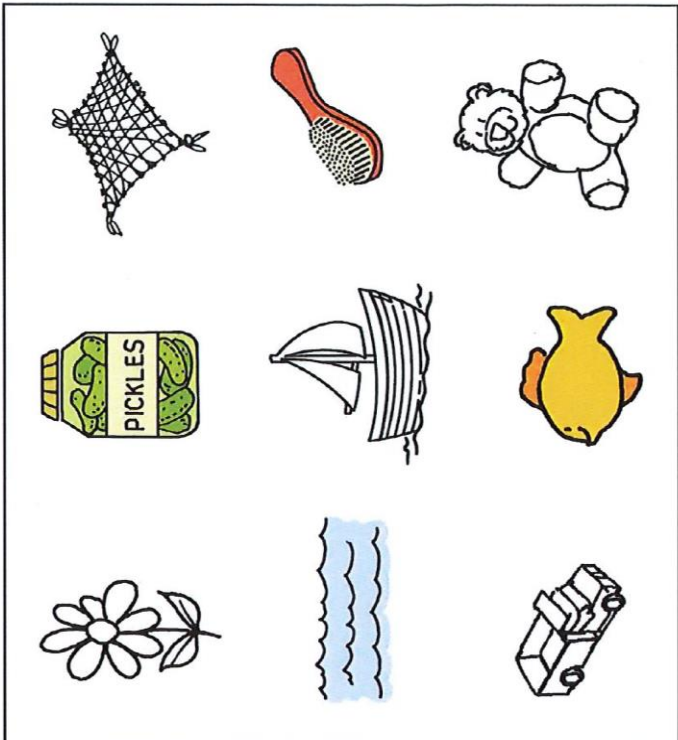


Ages 3+ May 1, 2022 • John 21:1-19

Jesus by the Sea of Tiberias

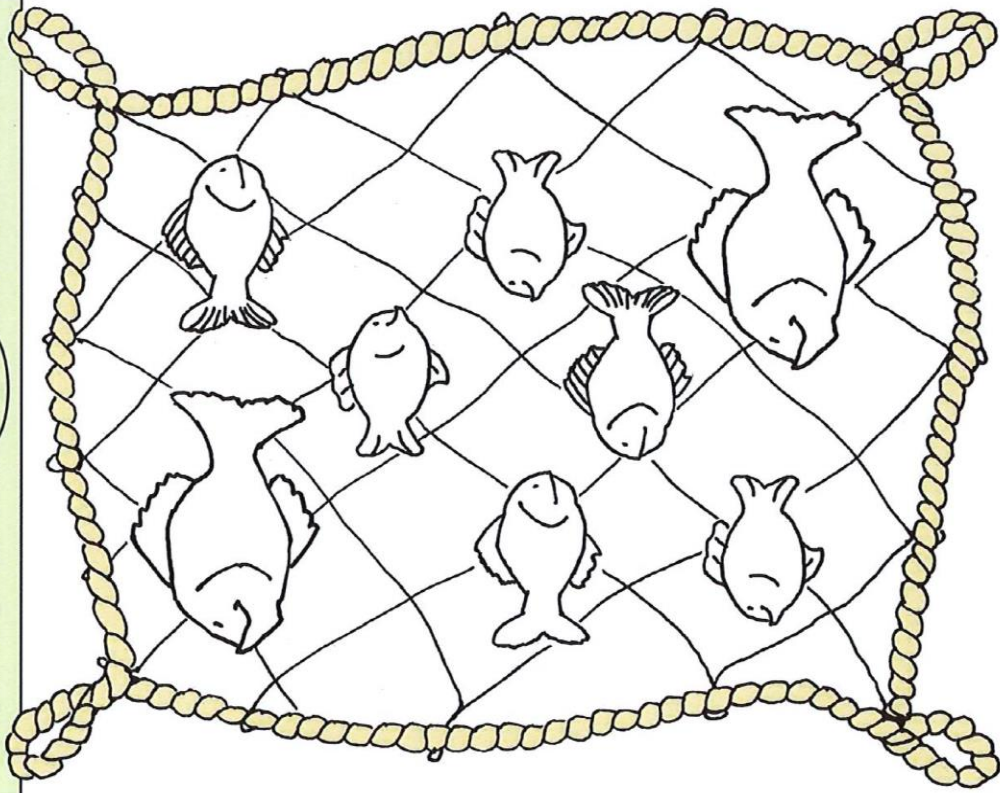
The disciples decided to go out fishing.

Circle the things they would need.



They caught no fish. Jesus told them to throw the net on the other side of the boat. Then they caught 153 fish!

Count these fish and circle the correct number.



6 or 7 or 8 ?

The disciples came to shore.
Jesus cooked them breakfast.

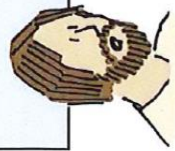
Trace the lines to finish the picture.





After they ate, Jesus and Peter had an important conversation.

To find out what they said, change each consonant to the next consonant in the alphabet but leave vowels as they are (vowels are A, E, I, O, U). For example, change B to C, C to D, etc. Change Z to B.



S
R I L O M, R O M O D
H O G M, C O X O U K O T E
L E L O Q E S G A M S G E R E ?

X O U J M O V S G A S
I K O T E X O U.



D E E C L X R G E E N.



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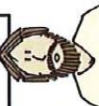
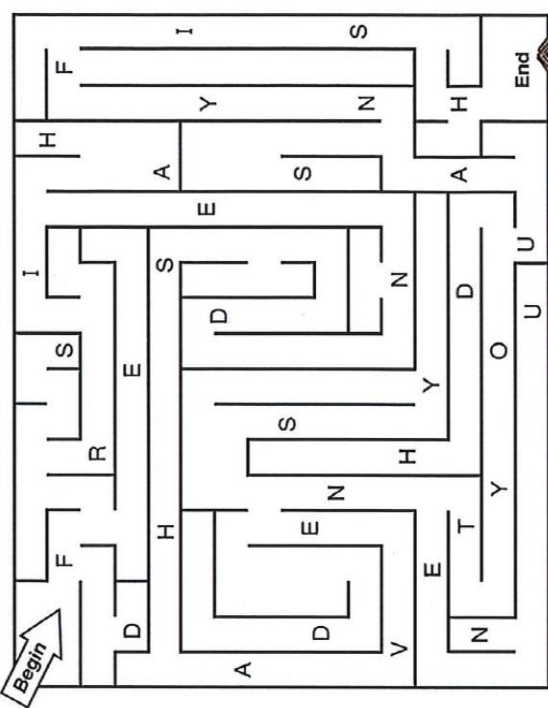
Ages 7+

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Jesus by the Sea of Tiberias

Jesus appeared to His disciples when they were fishing, but because He stood on the shore, they couldn't recognize Him. Jesus called out to them. What did He ask?

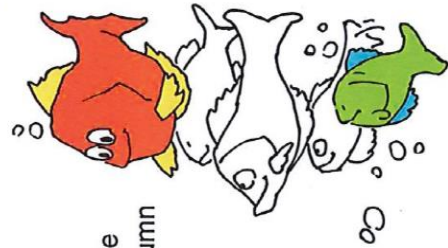
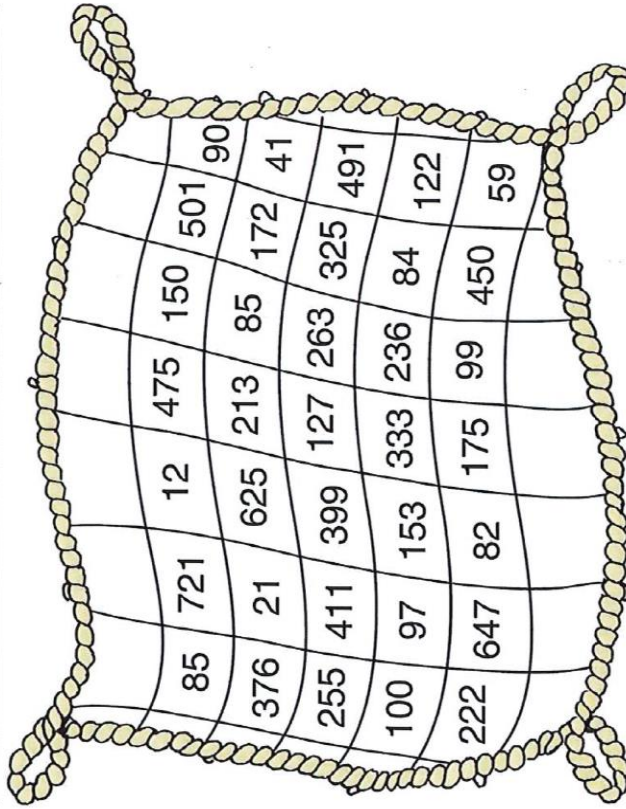
Follow the correct path through the maze to find the letters to fill in the blanks.



" _____ , _____ , _____ ?"

Jesus called out from the shore, "Throw your net on the right side of the boat." When they did, the disciples caught so many fish they couldn't haul the net in!

How many fish did they catch?
Follow the directions below to find out.



The disciples realized it was Jesus and turned toward the shore to join Him. What did Simon Peter do when he realized it was Jesus?

In order, first write out all the 1's, then all the 2's, then all the 3's and then all the 4's. Fill in the blanks below.

As	¹	him	²	he	³	him	⁴	soon	¹	say	²
wrapped	³	and	⁴	as	¹	It	²	his	³	jumped	⁴
Simon	¹	is	²	outer	³	into	⁴	Peter	¹	the	²
garment	³	the	⁴	heard	¹	Lord	²	around	³	water	⁴

