OUR PURPOSE



Loving God Welcoming All

Serving Neighbors

Together through Jesus Christ

DAILY DEVOTIONALS

Mon., Feb 10 - PHILIPPIANS 1:22-26 Living With Purpose
Tue., Feb 11 - 1 KINGS 19:11-15 Constant Motion
Wed., Feb 12 - PROVERBS 3:5-8 My Dream Job
Thu., Feb 13 - 1 JOHN 1:5-10 Weaving a New Life
Fri., Feb 14 - JEREMIAH 17:5-8 Standing Strong in Faith
Sat., Feb 15 - ROMANS 12:17-21 Refusing to Particiapate
Sun., Feb 16 - JONAH 2:1-10 Light of Hope

Visit www.upperroom.com for more information.

OFFICE INFORMATION

GENERAL QUESTIONS & PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

Please contact the office at 301-349-2010, office@pmumc.org, or visit www.pmumc.org

PHONE MESSAGES

Voicemails are sent electronically to designated email accounts.

EMERGENCIES

For immediate pastoral care, please email PastorTim@PMUMC.org

CHURCH GIVING

AVERAGE WEEKLY GIVING (last 8 weeks) \$11,750.69

WAYS TO GIVE:

- **PLACE** in Offering Plate when entering/exiting Worship Service
- MAIL to Memorial's PO Box 358
- **DROP** in Memorial's secured mailbox next to main entrance on side of building
- **ELECTRONICALLY** via PMUMC.org

CHURCH PERSONNEL & CONTRIBUTORS TO WORSHIP

PASTOR - Rev. Timothy A. Dowell **MUSIC DIRECTOR -** Janet Hartz

ORGANIST - Linda Custer

BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR - Becky Smalley

HEAD USHER - Dr. Robert Spiker

ALTAR GUILD/SACRAMENT STEWARDJanet Spiker, Jenny Rivenbark (alternate)

WORSHIP CMTE CHAIR - Priscilla Lyon

VISUAL ARTS - Dianna McGrew, Jenny Rivenbark, Janet Spiker,

ACOLYTE COORDINATOR - Kirsten Lewis HEAD ACOLYTE - Sam L.

AUDIO/VIDEO - Tim Melton, Kevin Schramm **NURSERY -** Stephanie Parker, Cynthia Cook

CHURCH COORDINATOR - Shirley Prasada-Rao **CUSTODIAN -** Ximenia "Patricia" Murdock

EVENT MONITOR - Linda Self

ACOLYTES - Knox H., Nicole L., Sam L., Addison S., Aubrey S., Evie S., Isabel S.

BELL CHOIR - Jennifer Fielder, Janet Hartz, Cindy Heivilin, Kirsten Lewis, Nicole Lewis, Priscilla Lyon, Michelle Palmer, Beth Parker, Kevin Schramm, Corrine Selby, Isabel Smalley

CHANCEL CHOIR - Eleanor Bateman, Tim Dowell, Chris Giarratano, Steve Krasner, Priscilla Lyon, David Melton, Tim Melton, Walter Moskwa, Marty Pauley, Roger Powers, Betty Jean Selby, Becky Smalley, Erin Smeller, Madelon Stone

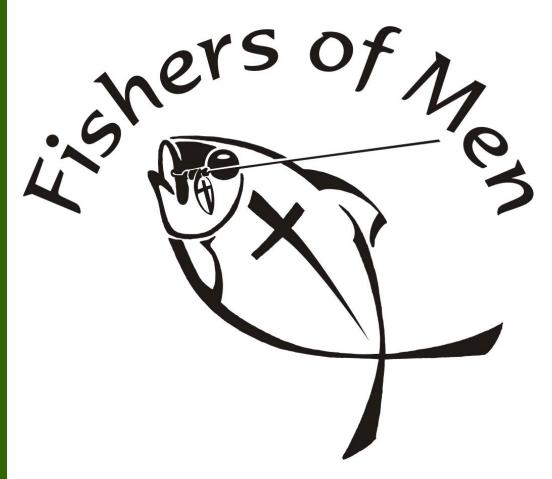
WELCOME



Poolesville Memorial United Methodist Church

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9, 2025 February 10:30 am Sunday Worship Service Fifth Sunday after Epiphany-



"Getting Caught"

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

February 9, 2025



A special welcome to our guests today! Your visit is a blessing and we are glad you are here! As we gather, take time to relax and prepare your heart to listen for God through today's time of prayer, song, and scripture study.

* = Please stand in your heart or posture.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal. **TFWS** = The Faith We Sing.

GREETERS—Suzanne Shorts

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Amanda Lyon

The Potter's Hand

by Darlene Zschech

WORSHIP SERVICE ACOLYTE—Knox H.

WELCOME—Introductions and Prayer

Rev. Timothy Dowell

PRELUDE MUSIC

Amanda Lyon

More Love to Thee with "I Love Thee"

by Doane/Fettke

*CALL TO WORSHIP

led by Nicole Lewis

LEADER:

Beloved, the Savior calls to you. Will you follow?

PEOPLE:

God, help us leave everything and follow.

LEADER:

Christ's call persists through the clouds of doubt, fear, and worry

that descend on our path. Will you follow?

PEOPLE:

God, help us leave everything and follow.

LEADER:

Jesus calls us to shift our priorities, to leave behind the baggage of prejudice and the grasping for position so we can truly love God and

our neighbors well. Will you follow?

PEOPLE:

God, help us leave everything and follow.

LEADER:

Beloved, receive this good news: you are not alone! Today we answer

Christ's call together!

PEOPLE:

God, help us leave everything and follow your path of Love

everywhere we go! Amen.

Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, August 2024

*OPENING PRAYER

led by Nicole Lewis

Some have come under compulsion. Some have come out of curiosity. Some have come out of a great need. Some have come out of tradition. Some have come to dedicate their new outfit. All will meet Jesus. All will have the opportunity to be blessed. All will decide what to do, having met Jesus. May we decide to follow him. Amen.

Written by T. Anne Daniel, The Africana Worship Book, Year C (Nashville: Discipleship Resources, 2008), 126.

*OPENING HYMN—Jesus Calls Us

UMH 398

MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

FIRST READING—1 Corinthians 15:1-11

Erin Smeller

This is the word of the Lord. *Thanks be to God.*

ANTHEM—CHANCEL CHOIR

His Grace Abounds

Janet Hartz/Amanda Lyon by Green/Harlan/Mayfield

Poolesville, MD

SECOND READING—Luke 5:1-11

Rev. Timothy Dowell

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MESSAGE—Getting Caught

Rev. Timothy Dowell

*HYMN OF RESPONSE—The Summons

TFWS 2130

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Rev. Timothy Dowell

OFFERING (Offering Plates in Spurrier Hall)

Rev. Timothy Dowell

*DOXOLOGY—Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow

UMH 95

THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH 895

*CLOSING HYMN—Amazing Grace

UMH 378

*BENEDICTION

Rev. Timothy Dowell

POSTLUDE MUSIC He Is Exalted Amanda Lyon by Twila Paris

Choral Anthem Lyrics, *His Grace Abounds* by Green/Harlan/Mayfield

There was a boat out on the sea, some fishermen from Galilee,

When a storm came up they were so afraid. And just when everything seemed lost,

they cried out to Jesus;

At His command the wind and waves obeyed.

His grace abounds there in the valley. His grace abounds on a troubled sea.

And when the storm is raging, His love is greater. For when I'm down, His grace abounds.

I was reminded just today,

the many times I've seen your grace. So often I forget you've seen me through.

And in those dark and lonely times,

though Your face I could not find.

You brought new life where death had made a home.

His grace abounds there in the valley. His grace abounds on a troubled sea.

And when the storm is raging, His love is greater.

For when I'm down, His grace abounds.

It's human nature to worry about the things we do not understand.

Still there is comfort in knowing no matter where you are, You're never too far.

So just hold on, just hold on!

His grace abounds there in the valley. His grace abounds on a troubled sea.

And when the storm is raging, His love is greater.



Connection Directory—Connecting FACES with CONTACT information

Due to changes in our world, our new directory will be a little different than in the past. It will be done in-house and set-up so information can be updated easily. Each person will have their own picture taken. Each family will have their own page some with one picture while others may have five. Here are some additional details:

- There will NOT be an option to buy anything
- Each family will have a contact sheet to review and correct to make sure all contact information is up-to-date
- Families with 1-3 members will have a 5 minute time-slot to have their pictures taken. Families with 4+ members will need to schedule two slots.
- Pictures will be taken March 2 and March 16th.
- Our own Ashlynne Stearns will be the photographer. Some have expressed a disappointment in not have family portraits for purchase. Ashlynn will have information on how she may be able to help with those outside of church.
- If you have any questions, please reach out to Dianna McGrew at mdmcgrews@aol.com.

Pick-Up your pre-ordered Superbowl Subs made by our Youth after church. Several subs are still available for purchase. \$1 from each sub goes to WUMCO and the rest goes to support our Youth



THANK YOU! To all that made another Community Dinner a success!

Egg Cartons Needed—In preparation for Holy Week, a dozen "Resurrection Eggs" will be available for each family but we do need egg cartons. Please place in the designated basket in the entry way.





REVIEW/PREVIEW-No prep needed! Study Sundays' scriptures Thursdays @ 7pm on Zoom. To receive the link, please email: pastortim@pmumc.org.



1 Corinthians 15:12-20 • Luke 6:17-26

Nursery Rm 5 10:15 to 11:45 am



Engage in church ministries by scanning this QR code with your phone's camera.





Need Ride to church? Email Scott.McGrew@aol.com

SCHEDULE	FEB 16 6 th Sunday after Epiphany	FEB 23 7th Sunday after Epiphany	MAR 2 Transfiguration Sunday
LITURGIST	Ray Hoewing Erin Smeller	Kirsten Lewis Eleanor Bateman	Scott McGrew Bob Bachman
ACOLYTE	Bob Spiker	Sam L.	Evie S.
GREETERS	Suzanne Shorts	Available	Available

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

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SUN - FEB 9 5 th Sunday after Epiphany	7 - 9:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 1 pm	Youth Assemble Super Bowl Subs— <i>Kitchen/FH</i> Sunday School— PreK-12 th <i>Rms 2-4</i> ; Adult <i>Rm 6/Zoom</i> Chancel Choir Rehearsal- <i>Room 8/Sanctuary</i> Nursery- <i>Room 5</i> Worship Service- <i>Sanctuary/YouTube</i> Super Bowl Sub Pick-Up— <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
Mon - Feb 10	7 am - 5 pm 10:30 am - 12 pm 3 - 5 pm 4:30 - 6 pm 7 - 8:30 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Lighting Update - <i>Entire Building</i> VFW Auxiliary Meeting- <i>Room 6</i> Shine On Together- <i>Kitchen</i> Girl Scout Troop #32009 Meeting- <i>Room 1</i> Bell Choir Rehearsal- <i>Sanctuary/Spurrier Hall</i> Grief Group- <i>Room 6</i>
Tue - Feb 11	7 am - 5 pm 10:30 - 11:30 am 7 - 9 pm	Lighting Update - <i>Entire Building</i> Tai Chi—Poolesville Seniors– <i>Fellowship Hall</i> Church Council Meeting– <i>Room 6/Zoom</i>
WED - FEB 12	7 am - 5 pm 5:45 - 7 pm 7 - 8:30 pm 7:30 - 9 pm	Lighting Update - <i>Entire Building</i> Girl Scout Troop #32066 Meeting- <i>Room 1</i> Poolesville Day Committee Meeting- <i>Room 6</i> Chancel Choir Rehearsal - <i>Room 8</i>
Тни - Feв 13	7 am - 5pm 10 am - 6 pm 7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm	Lighting Update - <i>Entire Building</i> Review/Preview with Pastor Tim— <i>Online via Zoom</i> Zumba Class— <i>Fellowship Hall</i> IOOF #97 Meeting— <i>Room 6</i>
FRI - FEB 14	7 am - 5pm	Lighting Update - <i>Entire Building</i>
SAT - FEB 15	1 - 4 pm	The Friendly Thrift Shop– <i>On Location</i>
SUN - FEB 16 6 th Sunday after Epiphany	9:15 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Sunday School– PreK-12 th <i>Rms 2-4;</i> Adult <i>Rm 6/Zoom</i> Chancel Choir Rehearsal- <i>Room 8/Sanctuary</i> Nursery- <i>Room 5</i> Worship Service- <i>Sanctuary/YouTube</i> Fellowship Time– <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
Mon - Feb 17	4:30 - 6 pm 7 - 8:30 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32009 Meeting– Room 1 Bell Choir Rehearsal– Sanctuary/Spurrier Hall Grief Group– Room 6
Tue - Feb 18	10:30 - 11:30 am 7 - 8 pm	Tai Chi—Poolesville Seniors– <i>Fellowship Hall</i> Men's Group Meeting– <i>Room 6/Zoom</i>
WED - FEB 19	5:45 - 7 pm 7:30 - 9 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 Meeting– Room 1 Chancel Choir Rehearsal – Room 8
Тни - Feв 20	10 am - 6 pm 7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm	WUMCO-LCSW Therapy Sessions— <i>Noah's Ark Room</i> Review/Preview with Pastor Tim— <i>Online via Zoom</i> Zumba Class— <i>Fellowship Hall</i>
SAT - FEB 22	11 am - 7 pm 1 - 4 pm 3 - 6:30 pm	Private Party– <i>Fellowship Hall</i> The Friendly Thrift Shop– <i>On Location</i> The Frederick Rescue Mission– <i>On Location</i>
Sun - Feb 23 ^{7th} Sunday after Epiphany	9:15 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Sunday School– PreK-12 th <i>Rms 2-4;</i> Adult <i>Rm 6/Zoom</i> Chancel Choir Rehearsal- <i>Room 8/Sanctuary</i> Nursery- <i>Room 5</i> Worship Service- <i>Sanctuary/YouTube</i>

Believe in Jesus' ...





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The Resurrection of Jesus

Paul preached about Jesus.

Find the hidden objects in the picture.









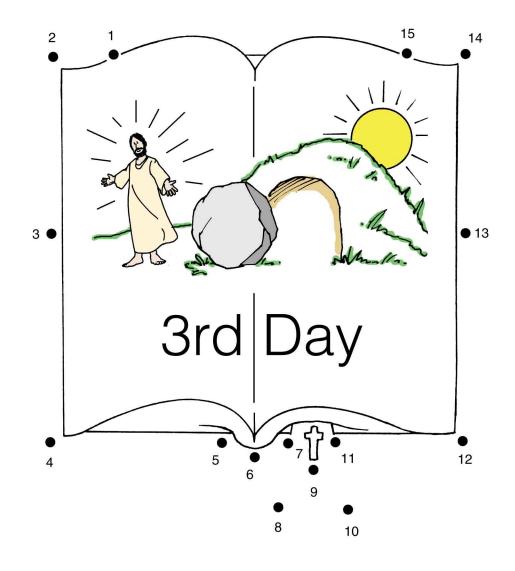






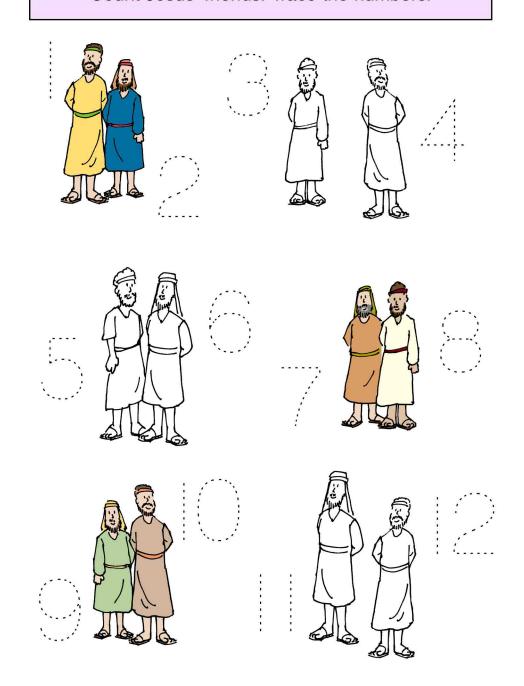
The Bible tells us Jesus was raised on the 3rd day.

Connect the dots.
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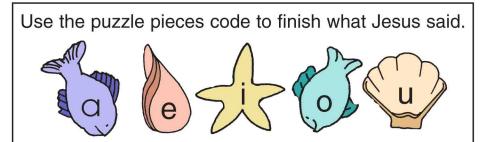


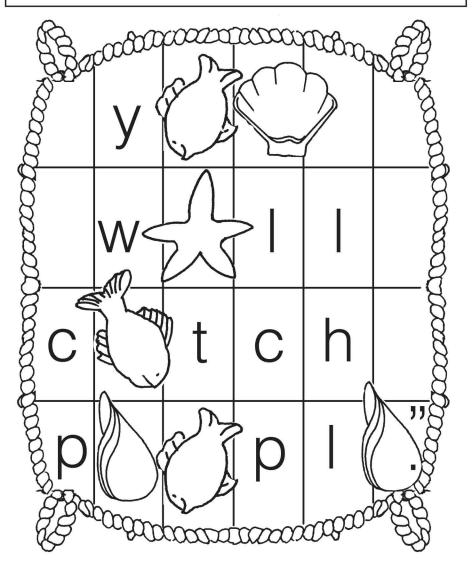
Jesus' friends believed in His resurrection.

Count Jesus' friends. Trace the numbers.



Jesus told Simon, "From now on ...







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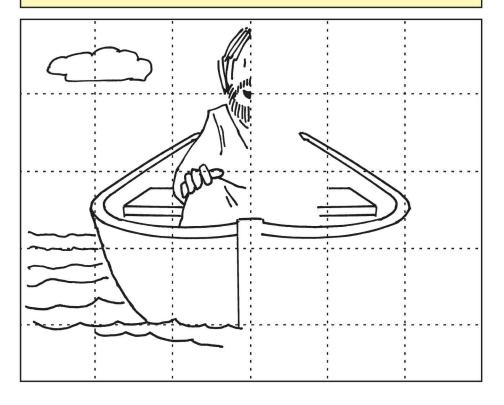
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Jesus taught the people from Simon's boat.

Finish the drawing. Add some fish in the water.







Jesus saw Simon and Andrew in their boat.

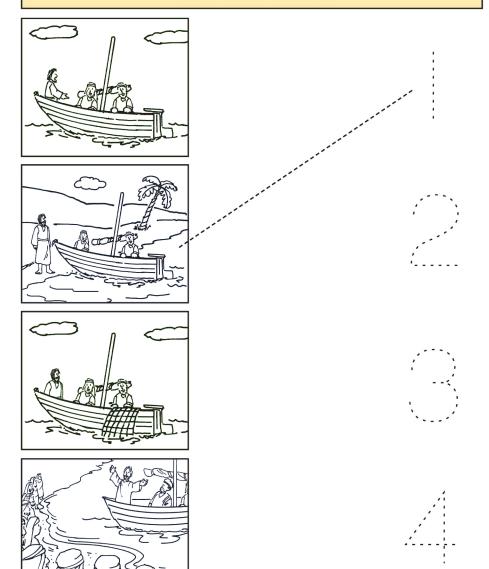
Jesus got into Simon's boat.

Jesus taught the people from the boat.

Jesus told Simon to put his net into the water.

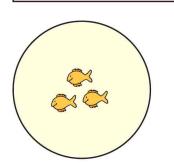
Draw lines to put the pictures in order.

Trace the numbers.



Simon did not think he would catch any fish. They caught so many fish!

Match the opposites.

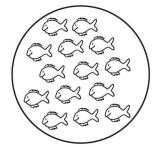


















Paul had been cruel to the church, so he felt blessed to be allowed to preach the gospel.



Write the word that goes with each description. Then place the numbered letters on the lines.

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grub, fly larva <u>M</u>	<u>A</u> 7	8	9	10	11
front part of head, expression	· • • • <u>-</u>	12	A 13	<u>C</u>	15
girl, female servant		16	17	18	19
young man			20	21	22
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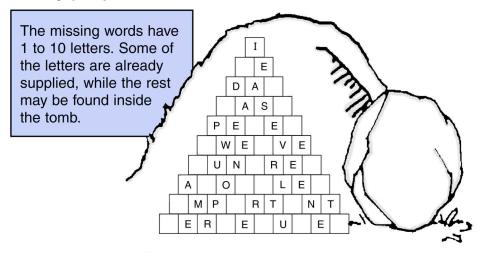


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Many people witnessed Jesus after the Resurrection.



Paul wrote, "This message is most

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rose from	the dead on	the third _	Y	. <u>H</u>
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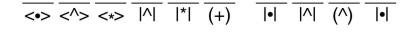


Paul thought his message to the Corinthians was of utmost importance!

Use the decoding chart to find the gospel message.



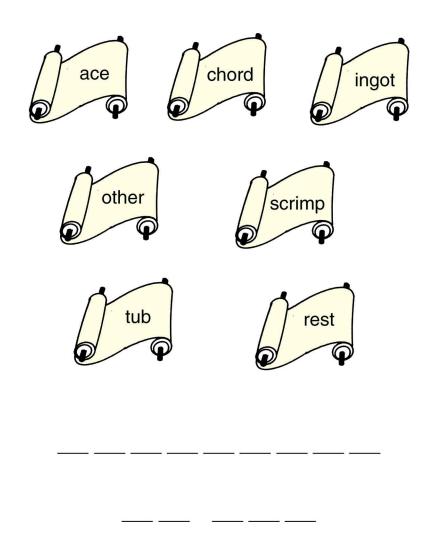
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The things that had happened to Jesus, happened ...

Remove 1 letter from each small word, then combine and write the remaining letters in order to complete the sentence.

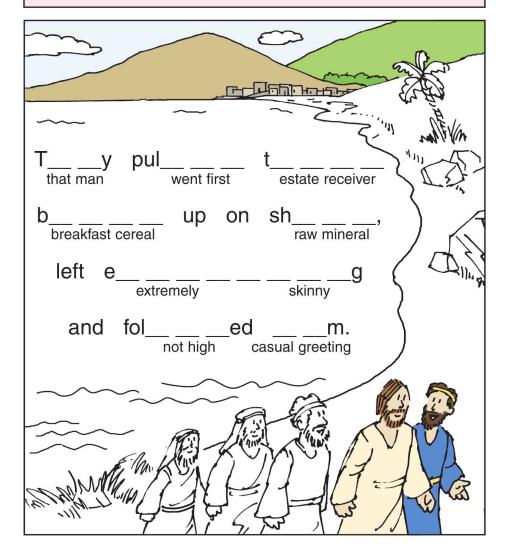




Jesus became the most important person in the world to Simon and his friends.

Place the words in the blanks according to their meanings. Read what Simon, James and John did.

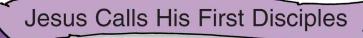
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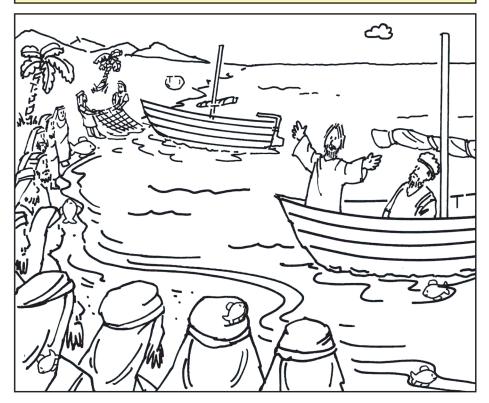
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Jesus taught God's Word from Simon's boat on Lake Gennesaret.

Find 6 objects in the picture that contain the letter "T" as in Teacher. Find 6 hidden fish.







Simon was blessed for obeying

Jesus' command, though he couldn't understand the purpose.		
Unscramble the words to complete the story, then fit them into the crossword puzzle.		2 3
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