

## Practice Peace

One way to share God's love with others is by sharing the peace during worship. When it is time to pass the peace, stand up and shake hands with the people around you. Tell them, "God's peace be with you." Or try saying peace in another language!



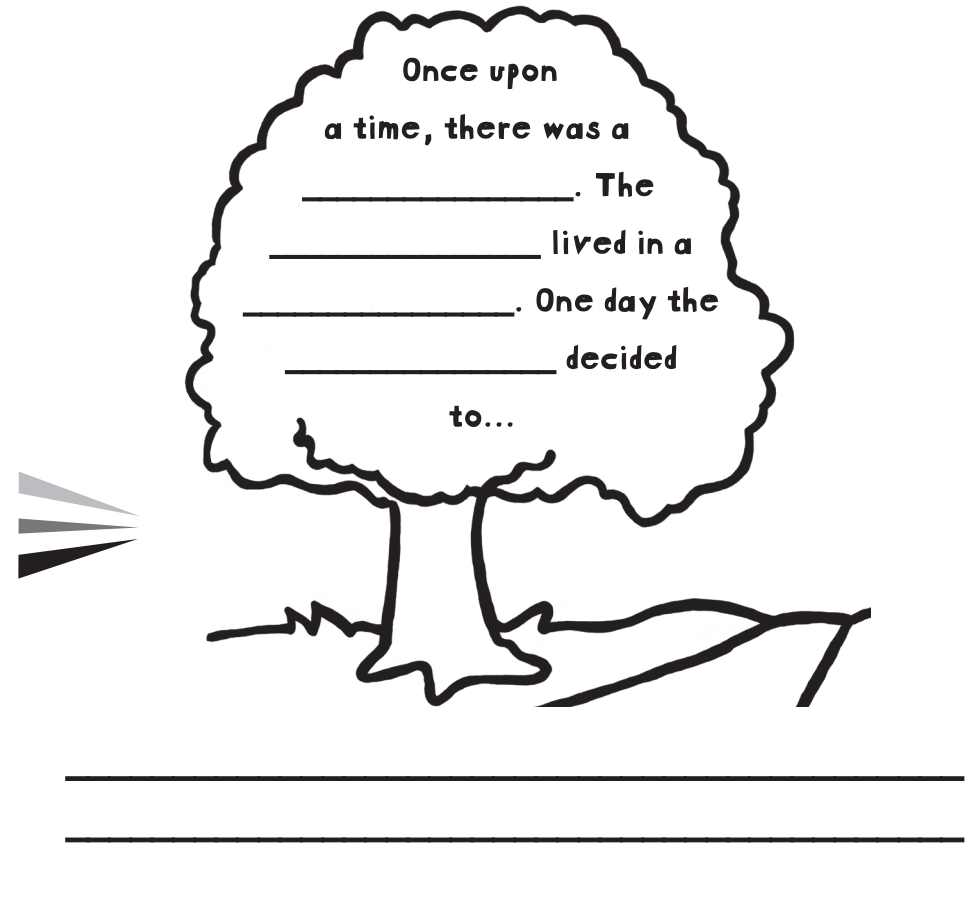
## READER

Pentecost 9

- Today is the **ninth** Sunday after Pentecost.
- During this season, we hear many of Jesus' **parables**.
- Parables are **stories** that Jesus told to **teach us about God**.

## Story Time

You can tell stories like Jesus. Fill in the blanks inside the tree to begin your story. Finish your story in the space below the tree.



Unscramble the underlined words to reveal this week's memory verse



This is indeed the hopretp who is to come into the odrlw.

This is indeed the \_\_\_\_\_ who is to come into the \_\_\_\_\_.  
John 6:14b



### Fish Finder

Did you know that a fish is a symbol for Jesus? The Greek word for fish is **ΙΧΘΥΣ**. Each letter of this Greek word is the first letter of another Greek word that tells a name for Jesus.

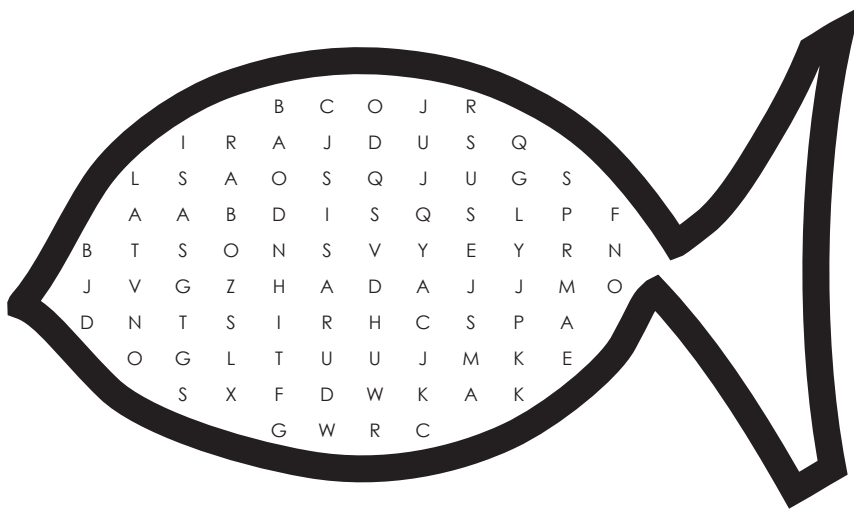
Find these names for Jesus in this fish.

In English these words are:

Jesus  
Son

Christ  
Savior

God's



### Multiplication Miracle

In today's Gospel story, Jesus performed a miracle. He multiplied five loaves of bread and two fish into enough food to feed 5,000 people. Solve these multiplication problems to discover the message!

Key:

A = 10  
L = 25

C = 2  
R = 12

E = 3  
S = 9

H = 8

Jesus wants us to:

3 x 3

4 x 2

5 x 2

4 x 3

3 x 1

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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____



Look it up!

Today's Gospel story comes from the book of Matthew. The same story is told in the Gospel of John. Read it in John 6:1-14. What is different about this version of the story?