



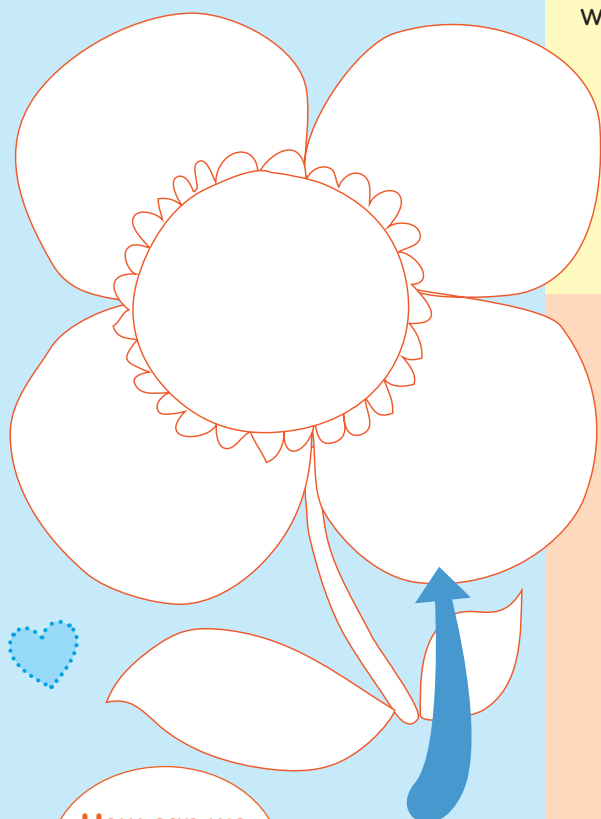
Sunday 30 August 2026
22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
Matthew 16:21-27

In the GOSPEL TODAY

FOLLOW ME!

Jesus gives us life

Following Jesus isn't easy, but it will bring us life and make us happy.



How can we be like Jesus today?

Write or draw your ideas in the petals

A PRAYER TO SAY

Dear Lord, may I see you more clearly, love you dearly and follow you more nearly, day by day. Amen.



Jesus warns his friends he is going to die but that he will rise again. Anyone who wants to follow Jesus might sometimes find it hard – but they will also find new life and happiness!

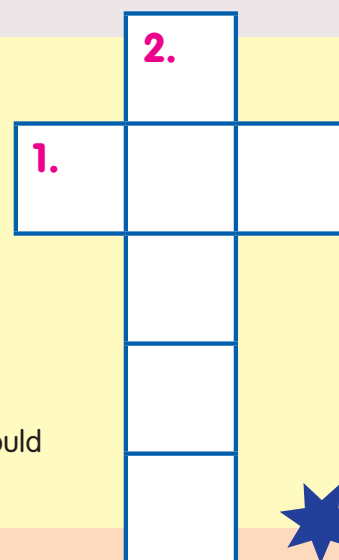
A Puzzle

Find the answers and write them on the cross.

1. How did the disciples feel when Jesus said he would die?

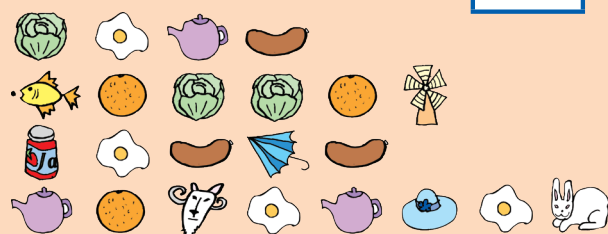


2. How did they feel when he said he would come to life again?



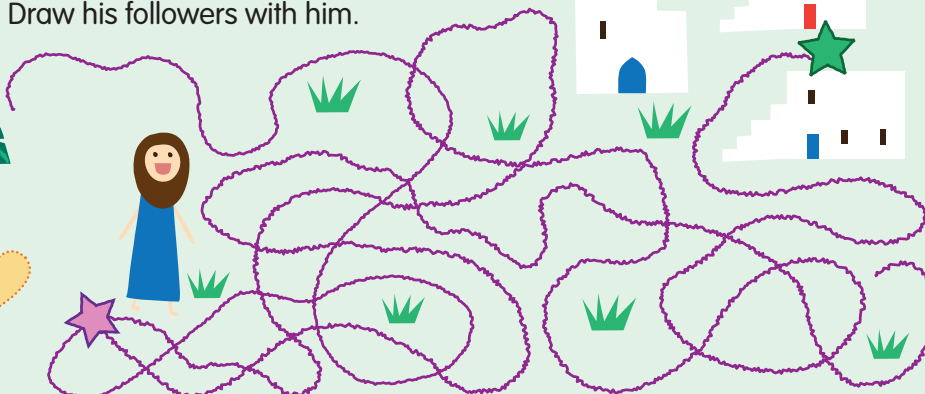
Code Word

Can you decode this message?
Take the first letter of each picture to find out what each word is.



Off to Jerusalem

How will Jesus get to Jerusalem?
Draw his followers with him.



Answers: A Puzzle: 1. Sad 2. Happy. Code Word: Let's follow Jesus together.