

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

HELLO
MY NAME IS

WE ARE IN:

LENT

We are getting really close to the end of Lent...how many things do you know about Lent now?

1. How many days are there in Lent?

40

50

60

2. The day of the week the Lent started?

MONDAY WEDNESDAY Saturday

3. What do we eat the day before Lent?



4. What colour is worn by our priest?



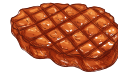
5. What word do we never say in Lent?

amen

Alleluia

Jesus

6. What don't we eat on Fridays?



7. How many Stations of the Cross?

10

14

8

7. What day does Holy Week begin?



THE BEGINNING OF MASS: THE INTRODUCTORY RITES & PENITENTIAL RITE

In the name of the Father & of the Son, & of the Holy Spirit

AMEN

The Lord be with you

AND WITH YOUR SPIRIT



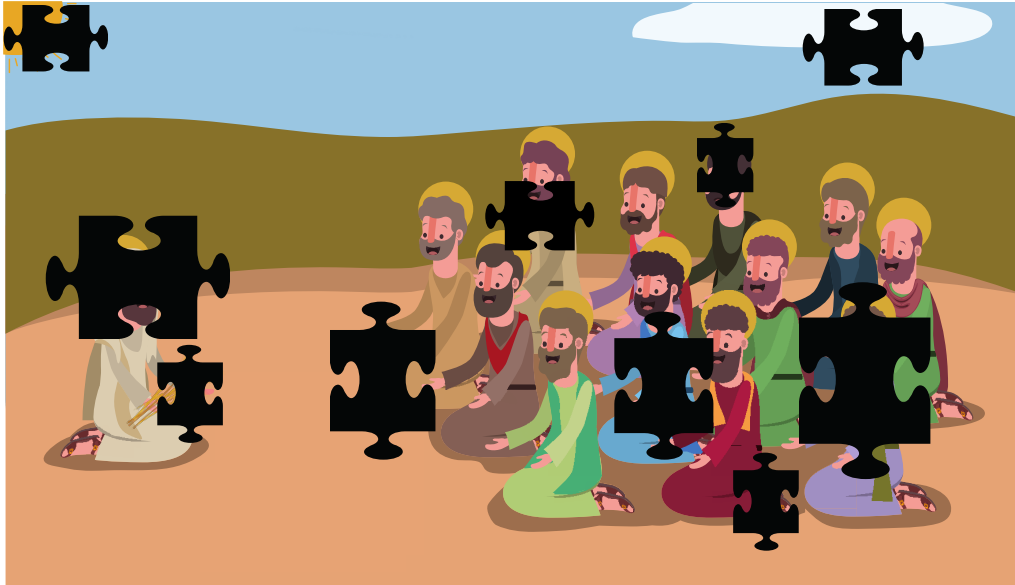
As we begin Mass, we think about the things we need help with

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Trusting God | <input type="checkbox"/> Generous |
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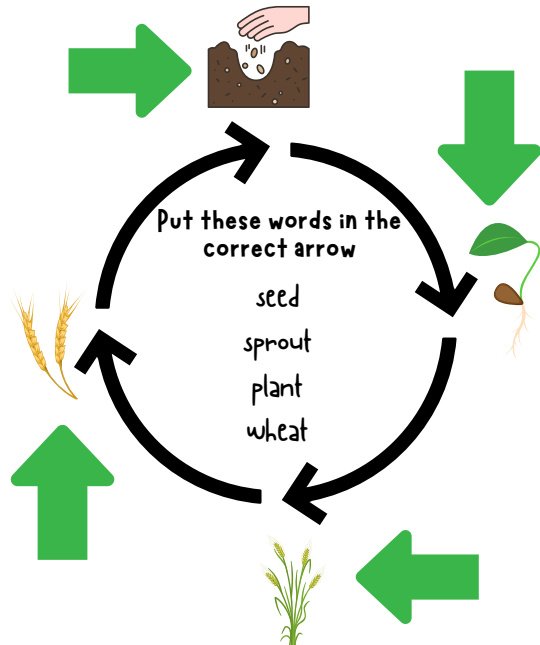
THE MIDDLE OF MASS: THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

Can you finish the puzzle of Jesus teaching...



IN OUR STORY TODAY, JESUS HELPS HIS FRIENDS TO UNDERSTAND ABOUT HIS LIFE AND DEATH BY USING AN EXAMPLE THAT HIS FRIENDS WOULD HAVE UNDERSTOOD...ALL ABOUT A TINY SEED, AND HOW IT NEEDS TO FALL ON THE GROUND AND "DIE" SO THAT IT CAN COME BACK TO LIFE

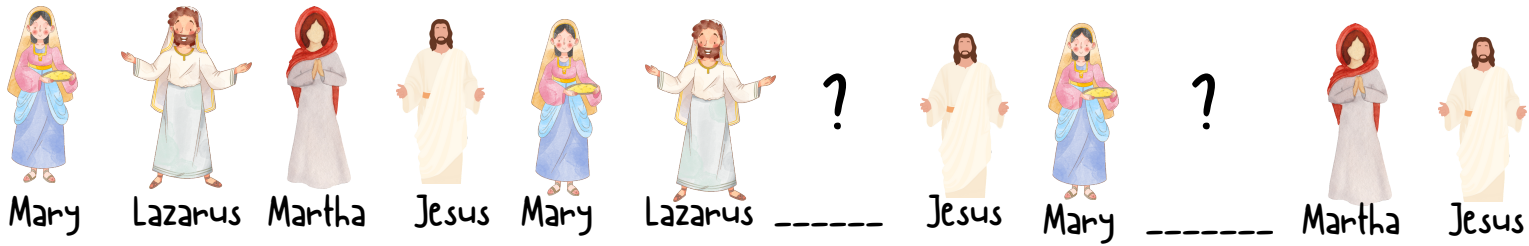
Jesus helps us understand his death by understanding about wheat



PEOPLE JOINING YOUR CHURCH?

During Lent, in some Churches, some adults get ready to become a Catholic. This means they will be Baptised (like you were as a baby), they receive Communion and will be Confirmed.

THE SPECIAL STORY YOU MIGHT HEAR TODAY IS CALLED THE RAISING OF LAZARUS. ONE OF JESUS' FRIENDS HAS DIED, AND IN A VERY SPECIAL MIRACLE JESUS BRINGS HIM BACK TO LIFE...CAN YOU GET TO KNOW THE PEOPLE IN THE STORY BY FIGURING OUT THE PATTERNS...



PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

AS WE COME TOWARDS THE END OF LENT...CAN YOU MAKE SOME EXTRA SPECIAL LENT PROMISES...?

Prayer ideas:

- ♥ for your family
- ♥ for your friends
- ♥ for peace
- ♥ for people who are sick

I am going to pray for:
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Giving ideas:

- Give to the food bank
- Give a hug
- Make a cake for someone
- Give a card to a friend

I am going to give:
.....

Giving up ideas:

- ♥ Give up screen time
- ♥ Give up sweets
- ♥ Give up fizzy drinks
- ♥ Give up chocolate

I am going to give up:
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CHURCH AT HOME: THE DOMESTIC CHURCH

Special day of the week 19th March: St Joseph, Husband of Mary Mother of Jesus

Holy Week Poster

Very soon it will be the most important week of the Church's year - HOLY WEEK! The week we celebrate Palm Sunday, Jesus' Last Supper, the day he died and his resurrection.

Quite often Catholic Families put up posters in their windows to tell people who are passing by that it is Holy Week. Can you design a family poster to put up next week?

It should be **PURPLE** (the colour of Lent) and it should say **THIS IS HOLY WEEK** on it.

