

# KIDS

## SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP GROUP GUIDE

### SCRIPTURE REFERENCE:

Let's go! Jesus is tempted in the desert and chooses his helpers, from Matthew 4, Mark 1, Luke 4-6.

### STORY SUMMARY:

Jesus chooses 12 men to be his disciples or followers. Their job was to follow Jesus and learn from him.

### INTRODUCTION:

Last time we read about Jesus' baptism. His baptism was a sign that the rescue had begun. In today's story Jesus needs to find some helpers. The helpers' job was to follow Jesus, learn from him, and tell others about him.

### OPTIONAL LESSON STRENGTHENING:

Announce that you are going to play "Simon says". One person is designated Simon, the others are the players. Standing in front of the group, Simon tells players what they must do. However, the players must only obey commands that begin with the words "Simon Says." If Simon says, "Simon says touch your nose," then players must touch their nose. But, if Simon simply says, "jump," without first saying "Simon says," players must not jump. Those that do jump are out. Keep emphasising that they need to watch (and listen) carefully and follow the leader in every way possible. Say: "In our story today Jesus chooses 12 men to be his disciples or followers. Just like we were following what our leader was saying in this game, their job was to follow Jesus and learn from him.

## ACTIVITY

### WHAT YOU NEED:

Template, Colouring in crayons or pencils, Eraser

#### PRE-PRIMARY



#### GRADE 1 - 2

**Twelve Disciples Maze**

Help the disciples find the fish they caught.

#### GRADE 3 - 4

**Twelve Disciples Crossword**

**Word List:**  
boat follow  
disciple heal  
James learn  
left Simon  
nets twelve

**Across**  
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3. The disciples \_\_\_\_\_ everything and followed Jesus.  
4. Jesus gave the disciples authority to drive out evil spirits and \_\_\_\_\_ every disease.  
5. John's brother's name.  
10. From this disciple's boat Jesus taught and performed a miracle with fish.

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4. Jesus told the disciples to let down their \_\_\_\_\_ and suddenly were able to catch fish.  
7. We can be Jesus' disciples by trying to \_\_\_\_\_ all we can about Him.  
8. The name for follower of Jesus Christ.

#### GRADE 5

Unscramble the letters to find the words in our

**Twelve Disciples Anagram**

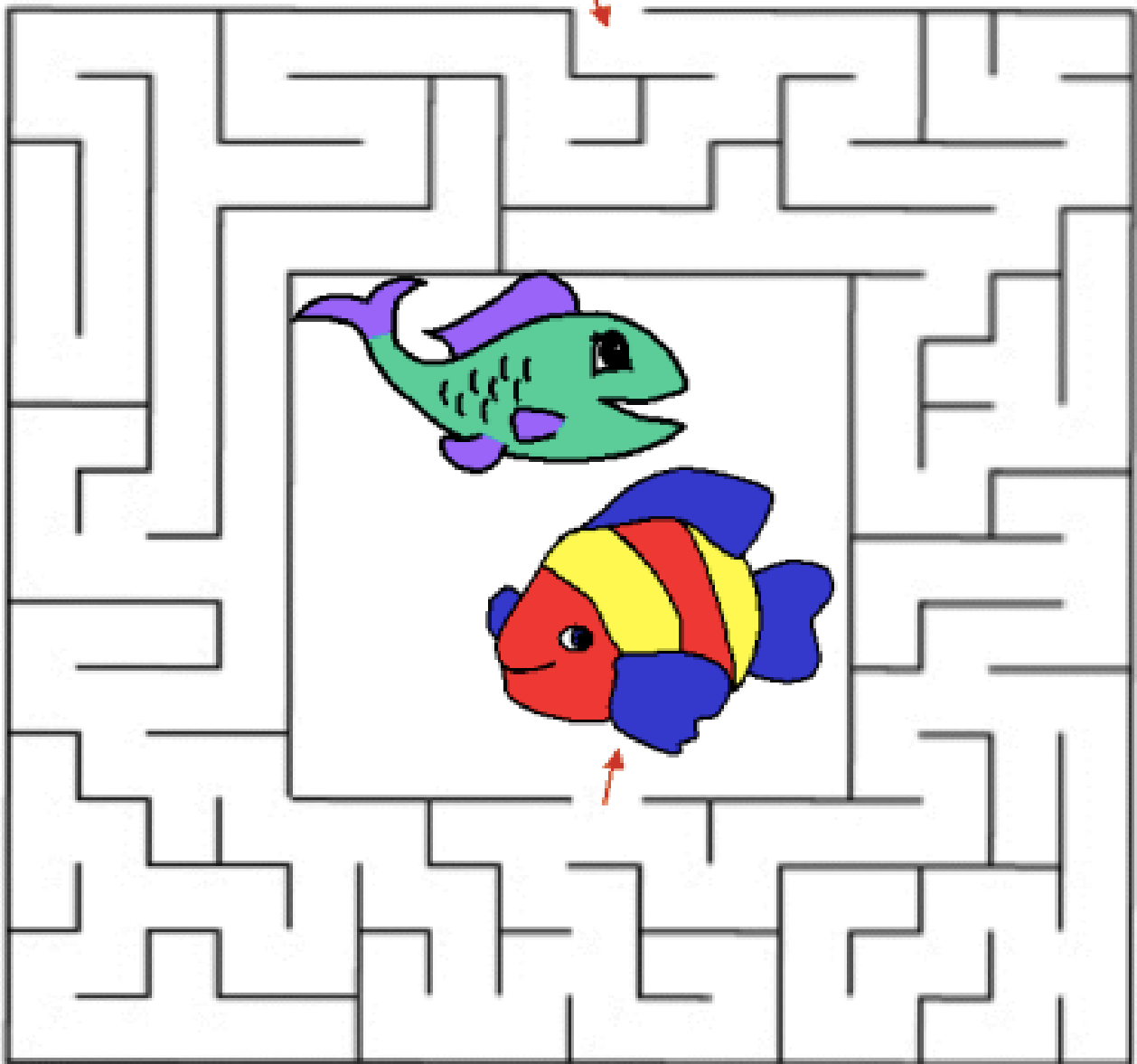
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Jesus said  
**FOLLOW ME.**  
Matthew 9:9

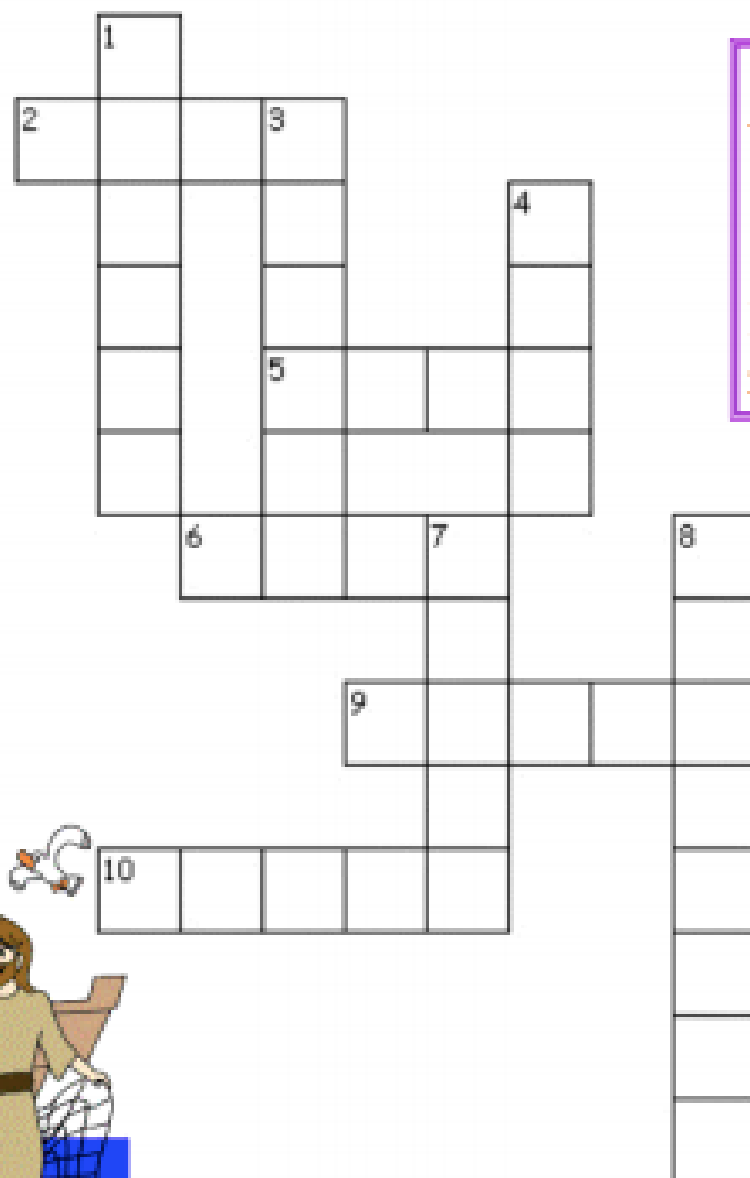
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