

January 24, 2021

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday of the Word of God

Children Celebrate!

Liturgy of the Word with Children

Today's Readings

Jonah 3:1–5, 10
Psalm 25:4–5abc, 6 &
7cd, 8–9
Mark 1:14–20



We Pray

Lord, may we hear your call to follow you.
May we help others follow you, too.
Amen.

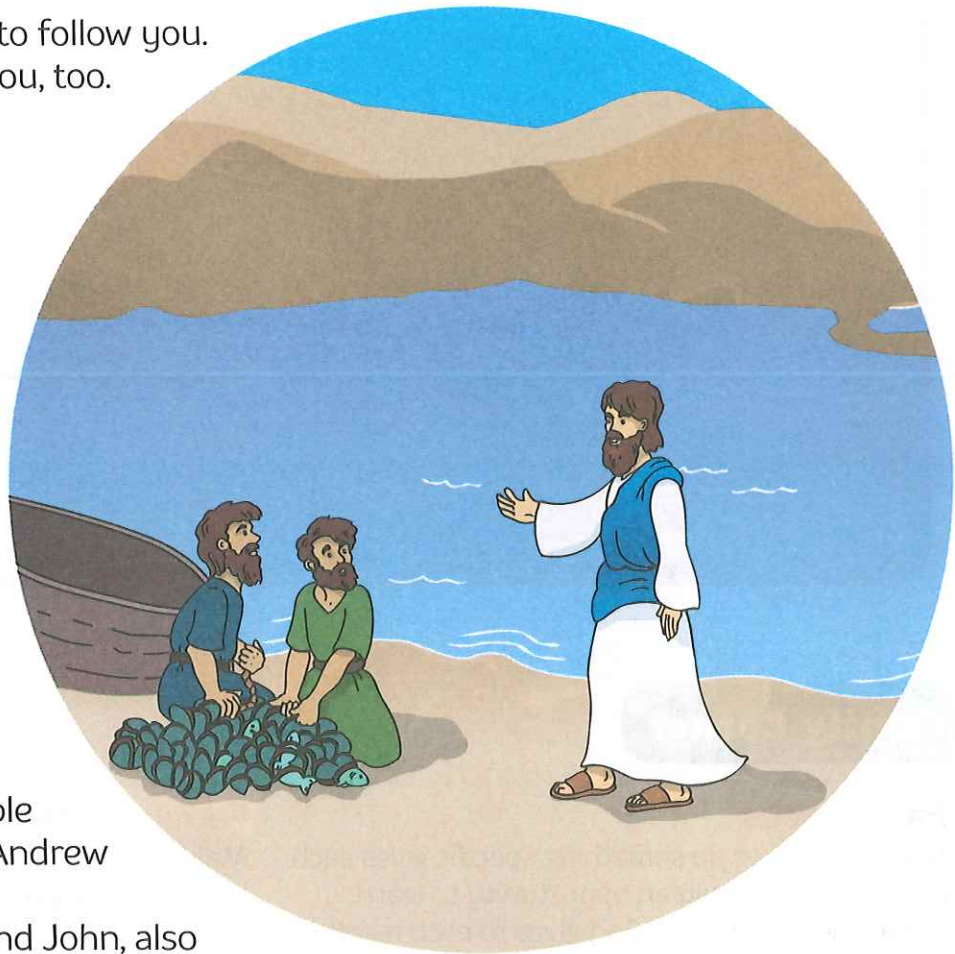


The Word of God This Week

We Are Called to Follow Jesus

Jesus decided to begin teaching people about God. As he walked along the shore of Lake Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew. They were fishermen. Jesus called to them, “Come with me! I will show you how to catch people instead of fish.” Simon and Andrew followed Jesus.

Soon, Jesus saw James and John, also brothers. They were mending their fishing nets in their boat. Jesus invited them to come, and they, too, immediately followed Jesus.

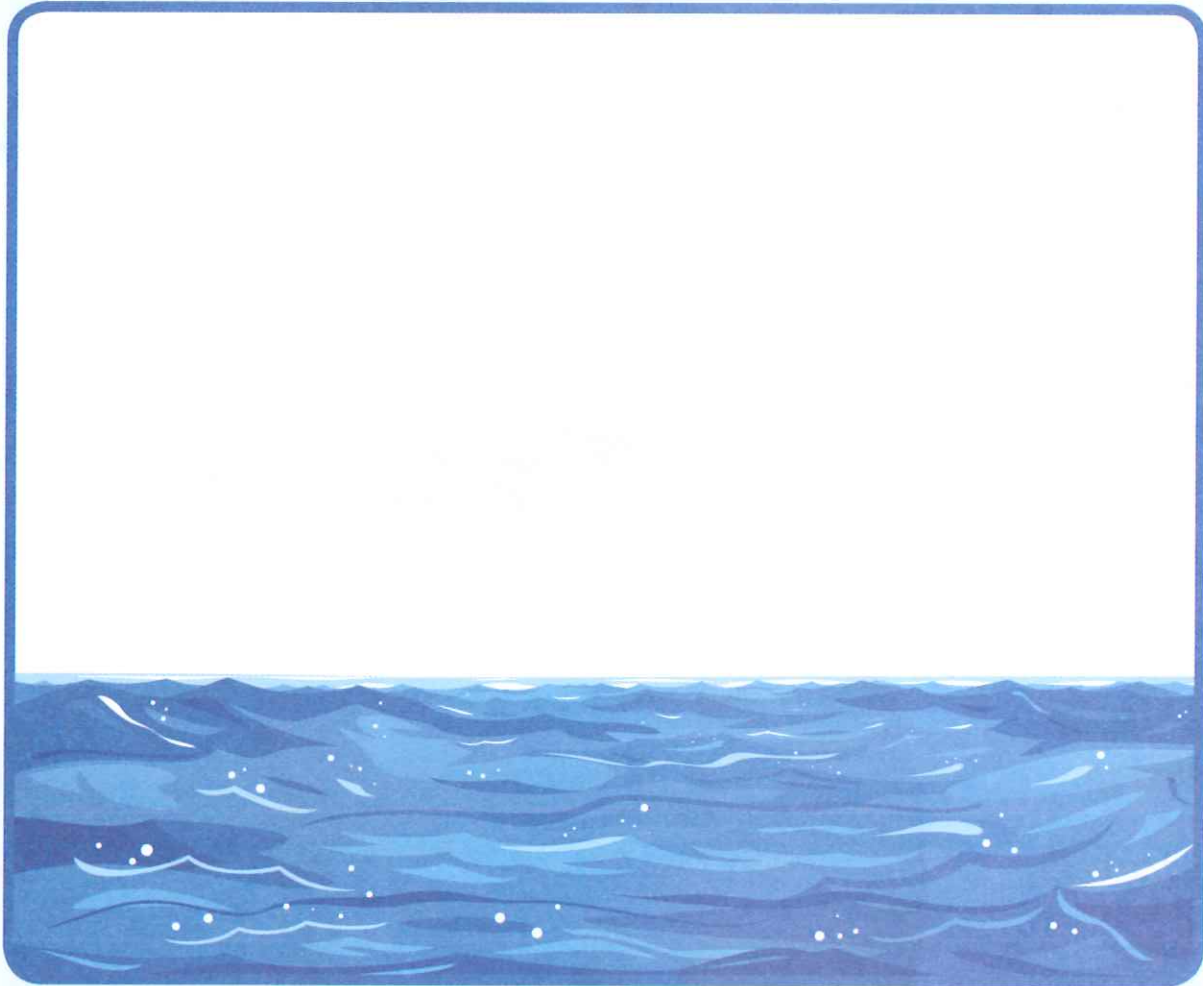


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Activity

Jesus wants you to follow him. Draw a boat with you and Jesus on board so that he can lead the way!

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Family Corner

Faith Focus

Being chosen to do something specific gives each person in the family an opportunity to learn about the unique gifts God gives to each member. We are all different, and we are called to celebrate our differences by recognizing the uniqueness of each person. This acceptance of each member makes family ties stronger and works to help us be the best that we can be for God's kingdom.

Family Activity

Make or use a drawing of a large gift box. In turn, have each family member put his or her name on the gift box along with a unique gift God has given to them. As the drawing is passed along, each person should also add a gift they recognize in each of the other family members. Circulate the drawing until everyone has affirmed a God-given gift in each family member.