With Us, for Us

Jesus promised the Holy Spirit to his disciples. He told them that the Holy Spirit would be their advocate. An advocate speaks on behalf of their friends and helps them. Who is your advocate? Draw this person in the space below.

God’s Messenger

You can spread God’s message too!
Finish this maze to help spread God’s message to the world.

• Today is the sixth Sunday in Easter.
• During Easter we hear stories about the very beginning of the Christian church.
• The first members of the church traveled all over to spread God’s message.

The Holy Spirit is a way for God to be with us always. Look around your worship space. What do you see that reminds you that God is with us? Draw or write about it here.
In today’s Gospel lesson Jesus promises his disciples will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. Look up Acts 2:1-4 to read about the day the Holy Spirit came.

Away From Harm’s Way

Peter wrote a letter to his friends. He asked them, “Who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good?” But sometimes bad things do happen!

Peter reminds us that God is with us, even in hard times. Look up the Bible passages to complete this crossword puzzle of people who God protected.

1. Daniel 6:1-28
2. John 8:1-11
3. Matthew 8:23-27
4. Exodus 5:1—6:3
5. Genesis 6–9
6. Ruth 2:1-17
7. John 12:1-8

Commandment Changes

Jesus made some changes to the traditional rules. Match the commandment with Jesus’ change. Look up the Bible passage if you get stuck.

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