

# Worship Blessings

Each week we receive a blessing in worship. The pastor gives us a blessing from God when worship is ending. This blessing is called the *benediction*.

Print or draw a blessing from God that begins with each letter of the word *benediction*. God's blessings are all around us!

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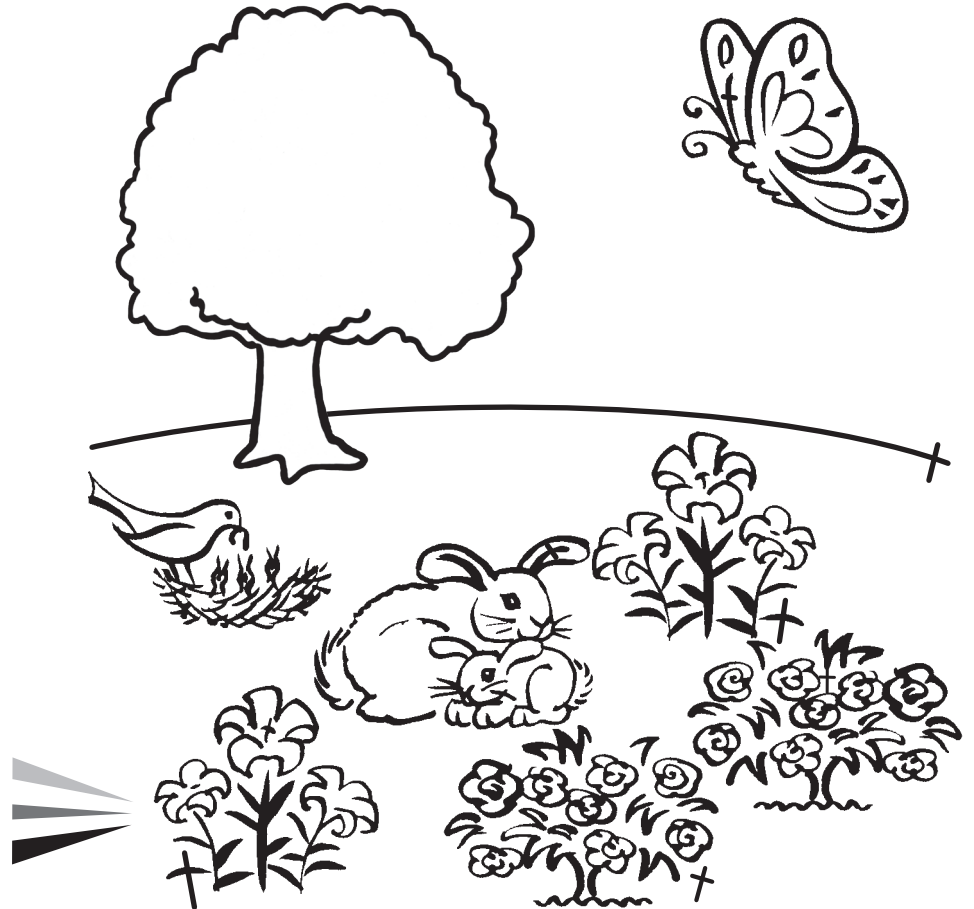
# READER

Easter 3

- Today is the **3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday** in Easter.
- There are **7 weeks** in the Easter season.
- Jesus came to **share God's love**.
- Jesus calls us to **love each other**.

## Seek and Find

Spring is a time of new life. Finish and color the spring scene below. How many crosses can you find hidden in the picture?





### Bible Tip!

Want to learn more about the author of the Gospel of Luke? At the beginning of each book of the Spark Bible, you'll find out about who wrote the text and lots of other information.

Many people who study the Bible think that Luke was probably a doctor. Use this technique to learn about some other books in the Bible!



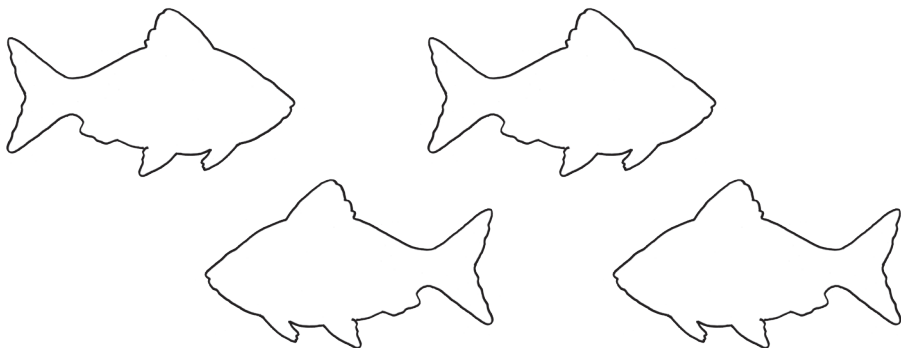
### Look It Up!

Jesus appeared to the disciples. He shared fish with them and blessed them. Jesus said to them, "You are witnesses of these things" (Luke 24:48).

Reread today's Gospel lesson in Luke 24:36-53.

Then, look up this same story in Mark 16:14-20. What does Jesus tell the disciples to do? Write some ideas below.

Jesus gives us the same powers as the disciples. What would you do with the Holy Spirit's power? Fill in the fish with some ideas.



### Memory Verse



Study the cryptogram below. Find the pattern to crack the code and complete the memory verse. A few letters have been done for you. (Hint: use these clues to help you find the pattern.)

C	F	M	O	Q	W	X
16	19	26	2	4	10	11

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### You Have a Mission

Jesus gave the disciples an important job. He told them to tell everyone all over the world about Jesus. You have that same job. Imagine that you are planning a trip to tell others about Jesus. What will you pack? Draw it in this suitcase.

