

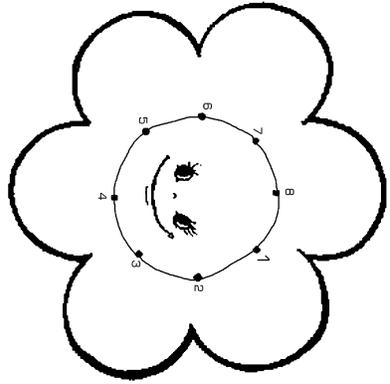
# JESUS TELLS HOW TO BE HAPPY

*(In Galilee)* — Jesus chose twelve followers to help him do God's work. He called them "disciples" or "apostles." After he had chosen them, he started to teach and to heal big crowds of people. Soon there were so many people coming to find out about what Jesus would say and do, it was hard for them to get close to him.

One time Jesus had a big crowd sit down while he taught them how to have lives that were really happy. He said, "You'll be happy when you keep God at the center of your life. You may think this will make you unhappy, because sometimes it will make your life hard. But don't be fooled. When God is in your life, you will be happier than anybody else." Jesus said that people who forget about God can never be happy with their lives.

Luke 6:17-26

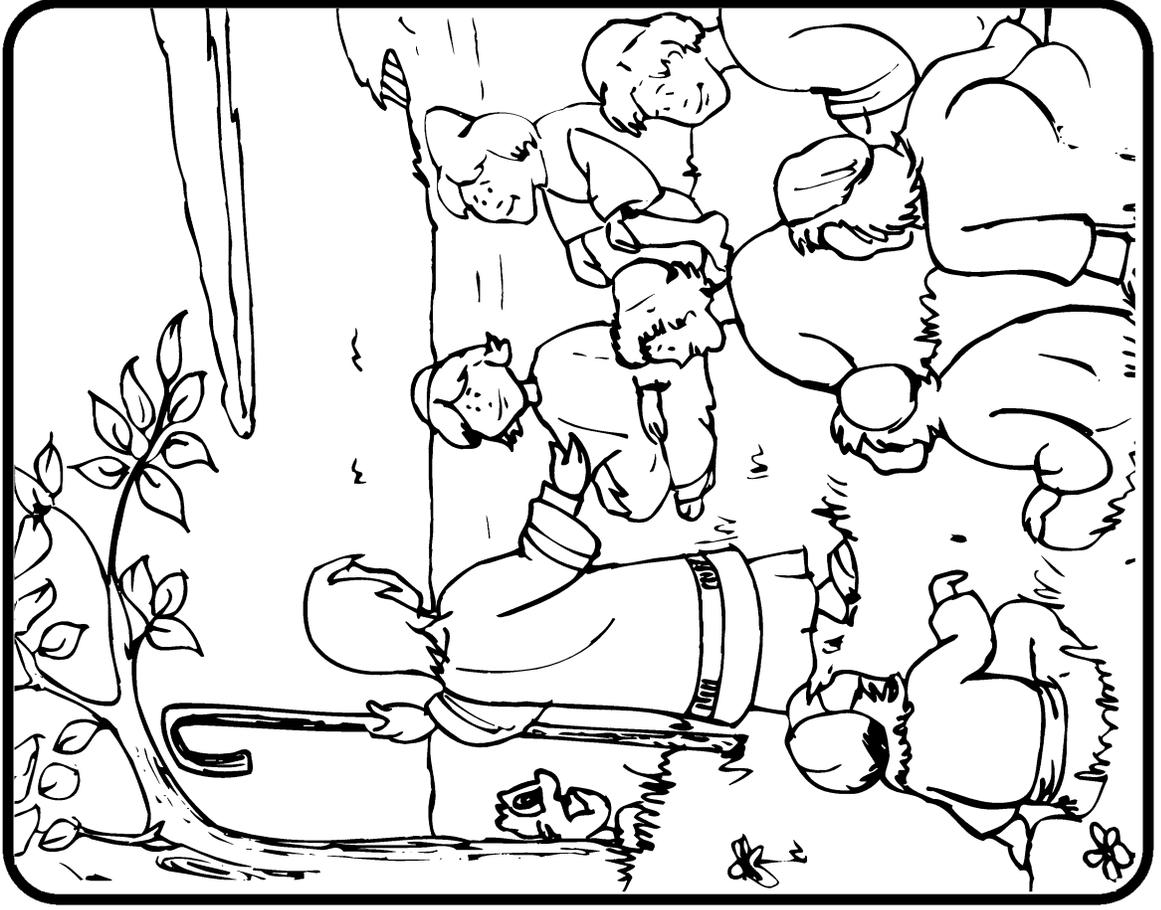
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# Gospel Grams

## SUNDAY ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN



**Draw a Picture.** In today's Gospel story Jesus tells us that we will be truly happy when we do what God wants. Draw a picture of you doing something that God wants you to do.

**Finish the Picture.** You will be happy when you keep God at the center of your life. When God is in your life, you will be happier than anybody else. Connect the dots to find out how your face will look when you have God in your life.

