

St Andrew's Psalter Lane Church Junior Church Activity Sheet

20th June 2021 Trinity 3



Here is something to pass the time at home as we can't meet in church at the moment – a story and some activities.

Jesus stills the storm

Jesus had been teaching the crowds all day beside Lake Galilee. When evening came, he said to his friends, 'Let us go across to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was. Other boats came with them. A great gale arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped. But Jesus was asleep on the cushion in the stern of the boat. So the disciples woke him up and said to him, 'Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?' He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, 'Peace! Be still!' Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm. Jesus said to them, 'Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?' And the disciples were filled with great awe and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?'



He rebuked the winds and said to the sea: Quiet! Be Still!

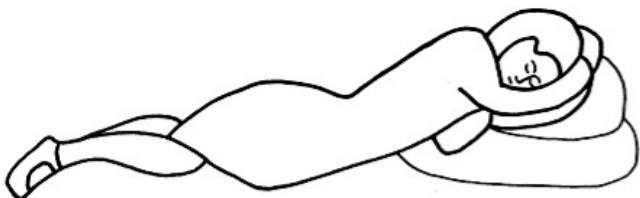
Have you ever been very scared?

The disciples were terrified, but being with Jesus kept them safe. This is a good story to remember when you are frightened of something.

Things to do:

Make a paper boat. You will need a sheet of A4 paper. Follow the instructions you will find here: <https://www.wikihow.com/Make-a-Paper-Boat>

You can cut out and colour this picture of Jesus and put him in the boat



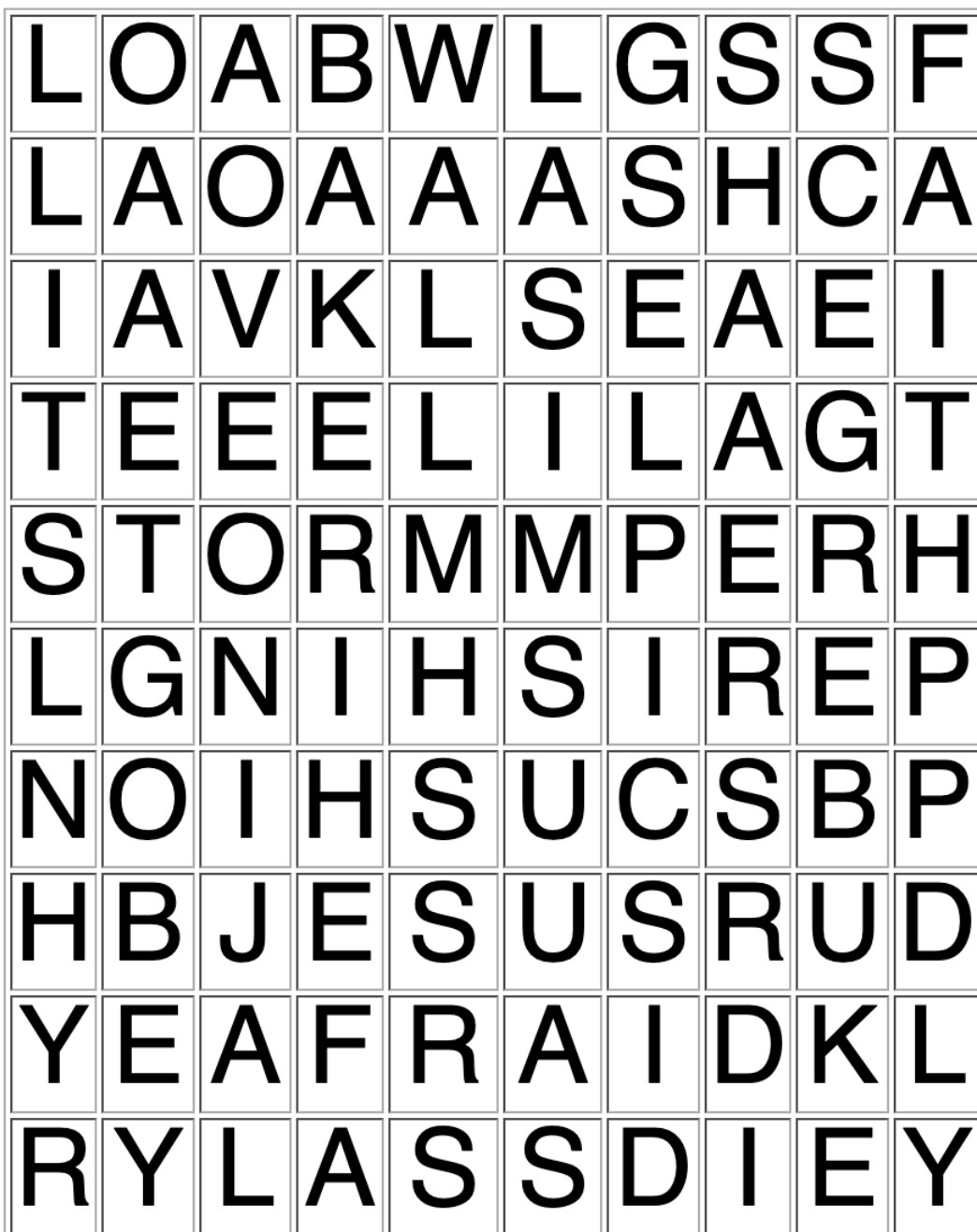
You could draw and cut out some disciples too. You could use the figures from 6th June for this or draw your own.

Paper boats will generally sail for quite a while on water before they become too soggy. You could sail your boat in the bath, or a paddling pool and make some waves to see if it capsizes. You can use a straw to blow it along.

There's a song to sing which we have sung in Sandcastles
With Jesus in the boat we can smile through the storm
As we go sailing home.

You can find it sung online here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RpkQ-Bb78sU>

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STORM
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