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If I could just drink*
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Gospel for kidz



A Religious Education Resource for Parishes

**Today we are going to be talking about
Jesus talked about his mission.
Let's, listen and hear the story Jesus tells his followers.**

A reading from the gospel according to John.....adapted for children

Jesus was walking with a large crowd.

A blind man named **Bartimaeus, was on the side of the road.**

He called out to Jesus to help him.

The people around him tried to shush him.

He again called to Jesus even louder.

Jesus heard him and stopped.

"Bring him to me", he said.

He asked Bartimaeus,

"What do you want from me".

'Master, let me see again.'

'Go', said Jesus, 'your faith has saved you.'

**Immediately, Bartimaeus could see again, and he followed Jesus along the
road.**

Let's sit quietly now and think of God's story.

Unpacking the Gospel

How do you think Bartimaeus knew Jesus was there?

He heard the crowd's excitement.

What did the crowd try to do to Bartimaeus?

They tried to quieten Bartimaeus down.

Did Jesus heal Bartimaeus?

Yes, because he could see.

What do you think helped Bartimaeus to call to Jesus?

He believed Jesus could heal him.

That's what Faith is believing in Jesus even when life is hard.

Let's Pray

Jesus thank you for showing us what Faith looks like.

When things don't go so well.

Teach us to call out to you just like Bartimaeus.

Amen

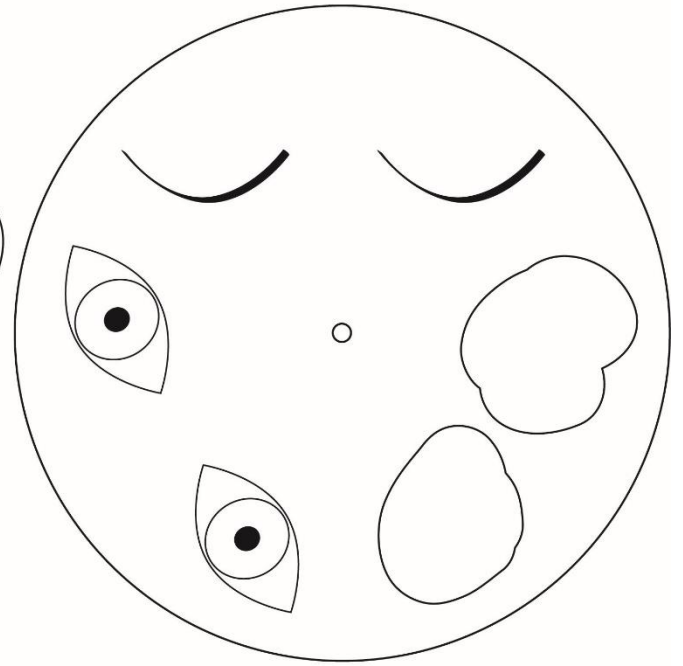
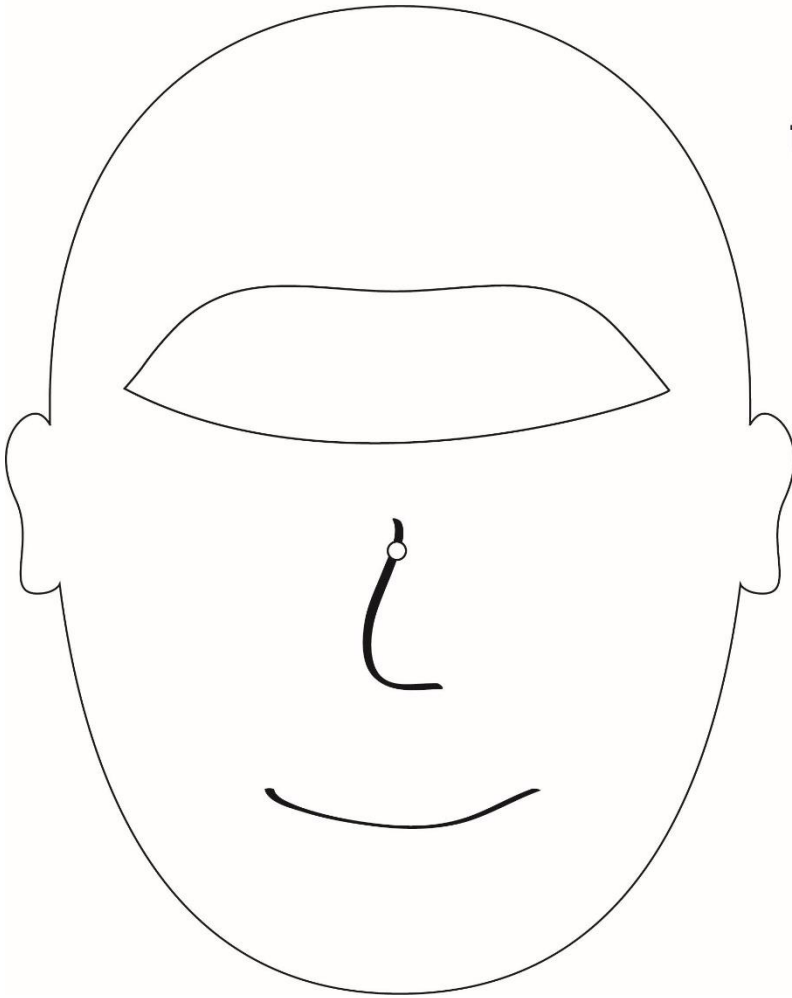


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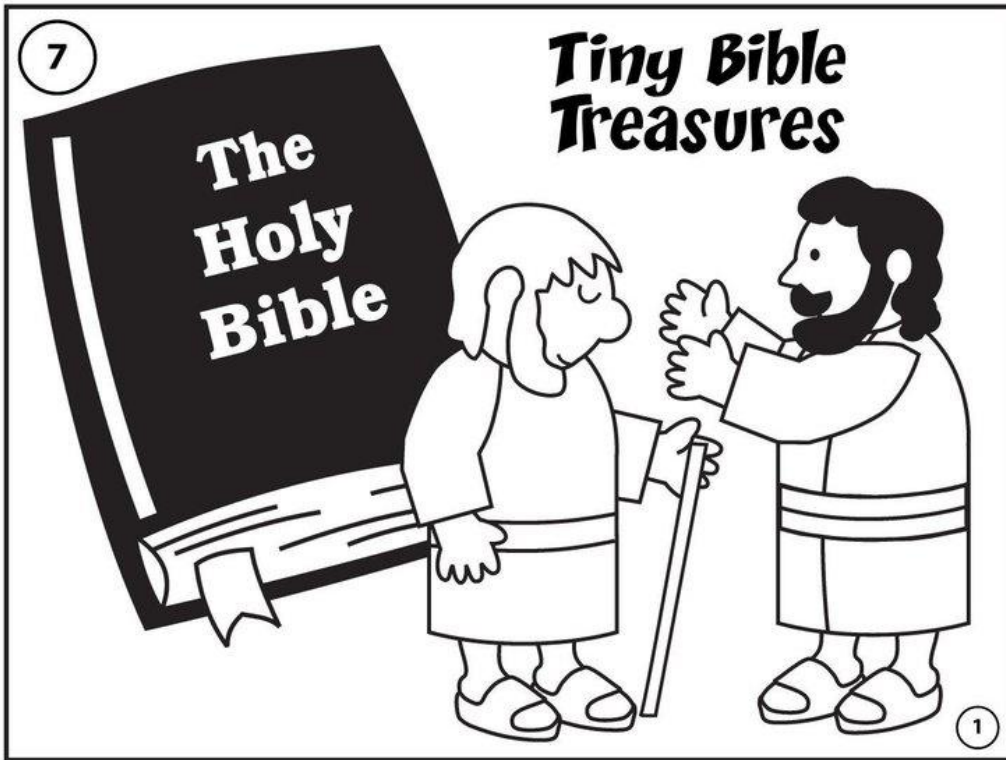


Jesus Healed a Blind Man

Jesus heals the blind man



HELP THE BLIND MAN FIND JESUS
To do this puzzle, you must shut your eyes and let someone else tell you where to draw the line, as you go through the maze!



My Coloring Book

