

Neland Church

Worship Guide for Children

Sunday, July 12, 2020

Come, now, and worship the Lord!



We'll start with our worship time with a song of praise and faith ...

"Step by Step."

Today we'll learn about how God CALLS us to walk with him, **step by step**. Trace your feet onto a piece of paper and cut them out. Think of 2 specific ways that you will walk with God this week

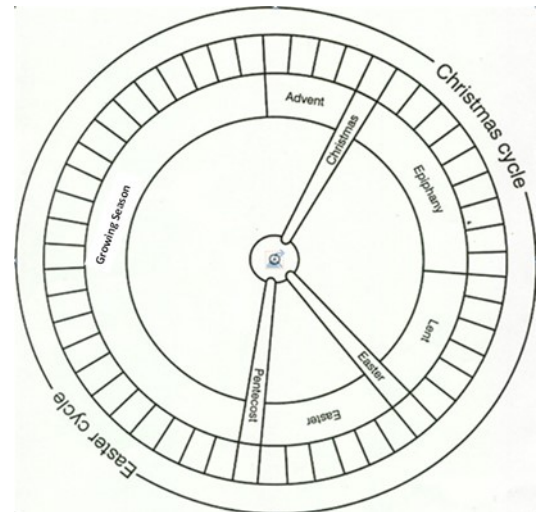
Write one on each "foot" ...

God is with me as I _____.

Then hang them in your room or in the kitchen to remind yourself that God is with you as you walk with him.



The Church Year Calendar



Today is the sixth Sunday after Pentecost. Mark it with an X.



We'll end our worship this morning with a song from our friends in Christ from South Africa. Draw a line from Michigan to South Africa.

In the recording, Mrs. Ivory will help us learn some **ZULU words** for "we will follow Jesus." She will also play the **djembe**, a drum that comes from the peoples of West Africa. You may want to drum on a table or pot ... or a drum, if you have one!



We profess our faith using the words of the Apostles' Creed:

I believe in God the _____ Almighty, _____ of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only _____, our _____;

who was conceived by the _____, and born of the virgin _____.

He suffered under Pontius Pilate; was _____, died, and was buried;

he descended into _____;

The third day he _____ again from the dead;

he ascended into _____,

and is seated at the right hand of _____ the Father almighty;

from there he shall come to judge the _____ and the _____.

I believe in the Holy _____.

the holy catholic _____, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of _____;

the resurrection of the _____; and the life _____. Amen!

Our Scripture today is from Matthew 9.

Jesus is **CALLING** Matthew to be his disciple—
and he calls **US** to be his disciples too!



- Have you ever received an important phone call?
Who called? How did it make you feel?

- How do you think Matthew felt when
JESUS called him?

- What does Jesus call **US** to do?
