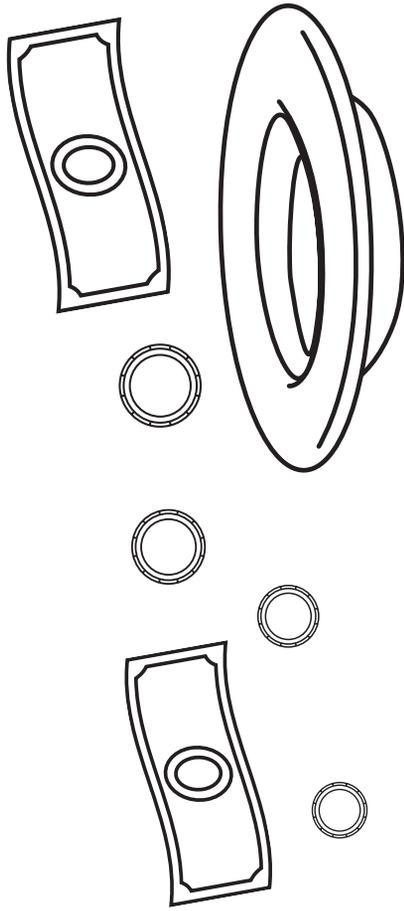
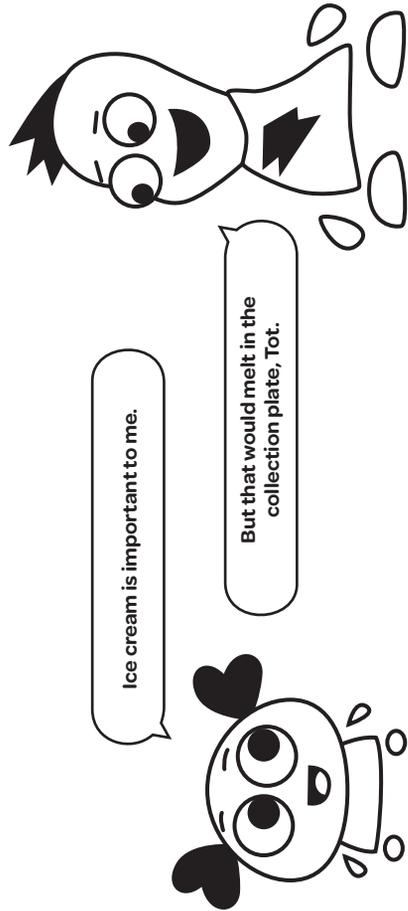


GIVING



Money is important and valuable to people. That's why they give it to their church. What is important to you? Draw it here.



Ice cream is important to me.

But that would melt in the collection plate, Tot.

Today our church family prays for ...

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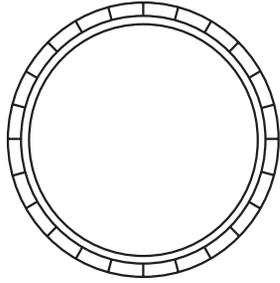
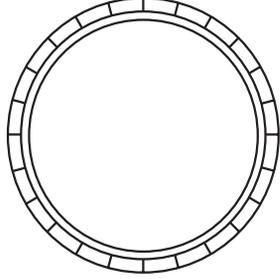
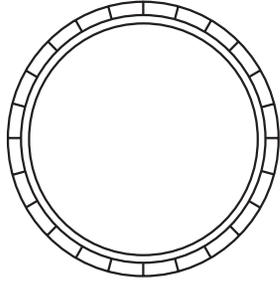
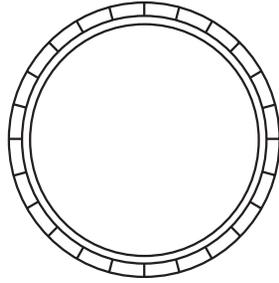
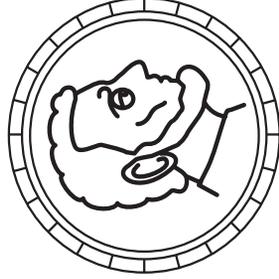


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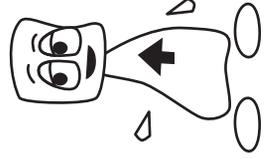


THE GROWING SEASON

Growing in faith means learning how to give!

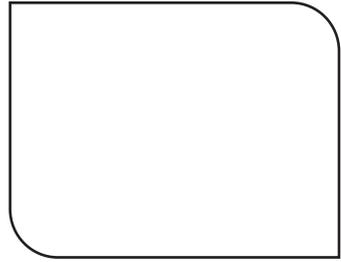


Coins often have pictures of important people on them. Can you draw the faces in the coins?



For lots of people, one way to give to their church is to give money.

Try a coin rubbing here. Place a coin under the paper. Lightly rub a pencil over it.

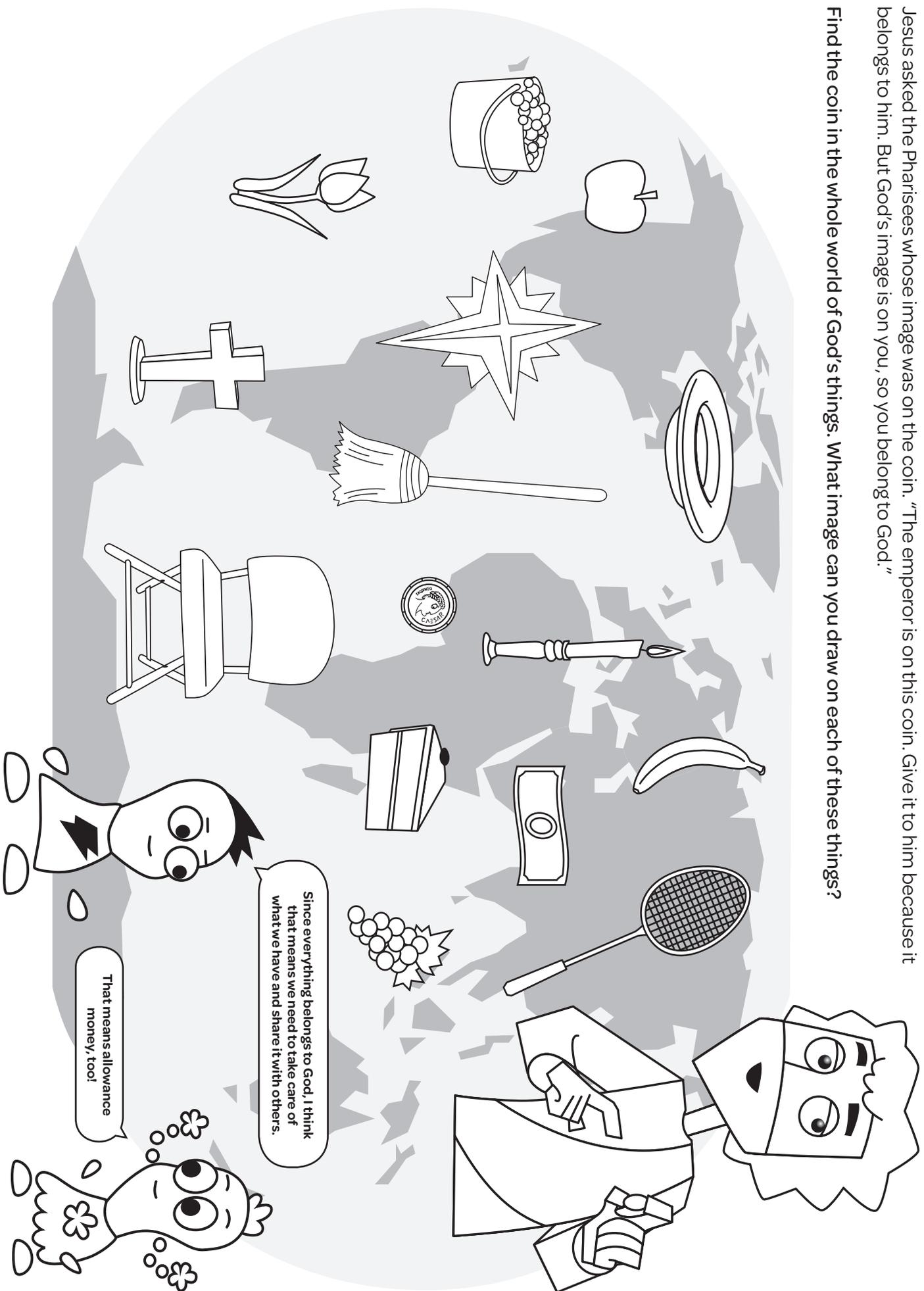


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Sundays left in the Season after Pentecost

Jesus asked the Pharisees whose image was on the coin. "The emperor is on this coin. Give it to him because it belongs to him. But God's image is on you, so you belong to God."

Find the coin in the whole world of God's things. What image can you draw on each of these things?



Since everything belongs to God, I think that means we need to take care of what we have and share it with others.

That means allowance money, too!

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I think I'm gonna miss Pentecost when it's over!



My congregation: _____ Today's date: _____

In 2015, I pledged to give these gifts to my congregation:

My Pledge

My Name: _____

During the Season after Pentecost, October is often a month when a congregation talks about stewardship. People in your congregation may be asked to make a pledge for 2018. A pledge is a promise of how much you will give to God: money, time, talents. What can you pledge? Think and pray about what you can promise to give.



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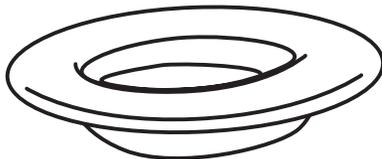
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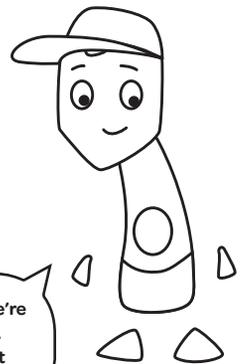
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GIVING TO GOD

Watch for the offering in worship.
Why do you think people give money to the church?
Write a list of what you would like to give to your church.



How many offering plates does your church use in worship?

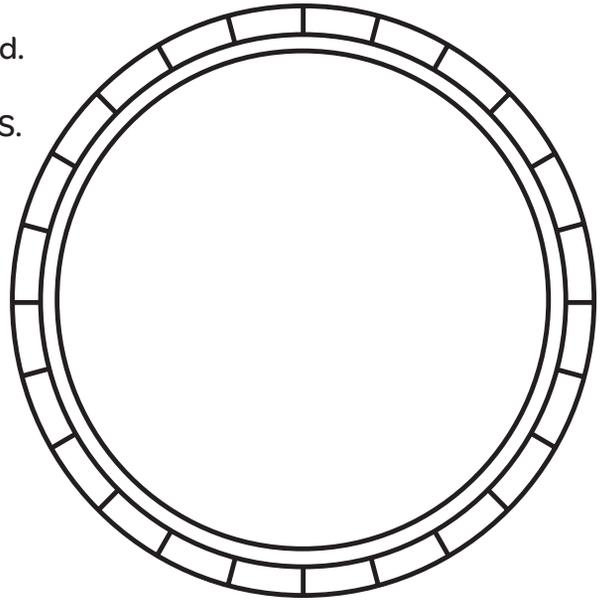


When we give to the church, we're not paying dues or bills or fees. We're giving back some of what God has given us!

Today our church family prays for...

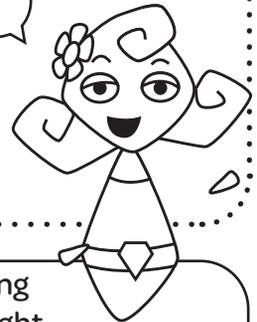
The Pharisees tried to trick Jesus, but Jesus outsmarted them! He used the image on a Roman coin to make his point. Read the description of each Roman coin. Then draw it in the circle.

- This coin shows a profile of a man facing right.
- His hair is short and he has a leaf crown on his head.
- Words around the edge say TIBERIVS CAESAR DIVI AVGVSTI FILIVS AVGVSTVS.
- Those words in Latin mean "Caesar Augustus Tiberius, Son of the Divine Augustus."

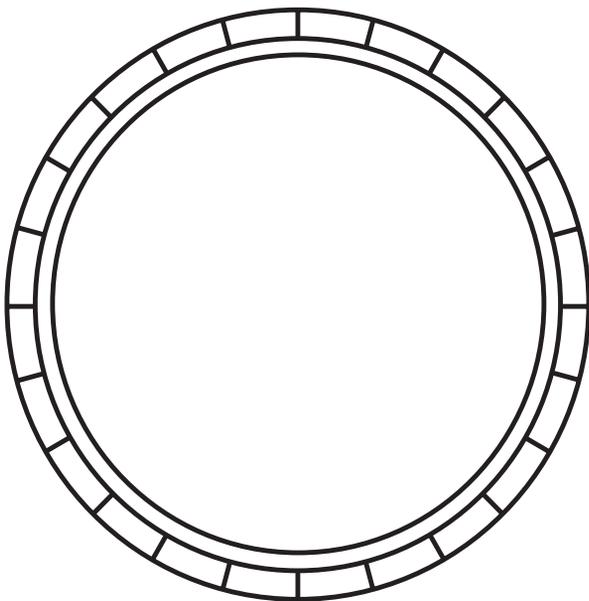


Do a rubbing of a modern coin here!

In ancient Rome, money had the face of living leaders on them.



- This coin shows a woman in a long robe sitting on a throne facing right.
- Words around the edge say MAXIM PONTIF.
- Those words in Latin mean "Greatest Leader."



See if your drawings match the real thing! Ask a grown-up to search online for images of a Tiberius Tribute Penny.