

The Word of God we receive in the Divine Service goes with us, out into the world and into our everyday callings as parents and children. **“Kids in the Divine Service”** is written for parents and children to read and talk about together.

Grace Notes

November 12-13, 2022

KIDS IN THE DIVINE SERVICE



What is a “creed”?

The Explanation of the Small Catechism says a creed “is a statement of what we believe, teach and confess.” The word “creed” comes from the Latin word “credo” which means “I believe.” Many organizations have and use creeds. The Church uses three creeds: the Apostles’ Creed, the Nicene Creed and the Athanasian Creed. The creeds of the Church are different from all other creeds because they proclaim a living and wonderful faith that comes from God!

Why do we speak the creed in the Divine Service?

What if I told you that when you speak the creed, you are telling the whole world what you believe? It’s true! When you speak the creed in the Divine Service you are responding in faith to what God has done for you through Jesus, and you are confessing the very Gospel message that saves all who believe. What a great thing to do every Sunday!

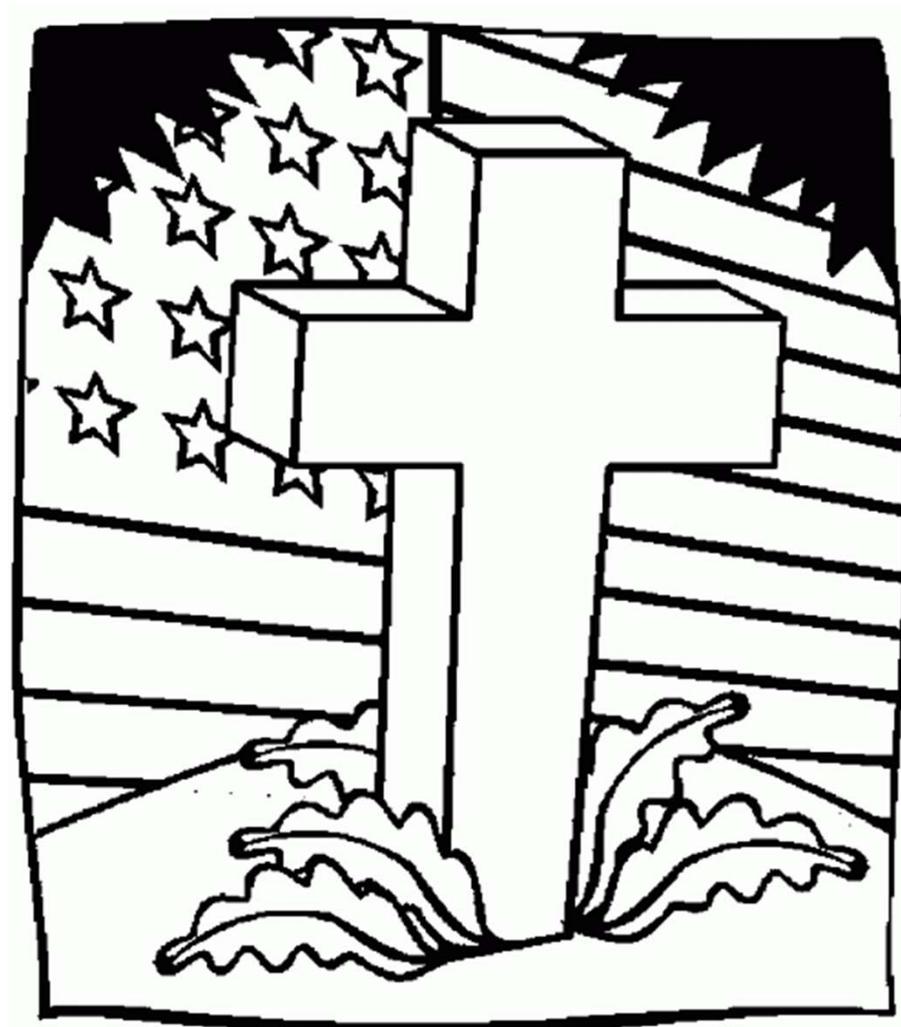
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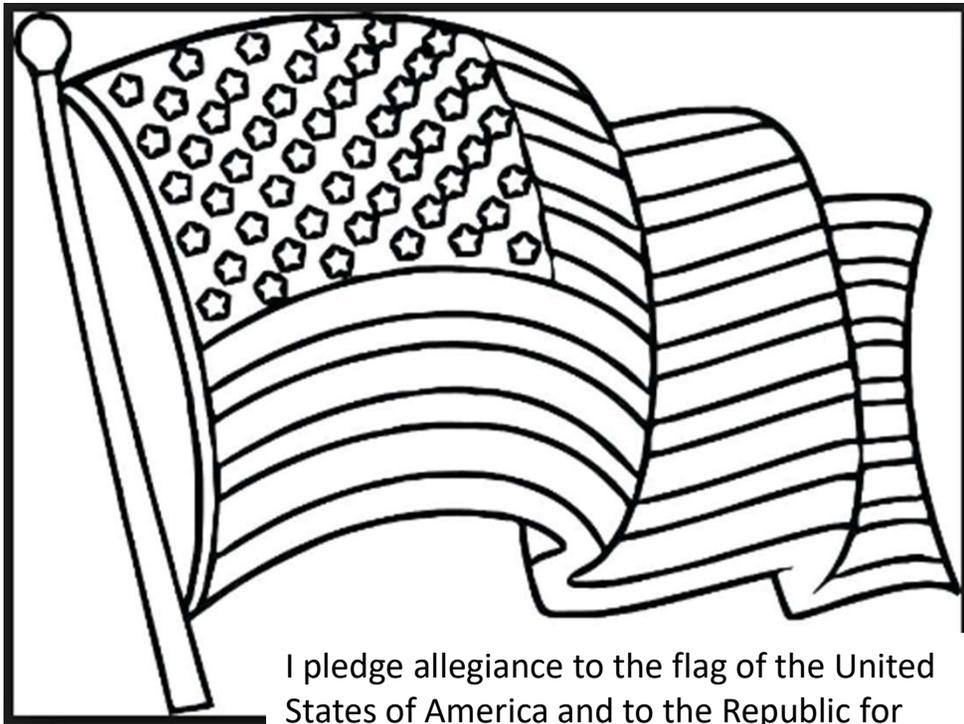
Before or after the Divine Service, show your children where they can find the creeds of the Church in the hymnal. Utilize these wonderful gifts from God in your family devotions at home. Speaking the Apostles’ Creed together in the morning is a great way to start the day.



With thanks to the mighty warriors of the USA who give of themselves as did Gideon, in service of God and country.

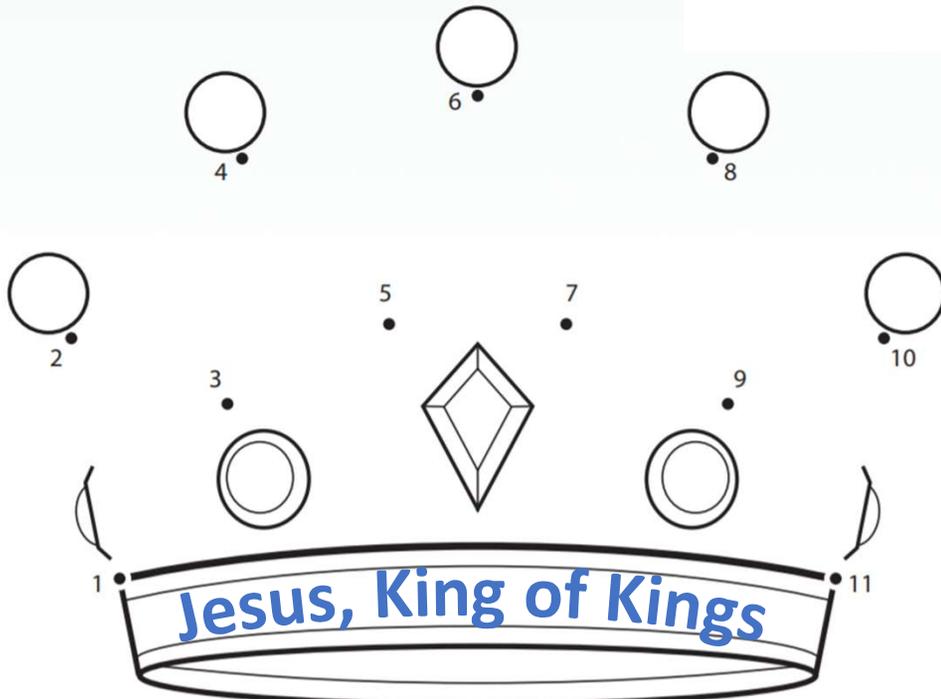
When the angel of the Lord appeared to Gideon, he said, “The Lord is with you, mighty warrior.” Judges 6:12





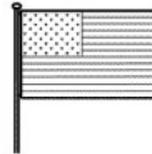
I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Connect the dots to complete the picture. Hint: The picture reminds us of Jesus, the King of kings.

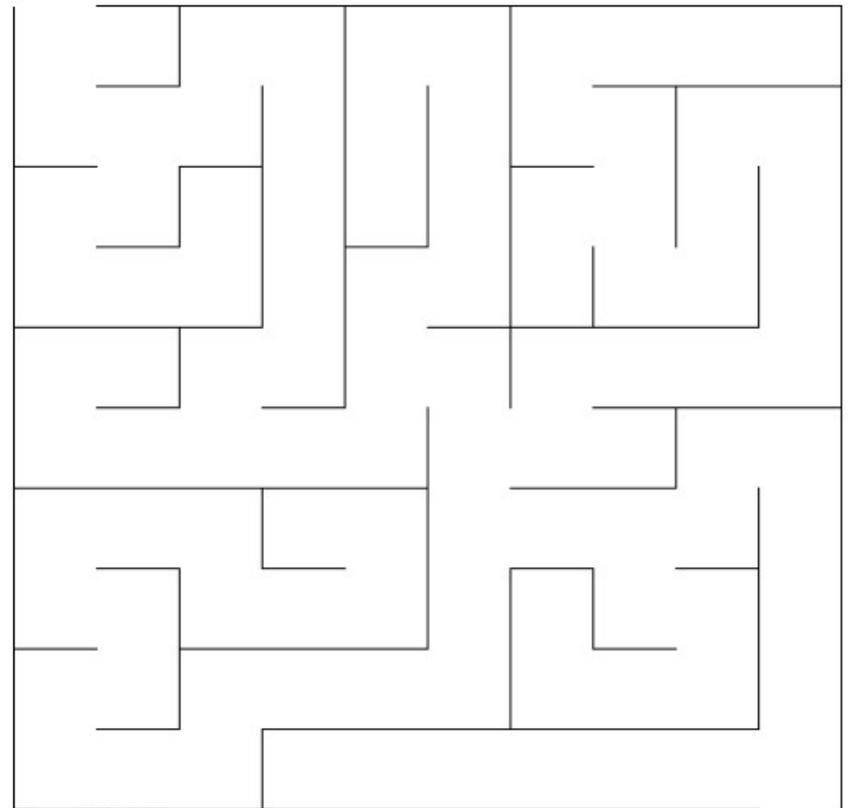


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Dear God, Thank you for The Word, our strength and salvation. You, O God, are the King of Kings, our protection for evermore. Guide us to teach others about your grace and mercy. In Jesus' name, Amen.

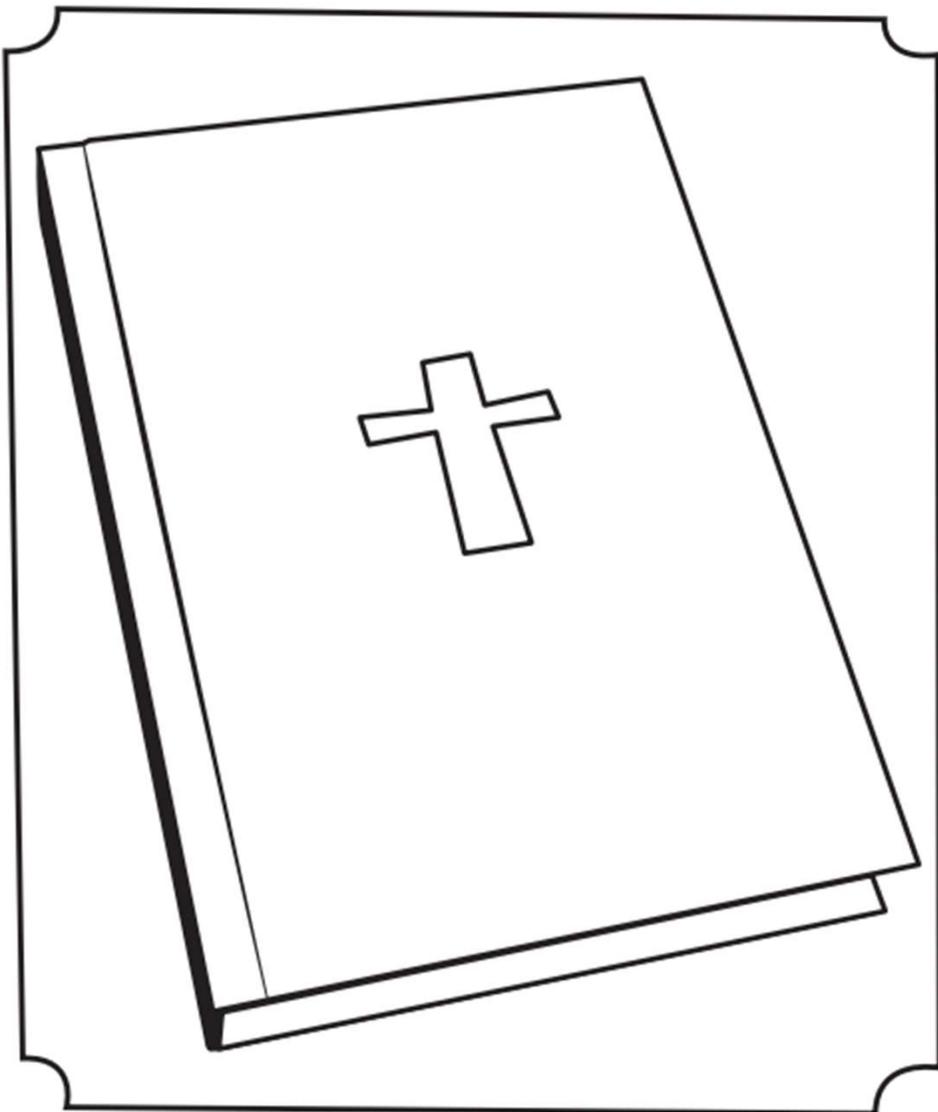


Trace the path through the maze to take the Flag to the Veterans Day Parade.



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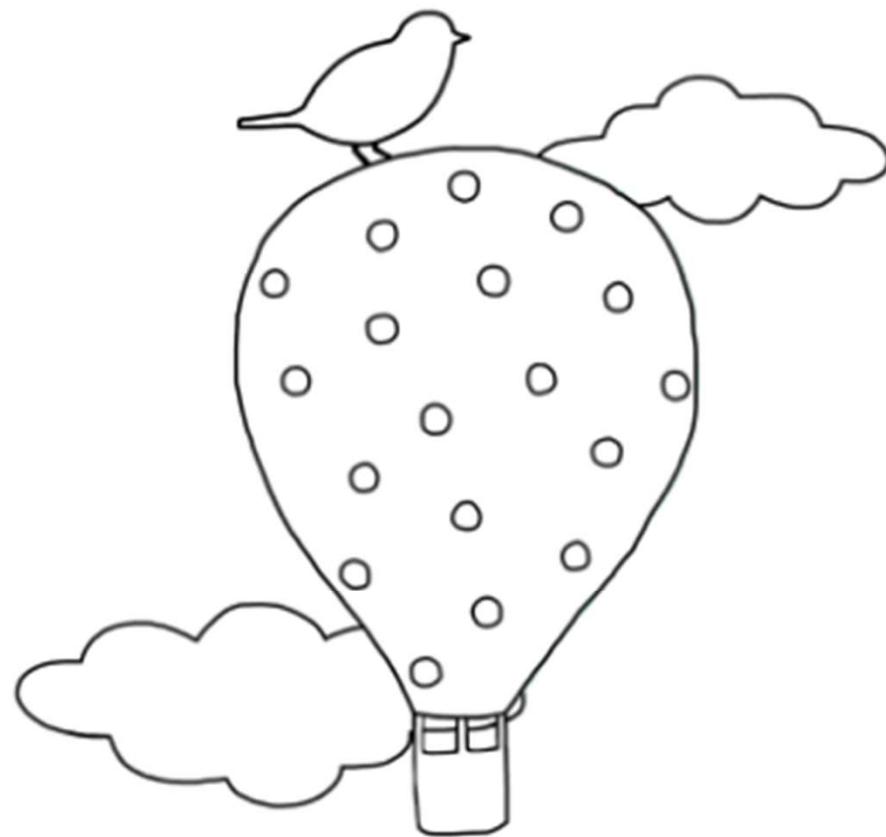


"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God"

- **John 1:1**

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We know God's Word to be the truth. Knowing God's Word keeps our connection with God strong! Knowing God's Word means we cannot be fooled by those who do not love and believe in God.



God will be with you
wherever you go.

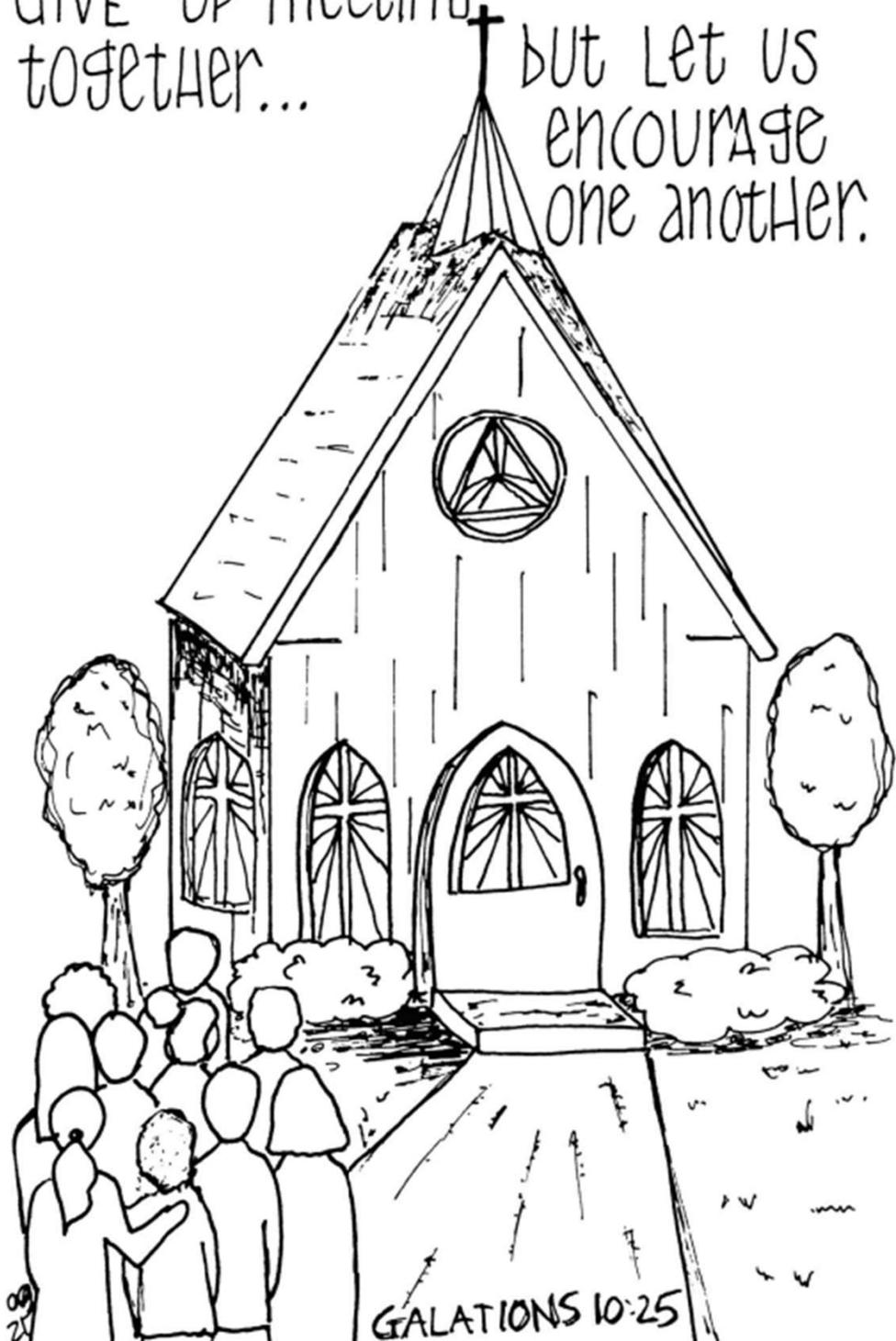
Joshua 1:9

The Lord answered [Gideon], "I will be with you, and you will strike down the Midianites together." Judges 6:16

Veterans Day Word Search

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 GIVE UP MEETING
 TOGETHER... BUT LET US
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3 And now, brothers, pray for us. Pray that the Lord's teaching will continue to spread quickly. And pray that people will give honor to that teaching, just as happened with you. ²And pray that we will be protected from bad and evil people. (Not all people believe in the Lord.)

³But the Lord is faithful. He will give you strength and protect you from the Evil One. ⁴The Lord makes us feel sure that you are doing the things we told you. And we know that you will continue to do those things. ⁵We pray that the Lord will lead your hearts into God's love and Christ's patience.

2 Thessalonians 3:1-6 (ICB)

GALATIANS 10:25