



**January 20, 2019**

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Use any of the vowels on the right to finish spelling the names of some spiritual gifts God gives.

Notice how they are inside a numeral 1.

This reminds us that even though the gifts vary, they all come from a single source—God.

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List your gifts on these lines.



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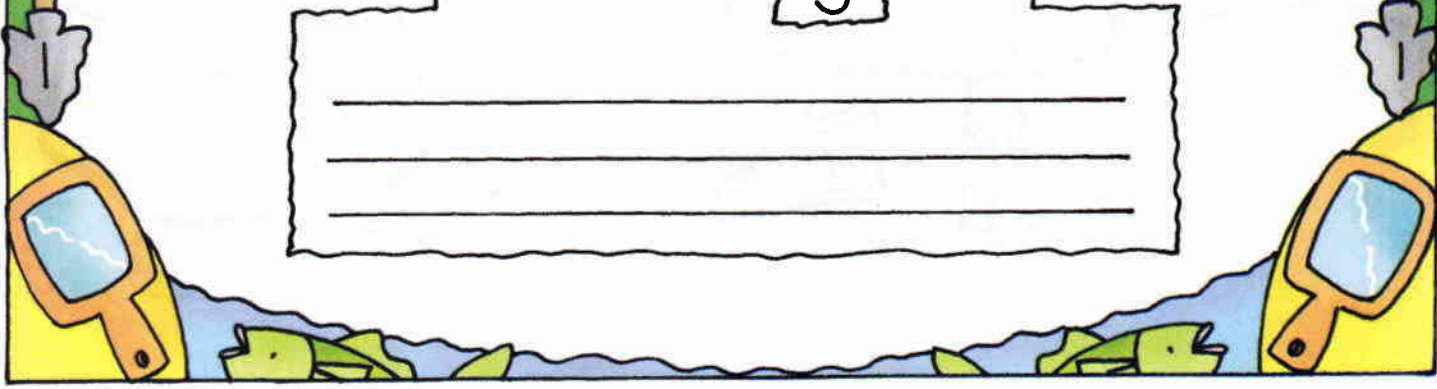
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When the wine ran short, the mother of  
Jesus said to him, "They have no wine."

John 2 : 3





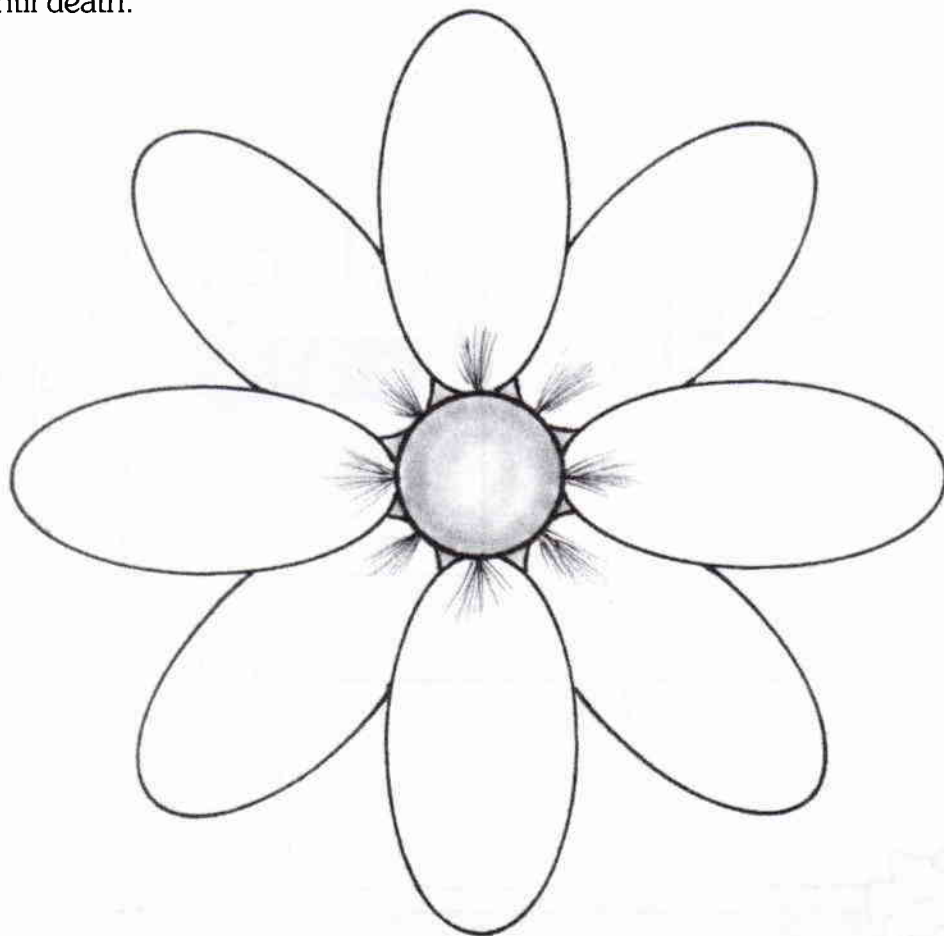
## FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

One of the most important things we can do to help bring about God's kingdom is pray. This week the Church invites us to join in prayer for Christian unity and for the protection of unborn children.

For over a hundred years the "Week of Prayer for Christian Unity" has invited Christians around the world—Catholics, Protestants, all people who believe in Jesus Christ—to take part in an octave of prayer. An octave celebrates a feast or an important event for eight days. This year's Week of Prayer for Christian Unity began on Friday, January 18, and ends on Friday January 25. Each day of the octave should be observed with prayer. You can say the prayer posted on the U.S. bishops' website ([usccb.org](http://usccb.org)) or say one of your own. Jesus himself prayed "that all may be one" when he shared the Last Supper with his friends (John 17:21). We continue this prayer of Jesus as we work toward becoming one family in Christ.

In the middle of this Week of Christian Unity, on January 22, we are called upon to pray that people will recognize the holiness of all life. We especially focus on praying for the unborn and we remember to keep sacred all stages of life until death.

This flower has eight petals, one for each day of the octave of Christian Unity. Number the petals with the dates 18 through 25. On each petal write the name of someone you can pray for during this special time. You might pray for a Christian friend of another tradition, someone who is a member of your parish, or the leaders of different Christian churches that they will work for unity. You might pray for someone who is expecting a baby, someone with a serious illness, or someone who might be dying. Ask Jesus to bring us together as one. Ask Jesus to teach us that each person's life is precious.



At a wedding at Cana, Jesus turned water into wine (John 2:1-11).

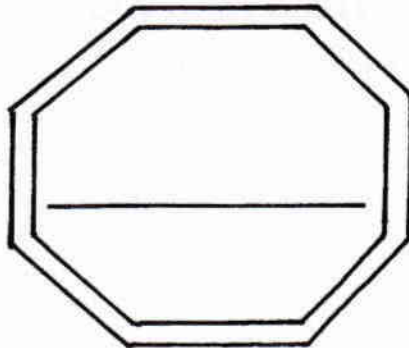
This "sign" told the disciples to believe in Jesus.

Choose a word from the left and write it on the correct traffic sign.

Then read them along with the words beside them.

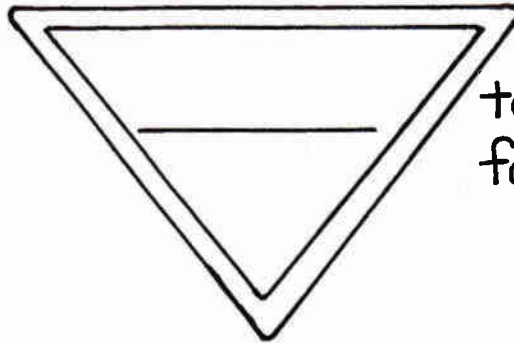
"Sign" your name at the bottom if you'd like!

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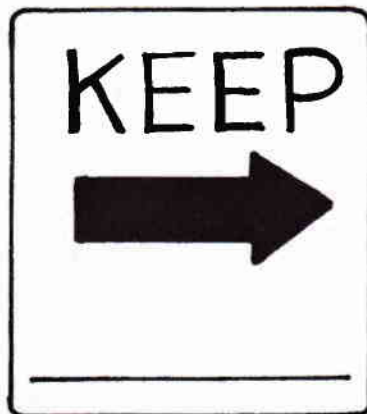
and receive Jesus' free gift of love!

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thoughts and habits pleasing to Jesus!

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