



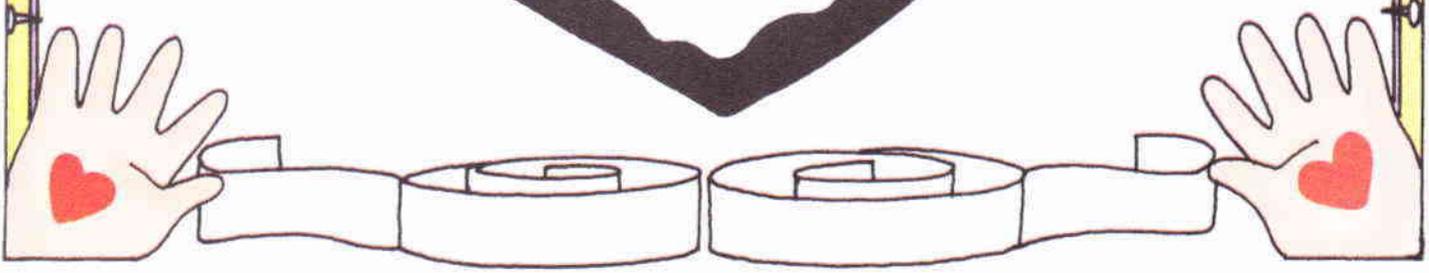
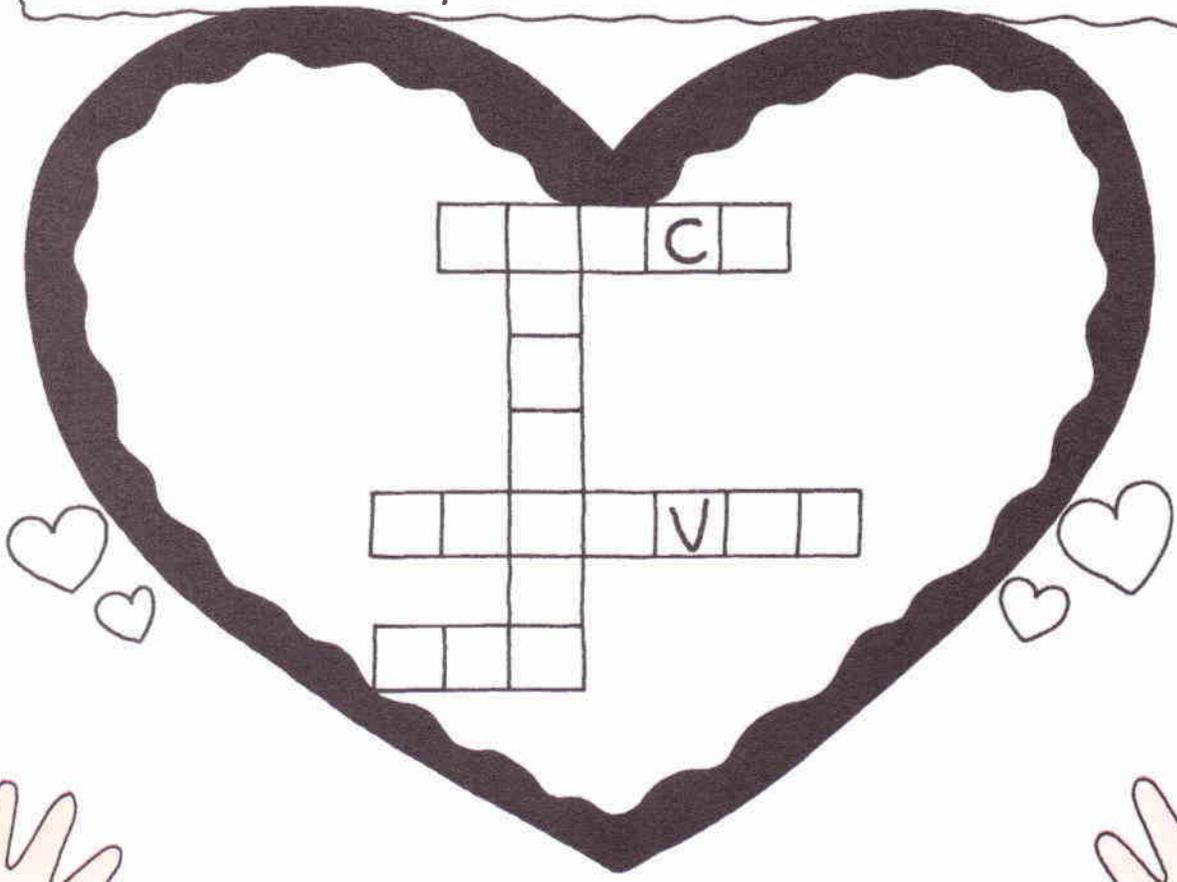
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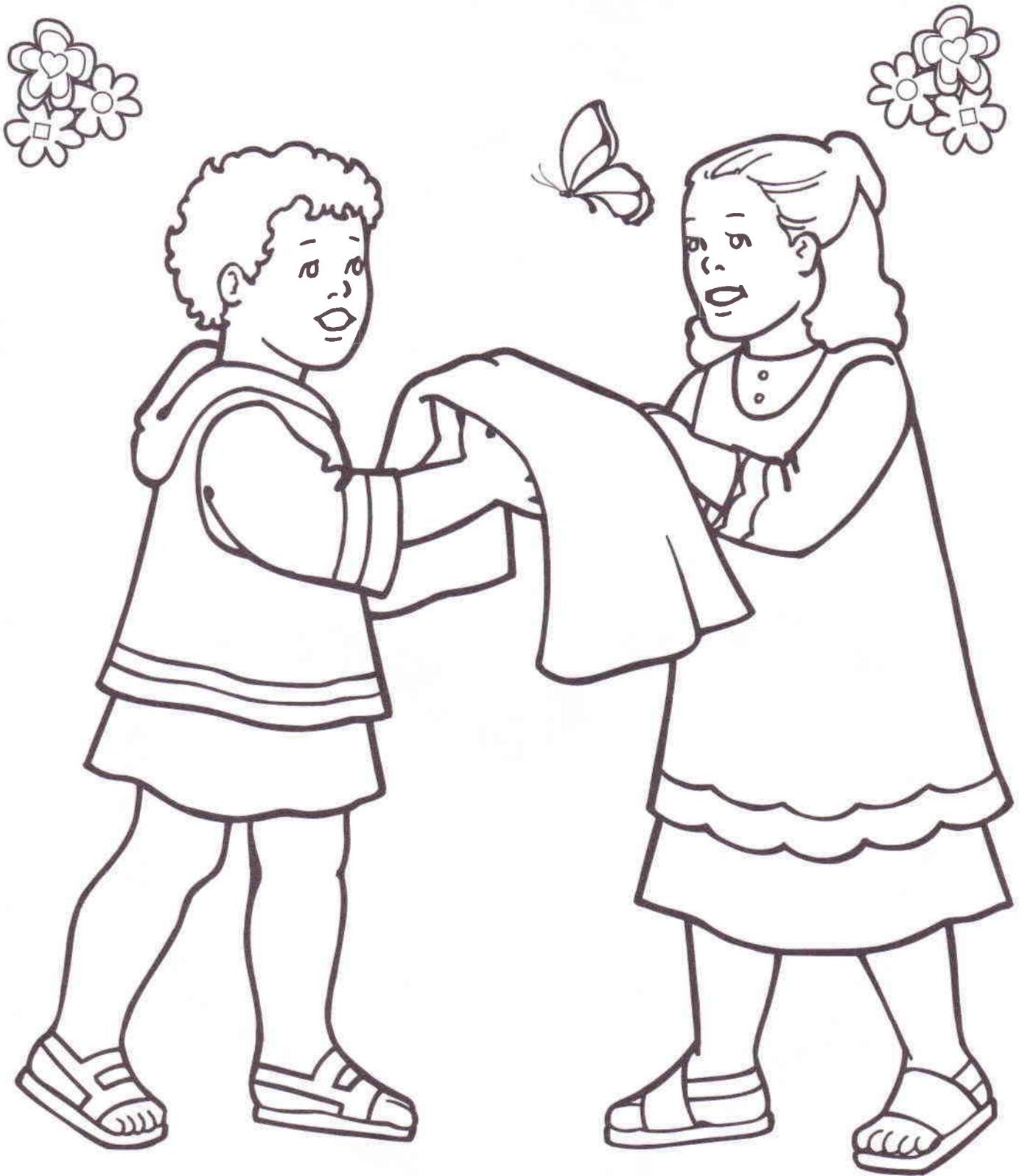
God never gives up on us! God loves us no matter what!
Below is a phrase from Psalm 118 that helps us remember
that we serve a merciful God.

Fit each word into the crossword.

A few letters have been written in to help you!

His mercy endures forever





There was no needy person among them.
Acts 4 : 34



MANY OTHER SIGNS

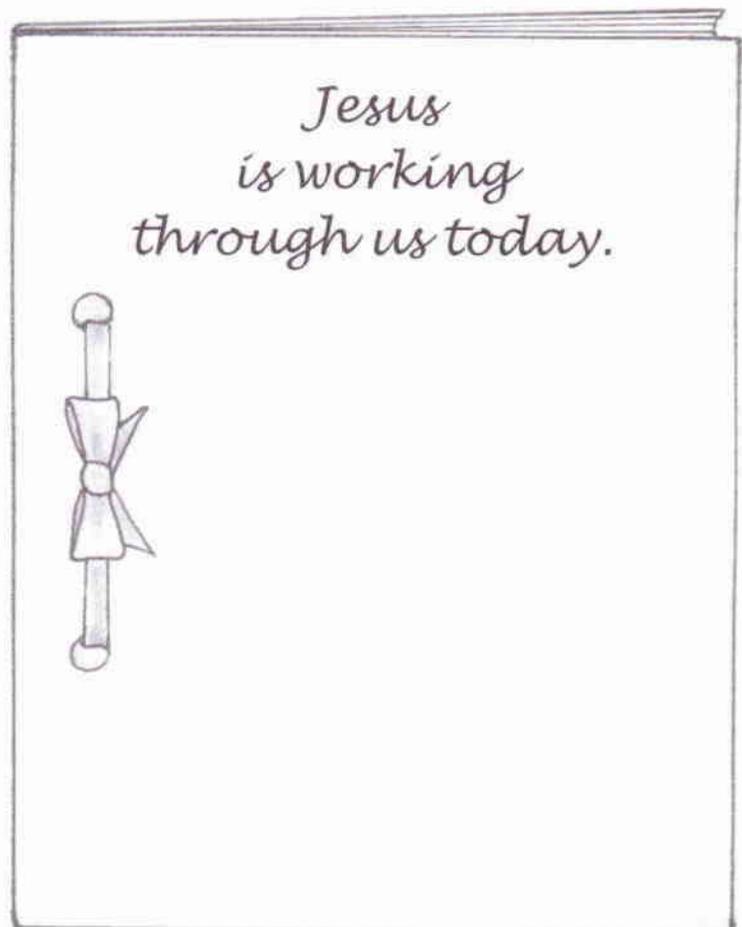
At the end of today's Gospel John writes,
"Jesus did many other signs. . . that are not written in this book"
(John 20:30).

Jesus did do many signs before and after his death when he spent time with his friends, the disciples. A "sign" in the Bible means someone of importance is present. Can you think of some signs? For example, miracles are signs.

Jesus continues to work many signs today. One important sign is the act of mercy. Jesus is the model of forgiveness. On the cross Jesus forgave those who crucified him. We know that God is merciful and forgives our sins if we are truly sorry.

Can you think of other signs that show that Jesus is still working in our world today? Doctors and nurses help heal people. Hungry people are fed by others who donate food. People who are different or shunned by some are welcomed by those who reach out to them in love. Kind people comfort others who are sad. These are all signs that the work of Jesus continues with us today.

Find pictures of these actions in magazines or in the paper or on the Internet, or draw some yourself. Make a little booklet of the works of Jesus that people continue to do today. Add some blank pages to your book. Whenever you do or say something that is like the work of Jesus, include that in your book.



The community of believers wanted to share with one another.
They sold their land and houses and gave the money
to the apostles to share with those in need.

We need to have sharing spirits, too!

Look at the numbers on the doors of the houses.

Then draw a line from each house to that same number of coin bags.

