

Sunday 19 July 2020
Matthew 13:24-43
16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

IN THE GOSPEL TODAY

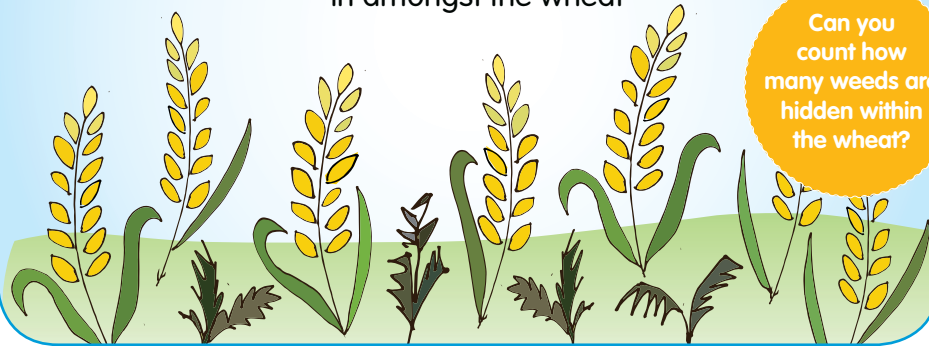
My name is _____

Jesus tells the story of a man who sowed good seed in a field. When everyone was asleep, his enemy went and sowed weeds there too. The farmer let both the wheat and weeds grow together until harvest time. Only then did he separate them out.

DO GOOD!

Separating the weeds from the wheat

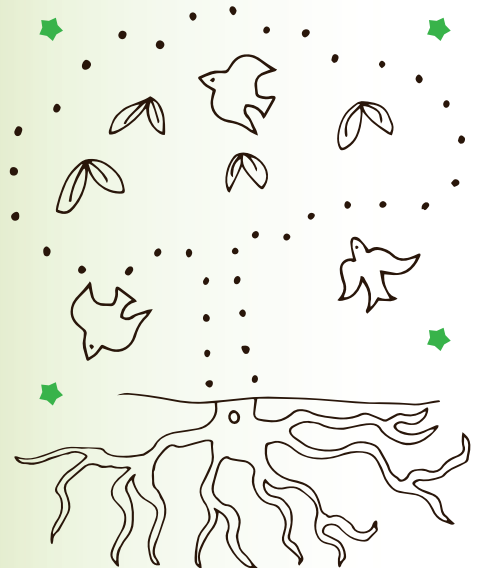
Someone has sown weeds in amongst the wheat



Can you count how many weeds are hidden within the wheat?

Safe and sheltered

Jesus tells us that the kingdom of God is like a mustard seed that grows into a big, strong tree.



Join the dots and watch the tree grow!

God's amazing kingdom

The kingdom of God is might have very small beginnings, but it can make amazing things happen!



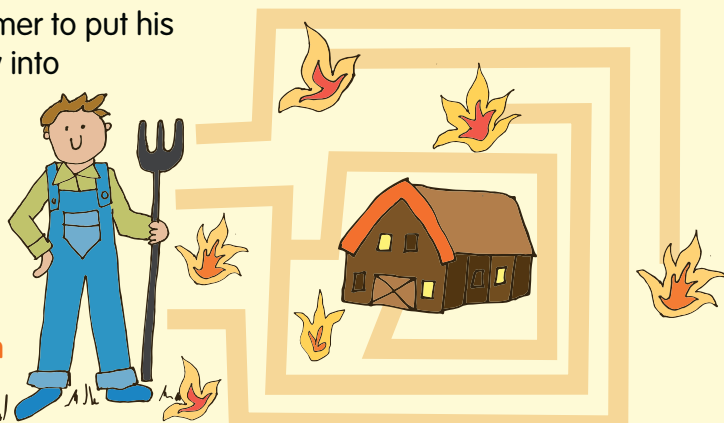
Match up the small item on the top with the big thing that it becomes.

Keep the harvest safe

Help the farmer to put his wheat safely into the barn.

Follow the orange paths.

Avoid the fires that are there to burn the weeds.



A PRAYER TO SAY

Dear Jesus, at times I am like the field with both good seed and weeds growing in my heart. Help me to look after the good seed so that I can be full of love to share with the people I meet. Amen.

Do good: four weeds.