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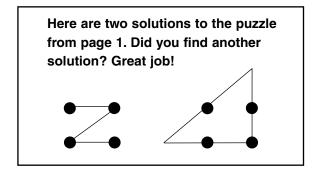
God's saints

At baptism we are made saints in God's family. Draw the child being baptized. Draw a cross on the child's forehead. Have you seen a baptism? Draw yourself watching the baptism.



This week

Make a phone call or send a letter or e-mail message to a saint of any age from your own family.





gather

Welcome to worship. We are connected! We're all in God's family of baptized saints! All Saints Sunday is a day to celebrate the people we call saints. Saints are ordinary baptized people who show us God's love.









Try to connect all four faces with only three lines. As you draw the lines, think about the three names we use for God at baptism: "Child of God, you are baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit."

(Solutions to the puzzle appear on page 4.)

hear & celebrate

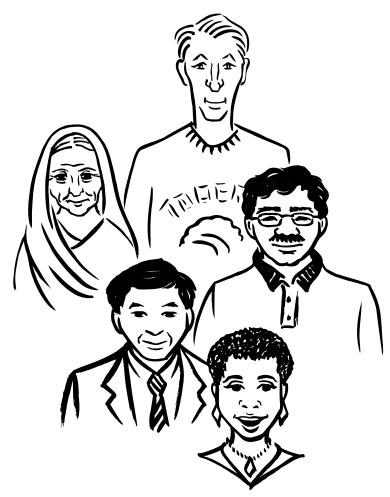
Family ties

We have inherited many things from our relatives. You may have the same name as one of your relatives. Sometimes our inheritance can be seen. Look at these two groups of people. Match each child with at least one adult who looks like she or he might be related.



children: God gives us eternal life. That's a great reason for an All Saints Sunday celebration!

The best inheritance is from God. We are all God's beloved





This is a good day to look at family photos together and tell family stories.



Thank you, God, for the saints who came before us. Help us follow their examples. Amen