

Children of GOD

Third Sunday of Easter

Being a witness for Jesus.

Jesus was talking to his disciples after he had been raised from the dead. The disciples still didn't quite understand the resurrection, and even though they could see him and were talking to him, they thought they might be talking to a **ghost**. They were **frightened**.

"Why are you afraid?" Jesus asked them. "Look at my hands and my **feet**. Touch me. A **ghost** doesn't have flesh and **bones** as I do."

Then he asked them, "Do you have anything to eat?" They gave him a piece of fish and he took it and ate it to prove to them that he was not a **ghost**.

Jesus helped the disciples understand the Scriptures. He explained to them, "The Scriptures say that the Christ would suffer and rise from the dead on the third day. Forgiveness of sin would be preached in the name of God. You are **witnesses** of these things." You must tell everything that has happened.

Jesus has called us to be **witnesses**. We can be a **witness** for Jesus by our words and our actions. When we keep the Commandments we are being a **witness** for Jesus.



What kind of "ghost" do you think the disciples saw?
Use this space for your drawing.

Multiple Choice

1. The hard pieces that form the skeleton of a person
A. ghost B. hands C. bones D. feet
2. To accept something as true or real
A. talking B. believe C. feet D. ghost
3. The spirit of a dead person, especially one believed to appear in bodily form
A. ghost B. hands C. feet D. frightened
4. One who can give a firsthand account of something seen or heard
A. flesh B. bones C. prophet D. witness
5. To be filled with fear or alarm
A. witness B. frightened C. believe D. feet
6. The body parts at the end of the legs
A. hands B. flesh C. feet D. bones

(hint: look for clues in the story "Being a witness for Jesus"
.....answers next week)