

# **Calming** of the Storm

One evening Jesus said to His disciples, "Let us go over to the other side of the Sea of Galilee." So Jesus and His disciples went into a boat and began to sail to the other side. As they were sailing, Jesus laid down near the

# Mark 4:35-41

On the same day, when evening had come, He said to them, "Let us cross over to the other side." Now when they had left the multitude, they took Him along in the boat as He was. And other little boats were also with Him. And a great windstorm arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that it was already filling. But He was in the stern, asleep on a pillow. And they awoke Him and said to Him, "Teacher, do You not care that we are perishing?"

Then He arose and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, "Peace, be still!" And the wind ceased and there was a great calm. But He said to them, "Why are you so fearful? How is it that you have no faith?" And they feared exceedingly, and said to one another, "Who can this be, that even the wind and the sea obey Him!"

back of the boat and fell asleep. He was so very tired from preaching and teaching all day.

Suddenly, a violent storm with a strong wind came down upon the lake. The wind made big waves. Many waves splashed into the boat. The boat began to sink. The disciples were in trouble and they were afraid. What could they do? They came to Jesus and woke Him up.

"Jesus help us," they cried. "We are sinking." Jesus stood up and said, "Wind. stop! Waves, stop!" The wind and waves

obeyed Jesus.

Sometimes we are in trouble. Sometimes we are afraid. Jesus is always ready to help us. Jesus has the power to protect us.



# I am with you always. -Matthew 28:20









I. In the blank half below, draw a picture of what it looked like after Jesus calmed the storm.



II. Circle the pictures below that are similar to our story picture above.









# III. Memory Verse

I am with you always. - Matthew 18:20



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## John 6:1-13

Some time after this, Jesus crossed to the far shore of the Sea of Galilee (that is, the Sea of Tiberias), and a great crowd of people followed him because they saw the miraculous signs he had performed on the sick. Then Jesus went up on a mountainside and sat down with his disciples. The Jewish Passover Feast was near.

When Jesus looked up and saw a great crowd coming toward him, he said to Philip, "Where shall we buy bread for these people to eat?" He asked this only to test him, for he already had in mind what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "Eight months' wages would not buy enough bread for each one to have a bite!" Another of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, spoke up, "Here is a boy with five small barley loaves and two small fish, but how far will they go among so many?"

Jesus said, "Have the people sit down." There was plenty of grass in that place, and the men sat down, about five thousand of them. Jesus then took the loaves, gave thanks, and distributed to those who were seated as much as they wanted. He did the same with the fish.

When they had all had enough to eat, he said to his disciples, "Gather the pieces that are left over. Let nothing be wasted." So they gathered them and filled twelve baskets with the pieces of the five barley loaves left over by those who had eaten.

Do you remember the miracle where Jesus stopped the wind and water? He has the power to protect us. Today we shall see that it is also Jesus who gives us what we need to live.

Can you count to ten? Can you count to one hundred? One day Jesus was preaching to 5,000 men. There were also many women and children. They were there all day listening to Jesus. They became hungry. But where would food come from? They were a long way from home and there weren't any stores. The disciples could only find five loaves of bread and two small fish. How could so little feed so many people?

Jesus knew. He had the power to feed all the people. He took the food and gave thanks to the Heavenly Father. Then He told the disciples to hand out the food. Jesus worked a miracle. Now there was more than enough food for everyone. Everyone ate and ate. They were not hungry any more.

After the dinner, Jesus told the disciples to gather up the leftover pieces so that nothing would be wasted. When the disciples were done picking up, they had 12 baskets of food; 12 baskets is more than five loaves and two fish.

See the power of Jesus! He fed 5,000 men with five loaves of bread and two small fish. Only Jesus has the power to do that. With this same power He gives us our food and all that we need to live.

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# Trust in the living God, who gives us richly all things to enjoy. -1 Timothy 6:17



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I. Follow the dotted lines to complete the picture.





# III. Memory Verse

Give us this day our daily bread. - Matthew 6:11



# Healing of the Blind Man

## Mark 10:46-52

Now they came to Jericho. As He went out of Jericho with His disciples and a great multitude, blind Bartimaeus, the son of Timaeus, sat by the road begging. And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" Then many warned him to be quiet; but he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" So Jesus stood still and commanded him to be called. Then they called the blind man, saying to him, "Be of good cheer. Rise, He is calling you."

And throwing aside his garment, he rose and came to Jesus. So Jesus answered and said to him, "What do you want Me to do for you?" The blind man said to Him, "Rabboni, that I may receive my sight." Then Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your faith has made you well." And immediately he received his sight and followed Jesus on the road. Jesus has the power to protect us. Jesus has the power to give us all that we need to live. The miracle in this lesson shows us that Jesus has the power to heal us. There once lived a man named Bartimaeus. He was blind. He could not see anything. He also did not have any money. He was poor. He lived near the town of Jericho.

One day Jesus came to Jerlcho. Bartimaeus believed that Jesus was the Savior of the world. He knew that Jesus was very powerful. He believed that Jesus could make his eyes better. So he shouted with a loud voice,

"Jesus help me!" Some of the people told Bartimaeus to keep quiet. But they could not stop him. He shouted even louder, "Jesus, help me!" Jesus stopped and said, "How can I help you?" Bartimaeus said, "Heal me; make my eyes better." Jesus touched him and healed him. Now Bartimaeus could see. He looked all around. He saw people, trees, sky, and the road. But most of all, he could see Jesus! Bartimaeus was very happy. He thanked Jesus and went with Him. Do you ever remember being sick? Jesus is the one who made you better. He has the power to heal. Above all, He has healed us from the sickness of sin. Jesus has the power to heal everything that is wrong with body and soul.



Lesson 3

# Go your way, your faith has made you well. -Mark 10:52



# **Be of good cheer;** your sins are forgiven you. - Matthew 9:2



Healing Blind Man

# Healing of the Blind Man

I. Put an "X" over the stories that do not pertain to Blind Bartimaeus.



# **II. Memory Verse**

Be of good cheer; your sins are forgiven you. - Matthew 9:2



The Raising Gazarus



By His power Jesus stopped the wind and the waves. By His power Jesus fed 5,000 men. By His power Jesus healed blind Bartimaeus. Today we will see that Jesus also has the power to bring dead people back to life.

There were two sisters named Mary and Martha. They had a brother named Lazarus. They were all friends of Jesus. They lived in the town of Bethany. One day Lazarus got very sick. His sisters, Mary and Martha, asked Jesus to help. They knew Jesus had the power to heal. But Lazarus died before Jesus came to Bethany. Now what could Jesus do to help? Jesus told Martha, "I am the Resurrection and the Life." This means Jesus has power over death.

Jesus went to the place where Lazarus was buried. It was a cave. Jesus called into the cave,

"Lazarus, come out!" Lazarus had been dead for four days. The power of Jesus made him alive again. Lazarus came out of the cave. All the people saw Lazarus. They were very surprised. Mary and Martha were very happy.

Someday we will die. But Jesus is the Resurrection and the Life. He will make us alive again. We will live with Him in Heaven forever.



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The Raising Lazarus

# The Raising Gazarus

# I. Put the pictures in order in which they happened. Draw a line from the numbers below.



# **II. Memory Verse**

I am the Resurrection and the Life. - John 11:25

The Raising Lazarus

# Jesus drives evil Spirits

Jesus has ALL power. He has power to protect us. He has power to feed us. He has power to heal us. He has power to raise us from the dead. Today our lesson shows us that Jesus has power over evil spirits.

Right after Jesus stopped the wind and the waves, the ship came to the land of Gadara. A wild man lived there in a cave. The devil sent many evil spirits to live in him. The evil spirits made him do bad things. He



Jesus drives Evil Spirits

wore no clothes. He hurt himself with rocks. He was very mean to people. He used bad language. The evil spirits made him live in a cemetery. They made him very strong.

But Jesus was stronger than the wild man. Jesus had more power than the devil and his evil spirits. Jesus made the evil spirits leave the man. Now the man believed in Jesus. He wasn't wild anymore. He put clothes on and went home. He didn't throw rocks anymore. He was nice to people. He was very happy. He thanked Jesus. He told many people about Jesus and His power.

What happened to the evil spirits? Jesus allowed them to enter about 2,000 pigs. The evil spirits drove the pigs wild. They made the pigs run over a high cliff and drown in the water below. The devil has a lot of power. He wants us to do bad things. He also wants to destroy us. But Jesus has more power. He has ALL power. He saves us from the devil. Jesus has power over sin, death, and the devil.



Jesus drives out the Evil Spirits

# All power is given unto Me in Heaven and Earth. - Matthew 28:18









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# Jesus drives evil Spirits

I. There are 5 differences between picture 1 and 2. Record each on the provided space to the right.



# II. Memory Verse

Level I

All power is given unto Me in heaven and earth. - Matthew 28:18





Find the following objects: boat, 2 fish, pig, Bible, blind man's cane, napkin, bread, cross

# Level I & II

Matthew 28:20	I am with you always.	
Matthew 6:11	Give us this day our daily bread.	
Matthew 9:2	Be of good cheer; your sins are forgiven you.	
John 11:25	I am the resurrection and the Life.	
Matthew 28:18	All power is given unto Me in heaven and in earth	

## Level III & IV

Psalm 103:1	Bless the LORD, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless His holy name.	
Psalm 103:2	Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits.	
Psalm 103:3	Who forgives all your iniquities, Who heals all your diseases.	
Psalm 103:4	Who redeems your life from destruction, Who crowns you with	
	lovingkindness and tender mercies.	
Psalm 103:5	Who satisfies your mouth with good things, so that your youth is	
	renewed like the eagle's.	

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## The Lutheran Hymnal #652: 1,2

I lay my sins on Jesus,	I lay my wants on Jesus.,
The spotless Lamb ofGod;	All fullness dwells in Him;
He bears them all and frees us	He healet my diseases,
From the accursed load.	He doth my soul redeem.
I bring my guilt to Jesus	I lay my griefs on Jesus,
To wash my crimson stains	My burdens and my cares;
White in His blood most precious	He from them all releases,
Till not a spot remains.	He all my sorrows shares.

## Prayer

Lord Jesus, Almighty Son of God and also the Son of Man, our only Savior, help us.

With Your power, defend and protect us from all danger.

With Your power, continue to give us everything we need to live.

With Your power, heal all of our sicknesses, especially the disease of sin.

With Your power, raise us on the Last Day from the dead so that we may live with You forever in Heaven. With Your power, protect and keep us from the devil. O Lord, we are weak, You are strong. Help us, Jesus. Give us the victory over sin, death, and the devil. For the sake of Your suffering and death. Amen.