



## Children's Church – 30<sup>th</sup> August Matthew 16: 21-28

**This week we are learning about what it means  
to be a follower of Jesus**

There are plenty of **leaders** in our lives, who we are told to **follow** – for example, our parents, carers and teachers. But the greatest person to follow in our lives is **Jesus**.

**Following a leader like Jesus is not always easy.** Sometimes we might have to think about other people instead of ourselves, or not do something we would like to because we realise Jesus would not want us to. Can you think of any examples of these in your life?



**Jesus** spoke to his **disciples** and told them how they should **follow** him. That might sometimes have meant not doing things the way that they thought best. **It was about trusting him completely, even when it was tricky.**





## Song:

### Deep, Deep, Deep

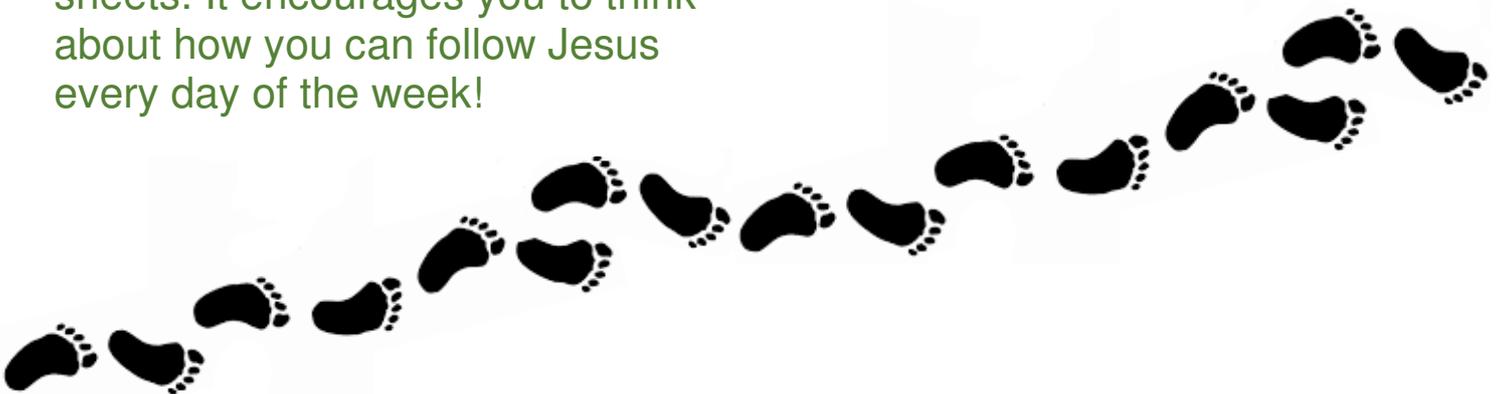
This song reminds us that to follow Jesus we need to trust him completely and allow ourselves to go deep into our love for him!

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oZhwagxWzOc&list=PL5NINQJLqINyvoFsyEocBX17\\_8q4PhZc9](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oZhwagxWzOc&list=PL5NINQJLqINyvoFsyEocBX17_8q4PhZc9)



## Activity:

There is a foot template and activity instructions included with these sheets. It encourages you to think about how you can follow Jesus every day of the week!



## Prayer:

### Dear Lord

Thank you for being there for me to follow. You know me so well and love me so much and I know I can trust all that you want for me.

### Amen

# Following Jesus

This week I  
will follow  
Jesus by  
doing this

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Color in the  
foot day by  
day as you  
follow  
Jesus!

## Lord God

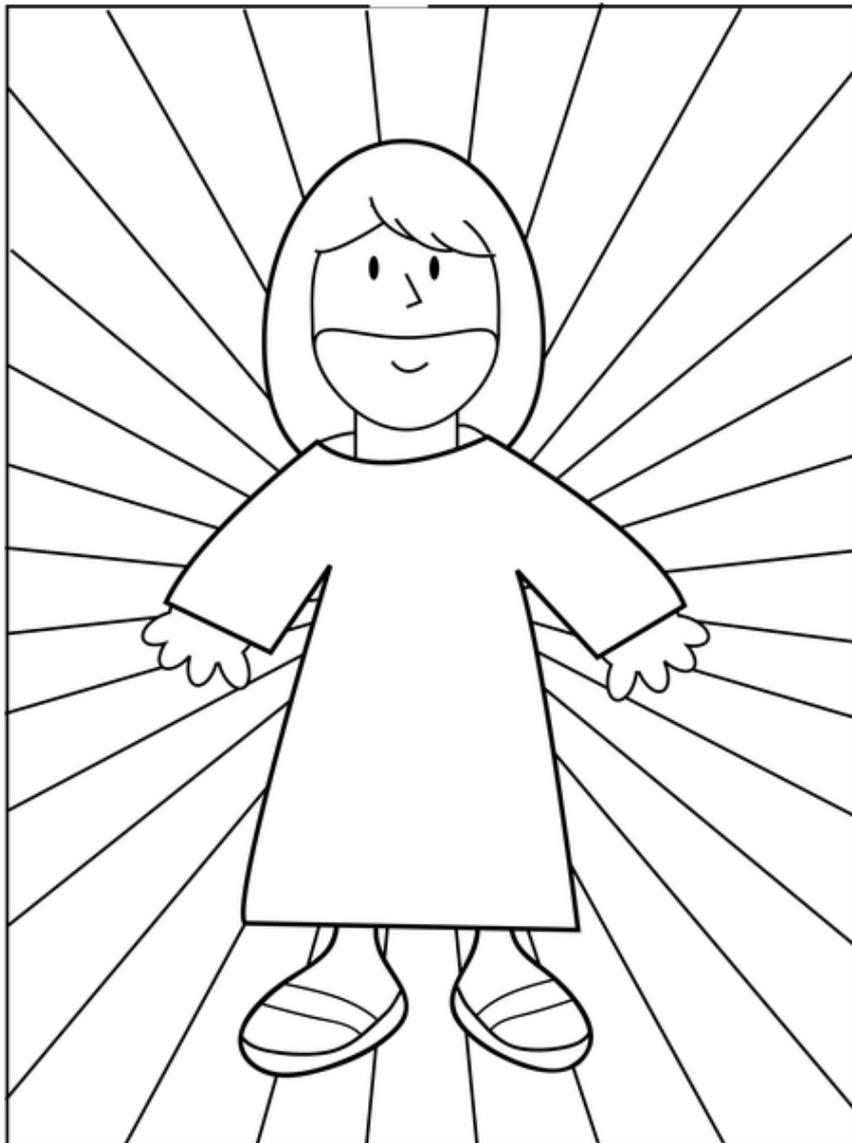


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# I follow Jesus



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