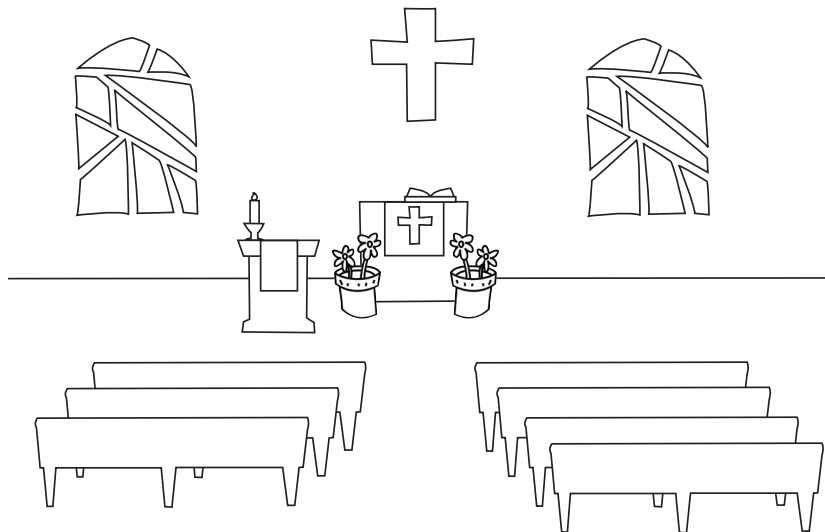
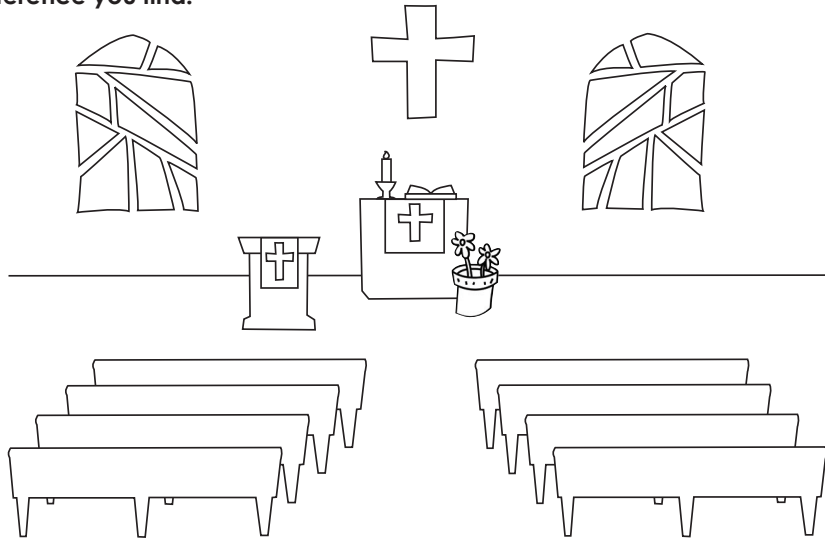


Sanctuary Search

During Advent, we decorate the sanctuary, or worship space, in different ways. There is usually an Advent wreath with candles. The cloth that covers the altar might be blue. People hang evergreen garlands and decorate trees. Each church decorates a little differently.

Can you spot six differences between these two pictures? Circle each difference you find!



READER

Advent 2

- Today is the **second Sunday** in Advent.
- The color we use during Advent is **blue**.



Code Blue

Figure out this code to find out what the color blue means.

G _ _ I, N _ _ P, O _ _ Q, D _ _ F

spells: _ _ _ _ _

What do you see in church today that is blue? Write or draw about it here.

Use the symbols to fill in the blanks for this week's memory verses. Check in your Bible to see if you're right!

Memory Verse

The _____ shall live with the _____; the _____
shall lie _____ with the _____; the _____ and the _____
will feed together, and a _____ shall lead them. Isaiah 11:6

The  shall live with the ; the
 shall lie ↓ with the ; the 
and the  will feed together,
and a little  shall lead them. Isaiah 11:6

For the _____ will be full of the knowledge of the Lord as the _____ cover
the sea. Isaiah 11:9b

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of the Lord as the  cover the sea.

Isaiah 11:9b

Look It Up!

Isaiah tells us about a new branch in the family tree of Jesse. King David is a son of Jesse and Jesus is in King David's family. **Write down the names of the people you find in each verse. Then draw a branch connecting the Old and New Testament families.**

Genesis 17:5

Genesis 25:26

1 Samuel 16:13

Luke 1:31

Genesis 21:3

1 Samuel 16:1

Luke 1:27

John the Baptist was born right about the same time as Jesus. You can read more about these cousins in Luke 1:1-6.

Did You Know?

Looking for John

Figure out the word that goes on each line. Use the letters from the circles to spell the word in the last sentence.

John told people to _____.

He was trying to help people get _____ for Jesus.

John the Baptist wore funny clothes made from _____ and _____ hair.

John ate funny food, too, like _____ and _____.

John the Baptist was a P _____.