

Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God, January 1



The shepherds went in haste to Bethlehem and found Mary and Joseph, and the infant lying in the manger. When they saw this, they made known the message that had been told them about this Child. All who heard it were amazed by what had been told them by the shepherds. And Mary kept all these things, reflecting on them in her heart. Then the shepherds returned, glorifying and praising God for all they had heard and seen, just as it had been told to them. (Luke 2:16-20)

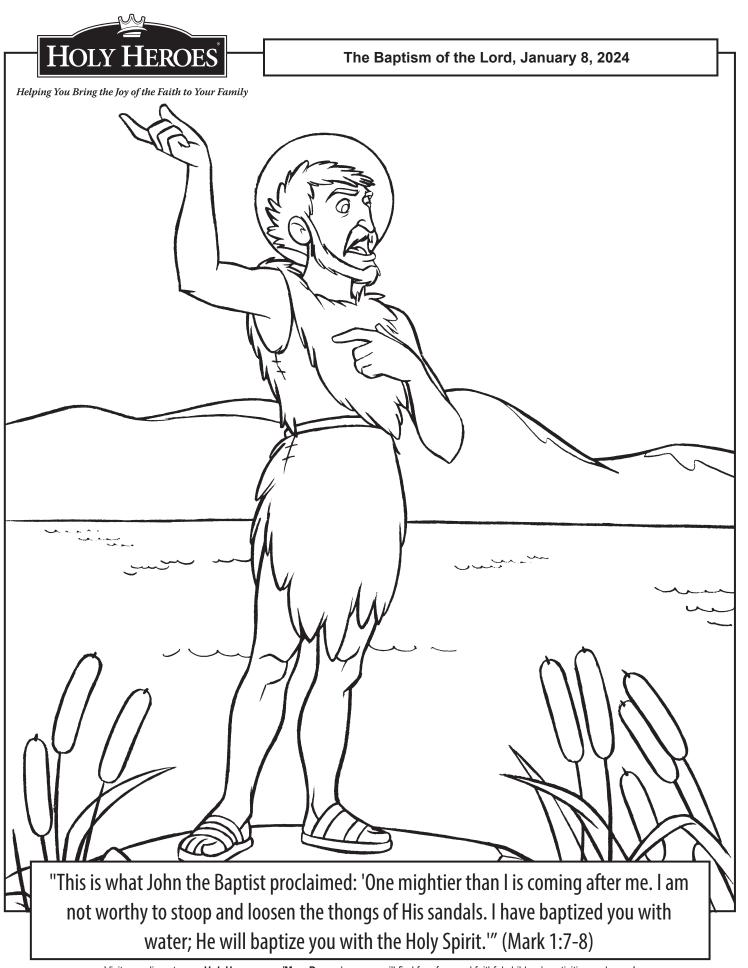


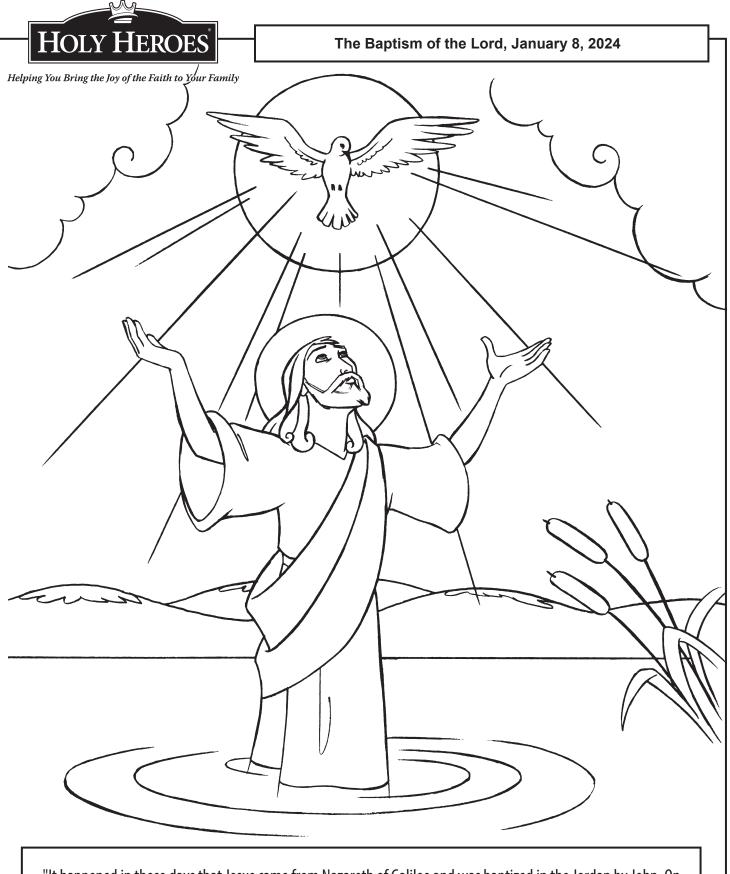
The Epiphany of the Lord, January 7, 2024



And behold, the star that they had seen at its rising preceded them, until it came and stopped over the place where the Child was. They were overjoyed at seeing the star, and on entering the house they saw the Child with Mary His mother. They prostrated themselves and did Him homage. Then they opened their treasures and offered Him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

(Matthew 2:8-11)



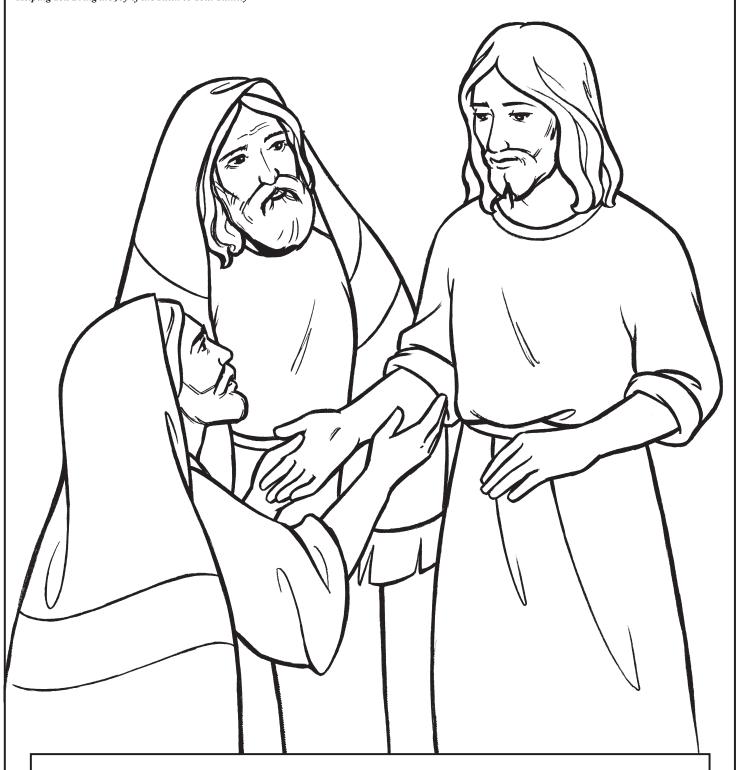


"It happened in those days that Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized in the Jordan by John. On coming up out of the water He saw the heavens being torn open and the Spirit, like a dove, descending upon Him. And a Voice came from the heavens, 'You are My beloved Son; with You I am well pleased.'" (Mark 1:9-11)



Second Sunday of Ordinary Time, January 14, 2024

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It was about four in the afternoon. Andrew, the brother of Simon Peter, was one of the two who heard John and followed Jesus.

He first found his own brother Simon and told him, "We have found the Messiah"—which is translated Christ.

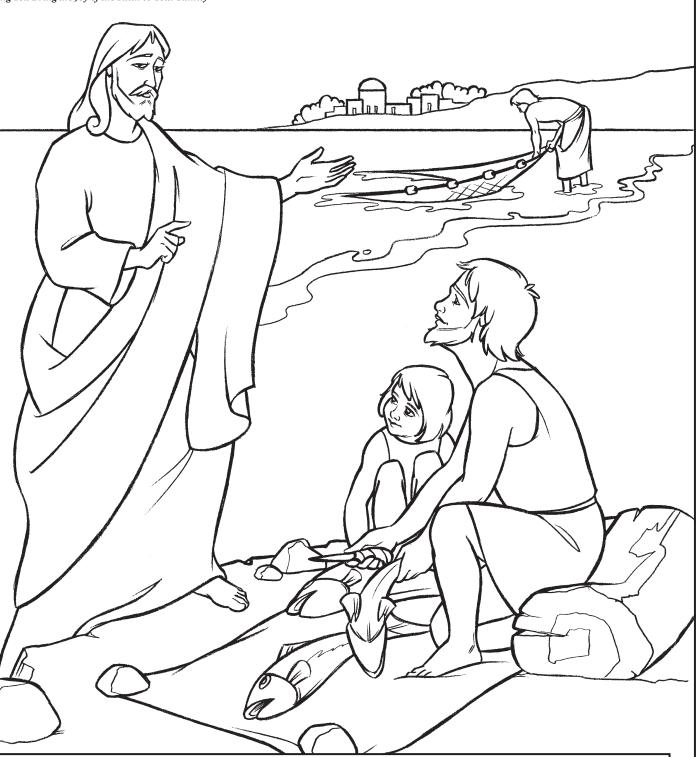
Then he brought him to Jesus. Jesus looked at him and said, "You are Simon the son of John; you will be called Cephas"

—which is translated Peter. (John 1:39-42)



The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 21, 2024

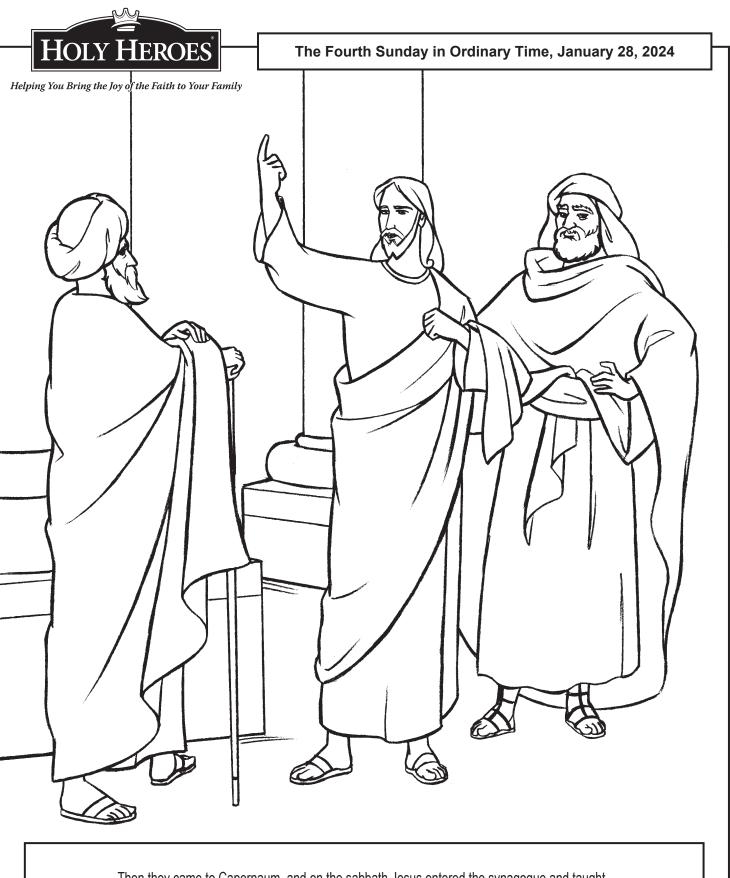
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Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God: "This is the time of fulfillment. The kingdom of God is at hand.

Repent, and believe in the gospel." As He passed by the Sea of Galilee, He saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting their nets into the sea; they were fishermen. Jesus said to them, "Come after Me, and I will make you fishers of men."

Then they abandoned their nets and followed Him. (Mark 1:14-19)



Then they came to Capernaum, and on the sabbath Jesus entered the synagogue and taught. The people were astonished at His teaching, for He taught them as one having authority and not as the scribes. (Mark 1:21-22)