

Let's pray....

Heavenly Father,

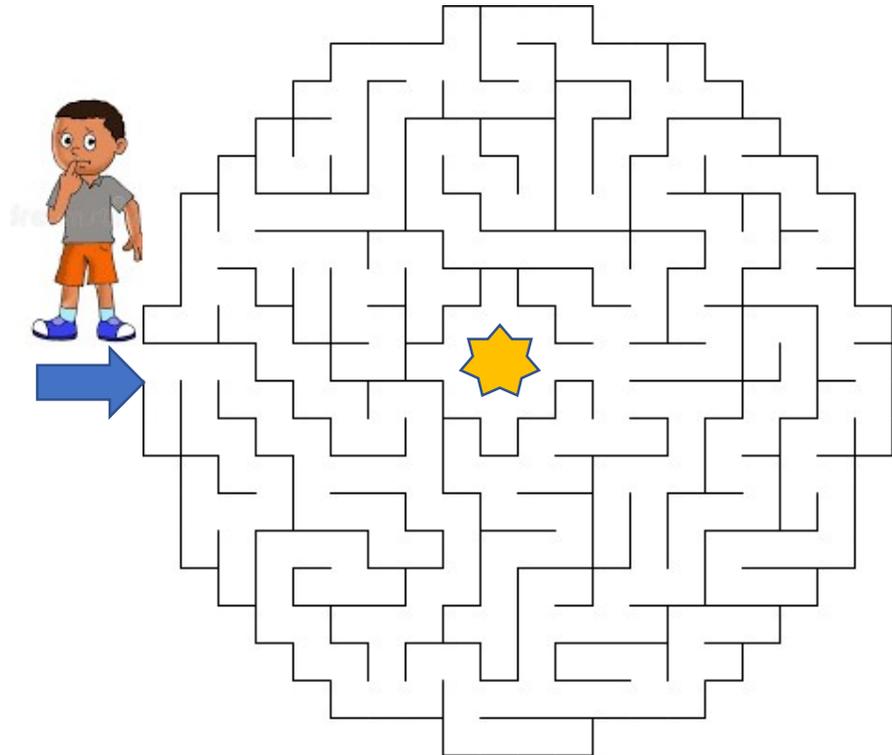
Thank you that we can trust you whatever happens in our lives. Thank you for all these people who trusted you and for their great example. Thank you that you are with us, just like you were with them.

Amen



St Lawrence 4pm Service for families 21/02/21 Hebrews 11:17-39

This bit of Hebrews 11 has loads more people in the Old Testament who trusted God even when times were hard. Sometimes they only had to trust God for a short time - and things worked out well for them. Sometimes they had a really hard life and ...died. They still trusted God because they knew that He always keeps his promises and that they would be in his perfect place for ever in the end.



Sometimes life can seem hard – a bit like this maze! We have to keep trusting God at every twist and turn. Can you help this boy get safely through the maze to the star?

Who is who...?

Read Hebrews 1:17-39...Can you match up the Bible characters with what we are told about them?

Abraham



...trusted God to look after their baby.

Moses' parents



...trusted God even when it meant giving up the good life he had in Pharaoh's palace.

Moses



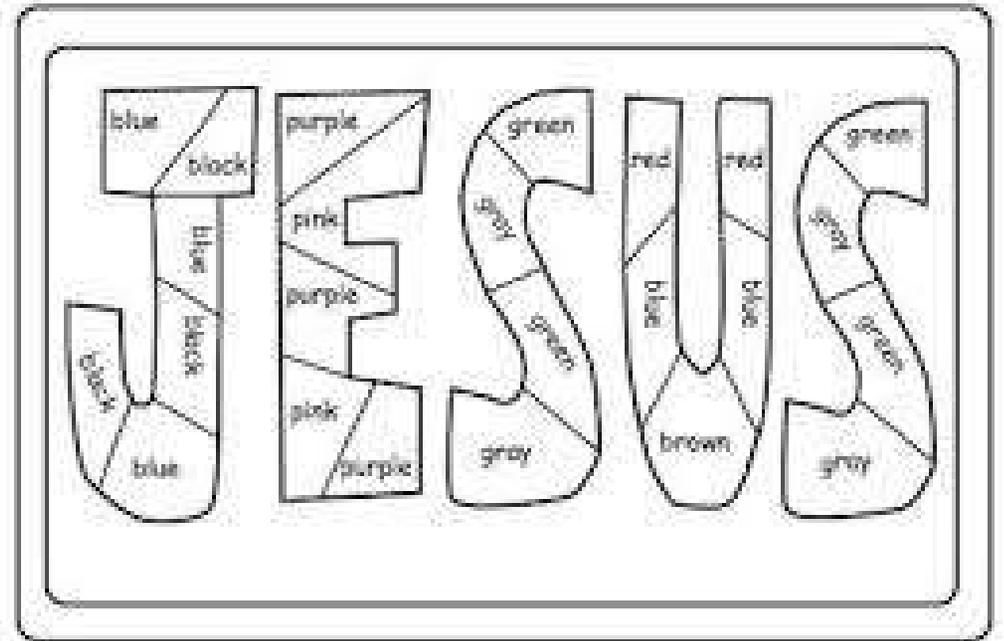
...trusted God even when he was asked to kill his son Isaac, when God had promised Isaac would be the start of God's new special family.

Joshua



...trusted God would win the battle for Jericho if they just marched around the city and shouted!

All of these people had to trust what God said, just because God said it! God looked after Isaac and baby Moses. God used Moses to bring his people out of Egypt. The walls of Jericho fell down and the battle was won with no fighting! Some of the other people in Hebrews 11 told people what God said and what he wanted - and got into lots of trouble - but they knew God was with them and that it was worth it!



All these people were upper hero logo! Bible heroes - but they knew Jesus is the real hero - they trusted him and he helped and rescued them. Colour in this Jesus super hero logo!