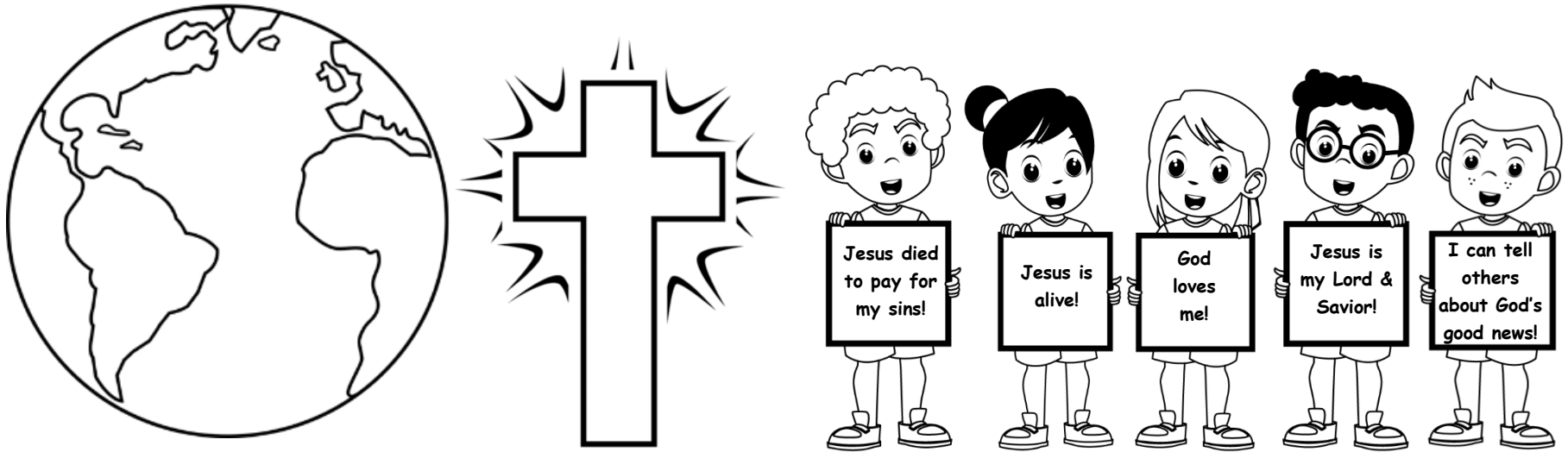


The Great Commission



So you must go and make disciples of all nations. Baptize them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

-Matthew 28:19 NIRV

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After Jesus' death and resurrection, he appeared to many people over the next 40 days before he ascended into heaven. These people were witnesses to the fact that Jesus was alive. Jesus then told his disciples to meet him in Galilee. There he gave them his final commands of how they should now live. These final commands are called "The Great Commission". These commands are to all of Jesus' disciples, including us even today.

Definitions:

- A disciple of Jesus is a person who has decided to put their trust in Jesus and to follow his teachings and commands.
- A nation is a group of people who share a common ancestry, history, culture, and/or language.

Read Matthew 28:16-20, then answer the following questions.

- 1.) In verse 16, how many of Jesus' disciples went to Galilee to see him?
- 2.) In verse 17, what did Jesus' disciples do when they saw him? Did everyone believe in him?
- 3.) In verse 19:
 - a. What did Jesus tell his followers to do?
 - b. Who did Jesus tell his followers to go and make disciples of?
 - c. Into which names did he say to baptize people?
- 4.) In verse 20, what did Jesus tell us to teach others to do?