

COME AND SEE:

first all those words from today's Gospel,
and then also what it's all about
by putting the leftover letters together.

L K W O N K O S O D L W S K N
H R N E D R E I I A E A P S A
I E T A H E Y M Y E A T I D M
B M E L R F T O A H R E R I E
B A P T I Z E N D A S R I S S
A I A T M B O P I N I E T C S
R N S U S E J E F O E H G I I
E E A O D K K T B W N C K P A
T E N O O N R E T F A A S L H
F X D L N N F R E E S E H E I
A C R T A O W O R L D T E S D
D L E T R E H T O R B P A C N
O A W E W I V K A E P S V O H
V I G H Z O E E R F I B E M O
E M F O L L O W R N R T N E J

AFTER	DAY	JOHN	SIMON PETER
AFTERNOON	DESCEND	KNOW	SIN
AHEAD	DISCIPLES	MAN	SPEAK
ANDREW	DOVE	MESSIAH	SPIRIT
ANOINTED	EXCLAIM	RABBI	TEACHER
BAPTIZE	FOLLOW	RANK	TESTIFY
BEFORE	HEAVEN	REMAIN	TWO
BROTHER	ISRAEL	REVEAL	WATER
COME	JESUS	SEE	WORLD

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Today's lessons:

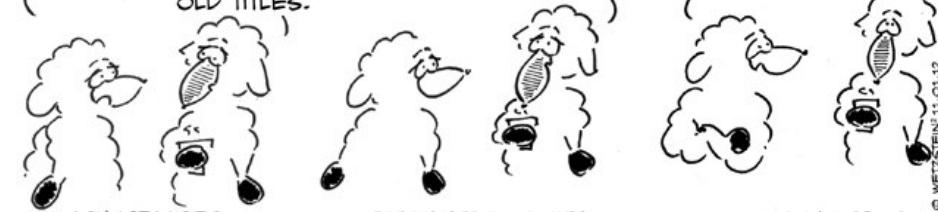
Isaiah 49:1-7	This is the second of the Isaiah passages that deal with ‘the servant of the Lord’. This time it’s the servant himself who’s speaking. What seems like failure to the servant turns out to be the starting point for an even greater mission: he is sent to all the world. (‘Jacob’ is another name for ‘Israel’.)
Psalm 40:1-11	Very similar to today’s Isaiah reading, in this psalm somebody who has experienced God’s reassurance becomes God’s messenger to others.
1 Corinthians 1:1-9	This is the opening of Paul’s First Letter to the Corinthians, a church with many inner conflicts.
John 1:29-42	John the Baptist recognizes Jesus as the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world and identifies him for his first disciples.

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JESUS SURE
HAS A LOT OF
NICKNAMES! THEY'RE
(OLD TITLES

BUT JESUS WILL FILL THEM
WITH **NEW MEANING**--YOU
HAVE TO READ THE REST
OF JOHN TO UNDERSTAND

OR YOU COULD
LOOK THEM UP
ON WIKIPEDIA!



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JOHN 1:29-42

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NEW MISSION FOR GOD'S SERVANT

For many centuries scholars have been trying to understand this Servant of the Lord.

Not always with a successful outcome:



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In the process, something must have gone wrong—
but maybe you can put the letters in the right order ?!
Then the new mission of the Servant of the Lord is to be

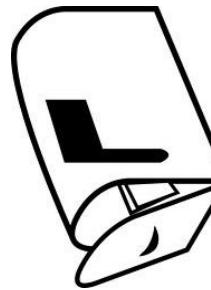
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A THEOLOGIAN is somebody who studies religion.
("Theo-" is "God" in Greek and "-logy" is study.)



You've Got Mail !

But can you decipher Paul's writing?



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