Today's story is about a wedding. Lots of weddings happen at church.

**What do you need for a wedding? Circle those things.**

# PRE-READER

Pentecost 24

- Today is the **24th Sunday** after Pentecost.
- Pentecost is a season of **growing**.
- God wants us to grow by **being ready** for God to **show up**.

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**God wants us to walk on the road of love. God welcomes us on this road. Color in the welcome mat. Use lots of colors. Everyone is welcome.**

**Jesus told a story about getting ready.**

Five bridesmaids put oil in their lamps. They were ready. Five other bridesmaids need our help. We can help them get ready.

**We can draw flames on their lamps. We can draw smiles on their faces.**

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