



Jesus Is Alive!

Bible Verse Of The Week:

"He is not here; He has risen!" - Luke 24:6

Big Idea: Why The Resurrection Matters

When Jesus died on the cross, it wasn't the end of the story. Three days later, He came back to life! That means:

- Jesus is stronger than death
- God keeps His promises
- We can have hope every day
- We can live forever with Him

The resurrection shows us that nothing is too big for God - not even the things that scare us or feel impossible.

Bible Story Summary - The First Sunday After The Jewish Sabbath

Early Sunday morning, some women went to Jesus' tomb. They expected to find his body, but instead they found: the stone rolled away, the tomb empty, an angel proclaiming that Jesus is alive! The women ran to tell the disciples. Soon everyone learned the good news: Jesus defeated death - forever!



Devotional:

Imagine the disciples on that Sunday morning. They were sad, confused, and scared. But when they found the empty tomb, everything changed. Sadness turned to joy. Fear turned into courage. Confusion turned into celebration.

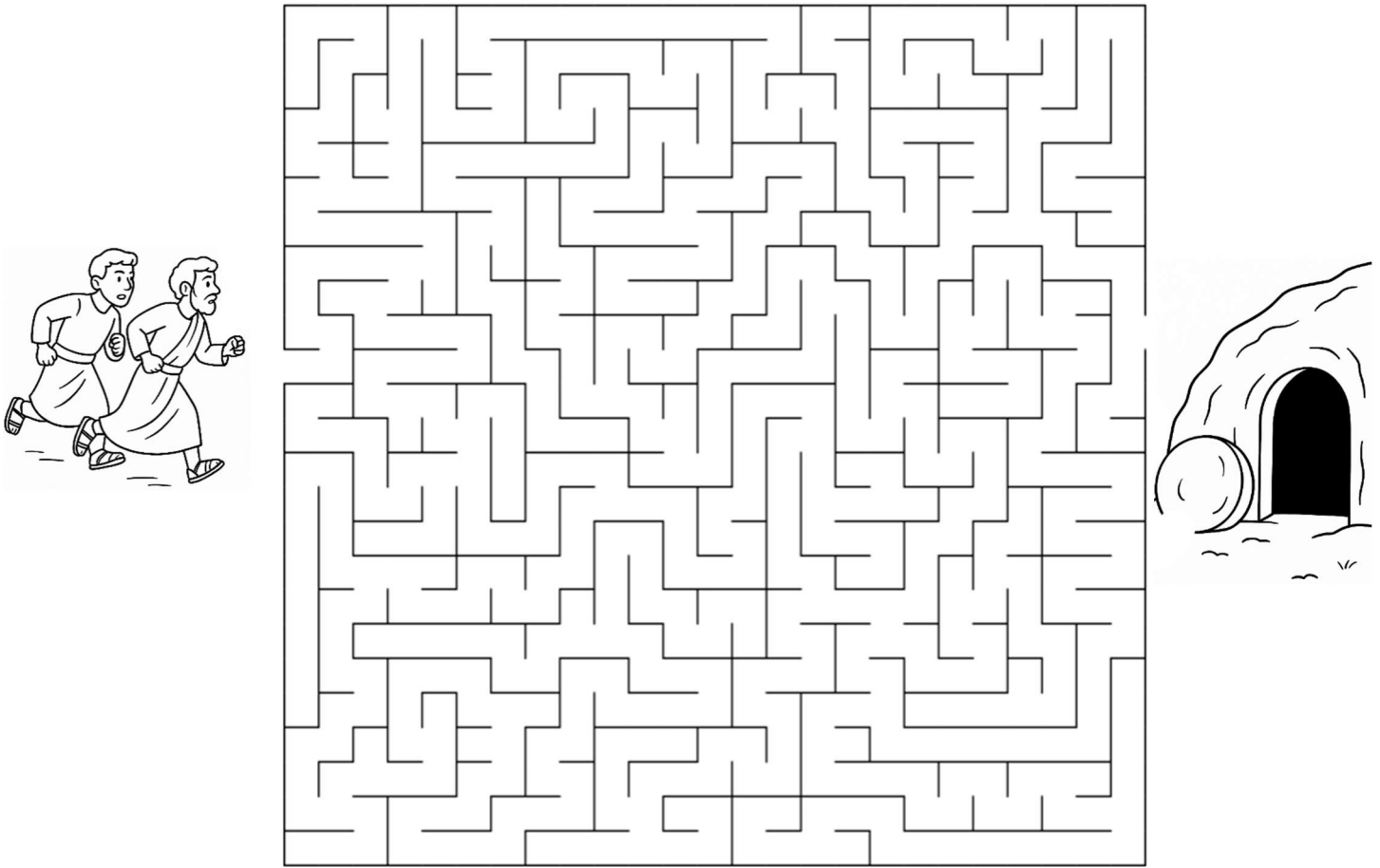
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Prayer Prompt:

Dear Father, thank You for raising your Son Jesus from the dead. Thank You for giving me hope, joy, and new life. Help me remember that You are always with me. Amen.

Mini Maze:

Help Peter and John get to the empty tomb.



Try This At Home:

This week, look for signs of new life - flowers blooming, birds singing, trees and bushes budding. Every time you see something growing, say: "Thank You, Jesus, for new life!"

Did You Know?

- **Car-Weight Stone** - The stone sealing the tomb was likely a massive round rock weighing between 2,000 and 4,000 pounds - as heavy as a small to midsized car!
- **Guarded And Sealed** - The tomb was not only guarded by Roman soldiers but there was a seal affixed. Breaking this seal was against the law, punishable by death!
- **First Witnesses** - Women were the first to see the empty tomb and tell the disciples, which was surprising for that time in history.