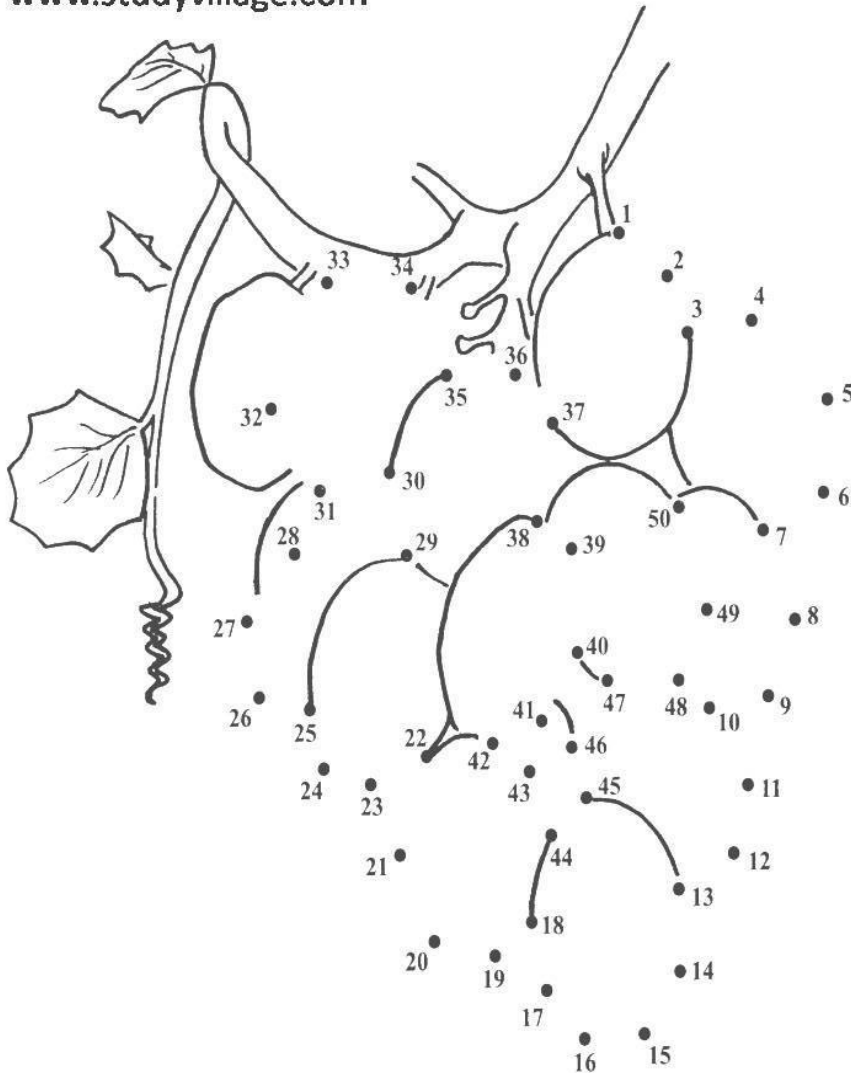
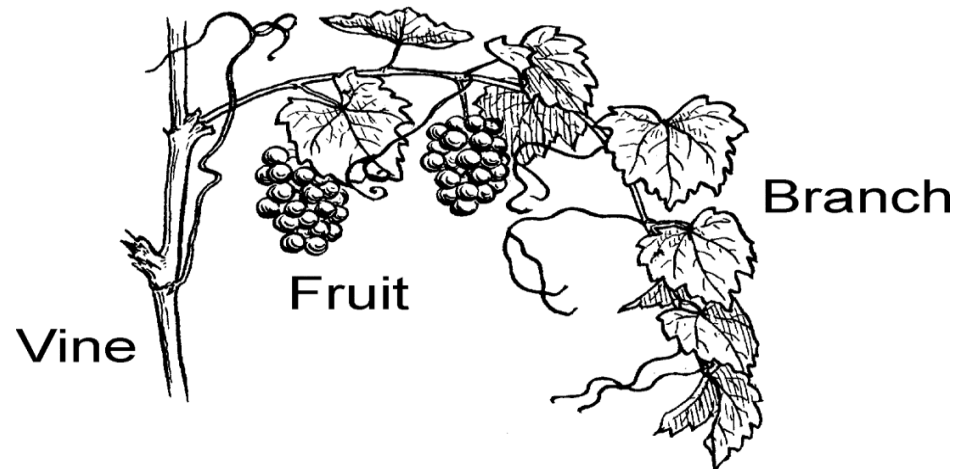


Sunday 2nd May 2021  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter  
Young people's activities  
Immaculate Conception R.C. Church,  
John chapter 15 verses 1-8

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Jesus said "I am the true vine; my Father is the gardener. He cuts off every branch of mine that does not produce fruit. And he trims and cleans every branch that produces fruit so that it will produce even more fruit. You are already clean because of the words I have spoken to you. Remain in me, and I will remain in you. No branch can produce fruit alone. It must remain in the vine. It is the same with you. You cannot produce fruit alone. You must remain in me. I am the vine and you are the branches. If a person remains in me and I remain in him, then he produces much fruit. But without me you can do nothing. If anyone does not remain in me, then he is like a branch that is thrown away. That branch dies. People pick up dead branches, throw them into the fire, and burn them. Remain in me and follow my teachings. If you do this, then you can ask for anything you want and it will be given to you. Anyone who does not remain in me is like a branch that has been thrown away. You should produce much fruit and show that you are my followers."



# The Vine and the Branches

"I am the vine; you are the branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing." John 15:5 (NIV)



The puzzle is based on John 15:1-8

The words below have been written in code. Use the hints in the decoder at the top of the page to help break the code (the letters on top are the correct answers, the letters on the bottom are the code). Write the correct word on the line provided beside each code word.

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	X	Y	Z
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

- 16-18-21-14-5-19 \_\_\_\_\_
- 22-9-14-5 \_\_\_\_\_
- 20-18-21-5 \_\_\_\_\_
- 7-1-18-4-5-14-5-18 \_\_\_\_\_
- 6-18-21-9-20 \_\_\_\_\_
- 2-5-1-18 \_\_\_\_\_
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PRUNES  
FRUIT

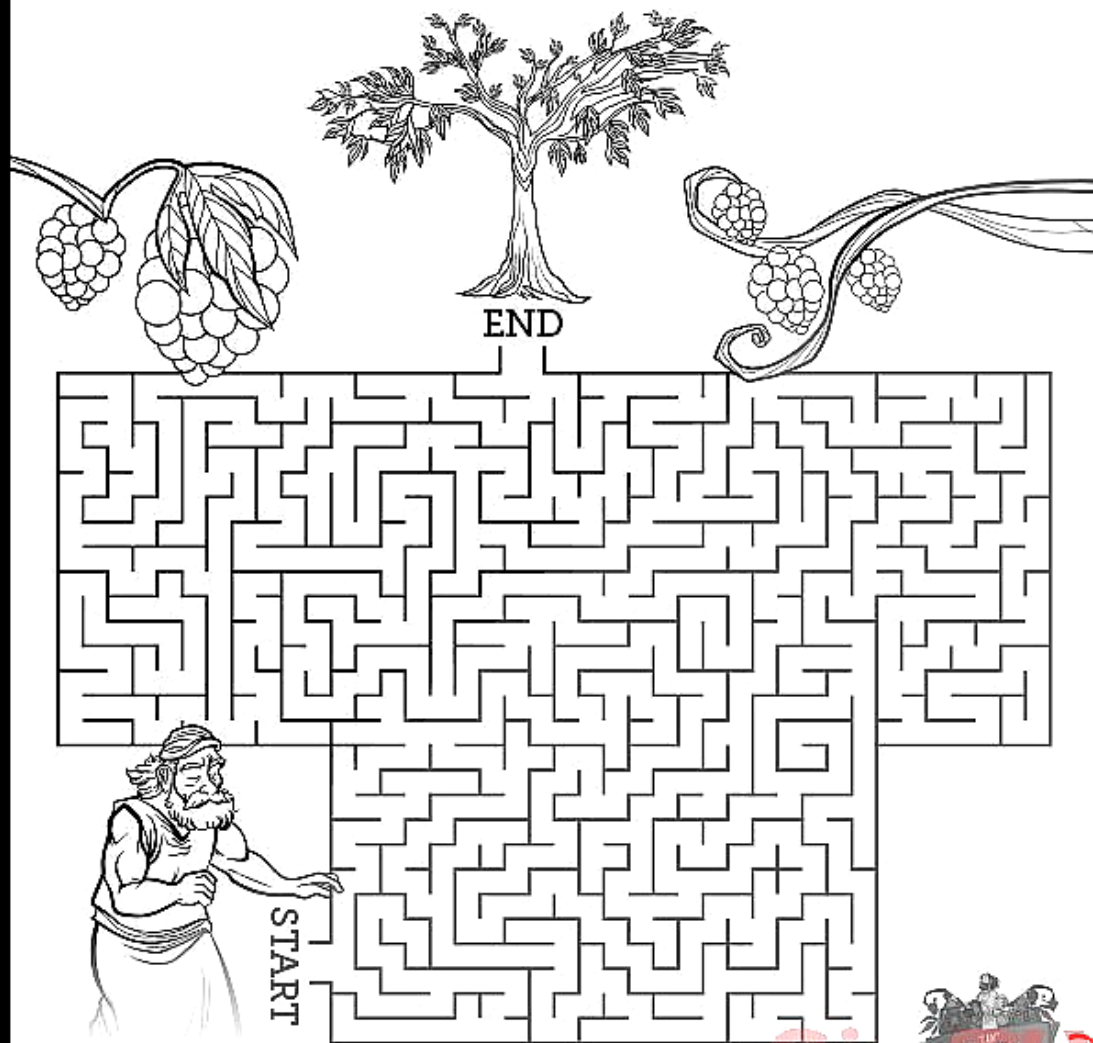
VINE  
BEAR

TRUE  
REMAIN

GARDENER  
BRANCHES

# "I AM" THE VINE

Guide the gardener to the fruit tree.



Spot 8 differences between the two pictures.



P	L	E	N	W	T	E	Y	E	P	VINE	BRANCH	FRUIT	PRUNES
Y	O	G	O	E	N	U	R	P	S	WORD	HOME	PLENTY	THROWN
T	L	R	N	T	H	R	O	W	N	FIRE	BURNT	GLORY	DISCIPLES
N	D	I	S	C	I	P	L	E	S				
E	V	R	U	F	R	O	G	L	Y				
L	S	T	I	U	R	F	E	S	F				
P	A	R	N	I	A	M	E	R	R				
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E	H	C	N	A	R	B	A	B	T				



Jesus wants us to produce a lot of fruit. He doesn't mean we will grow grapes or apples on our body. He means being kind, generous, and talking to Him. Most of all, he wants us to love others. He loves us so much.

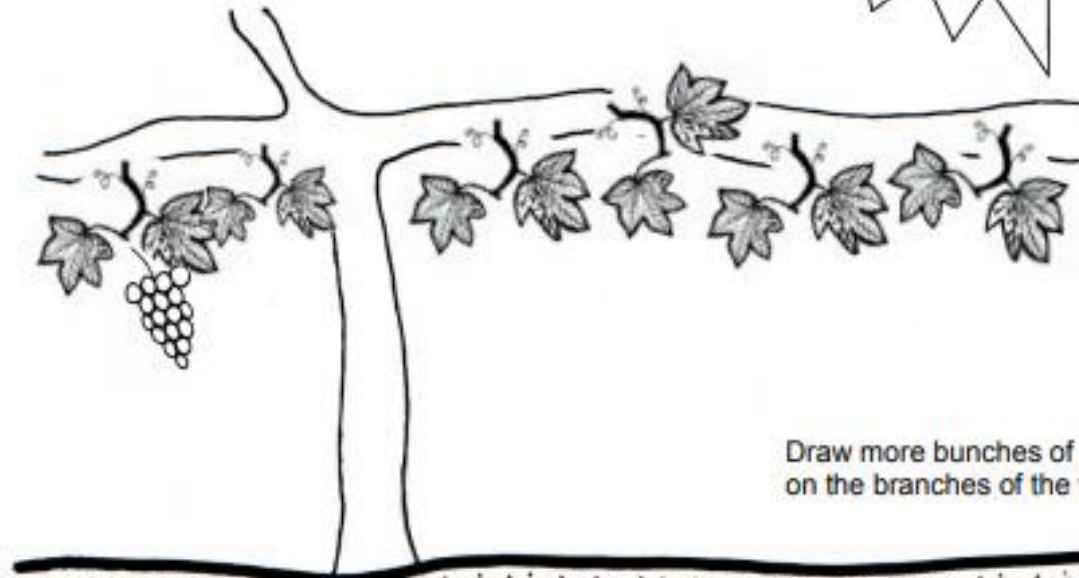
Can we do that on our own? No way. The branches must be connected to the vine to grow fruit. We must always talk to Jesus and listen to what he says.

Jesus said:

**"I AM THE TRUE  
VINE  
YOU ARE THE BRANCHES"**

A vine is a tree  
that produces

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Draw more bunches of grapes  
on the branches of the vine.

I can be a  
good branch  
and produce  
good fruit  
by ...

Draw or write  
about some  
good fruit you  
"produce".