Your Turn to Wrestle with God

In today's story, Jacob wrestles with God. What's something that you wrestle with in your own faith? Listen closely to today's readings and sermon. What do you have questions about? Write them in the big question mark.



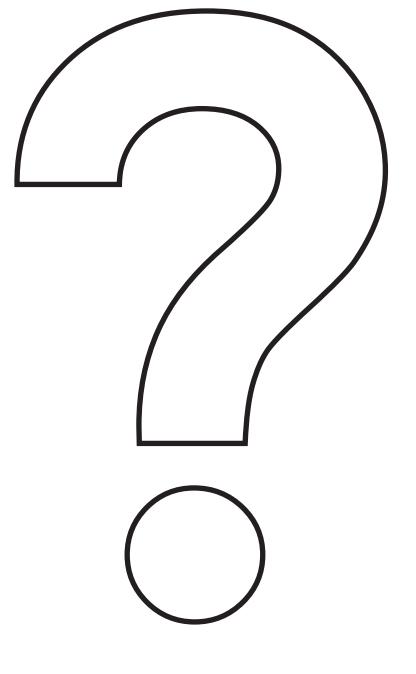
- Today is the **19th** Sunday after Pentecost.
- Pentecost is a time to **wrestle with God**.
- In Pentecost, we are reminded that **God calls us by name**.

Reuse, Renew, Recycle!

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Sometimes in big storms, trees fall down. But that doesn't mean they're useless! Draw three pictures of things we can create from fallen trees.

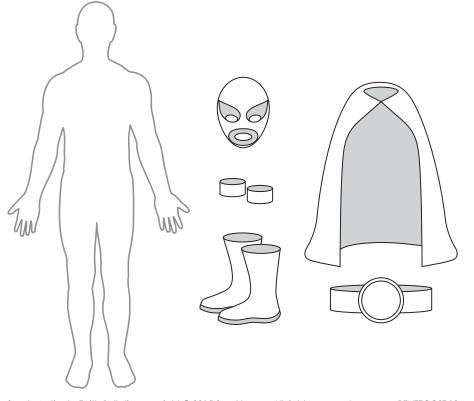
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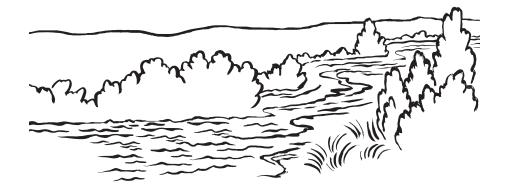
Ready to Wrestle

Draw a picture of yourself wearing all this gear and ready to wrestle!



Jacob's Campsite

Before Jacob wrestled with God, he set up his campsite alongside a river. Have you ever been camping before? Draw a comfortable campsite for Jacob, and be sure to include all the camping essentials: flashlight, tent, firewood, and a sleeping bag!





In today's story, God renames Jacob Israel. God renames other people in the Bible too. God changes Abram's name to Abraham, and Sarai's name to Sarah. If you could change your name, what would it be? Write it here.

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