March 29, 2020
Fifth Sunday of Lent

Two sisters, Martha and Mary, sent word to Jesus that their brother, Lazurus, was sick. After a few days, Jesus and the disciples began to travel to Bethany, the village where the family lived. Begin at Jesus and follow the road to meet Martha. Along the way, circle only shapes with four sides. They will tell you what Jesus said upon hearing that Lazarus had died. You can read this story in your Bible at John 11:1–45.
John 11:43

"Lazarus, come out!"
MARY

We always celebrate the feast of the Annunciation of the Lord during Lent. Just like the other people in our family of faith we’ve been reading about, Mary holds a special place in the life of Jesus and in our own lives. This past Wednesday we recalled how the angel of God told Mary she was to be the mother of the Savior. But this great honor would also come with great suffering and sorrow.

When Mary and Joseph presented the infant Jesus in the temple, Simeon told Mary that she would know seven great sorrows in her life. Four of them occurred when Mary followed Jesus on the way to the cross:

- Meeting Jesus on the way to the cross
- Jesus’ crucifixion
- Taking Jesus down from the cross
- Burying Jesus

These events must have made Mary very sad. Choose one of them and draw a picture of how you think Mary must have looked. When you face troubles or are very sad, say a prayer asking Mary to be with you just as she was with her son, Jesus.
Jesus’ friend Lazarus was dead. But at Jesus’ command, he became alive again. “Dead” is the opposite of “alive.”

Match the other words on the left to their opposites on the right with arrows as shown.

- Dead
- Sick
- Up
- Cold
- Inside
- Day

- Outside
- Alive
- Hot
- Well
- Night
- Down