

# Forty days in the desert

1st Sunday of Lent, Year B



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## Gospel

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He was among wild beasts, and the angels ministered to him.

After John had been arrested, Jesus came to Galilee proclaiming the gospel of God:

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Place ticks ✓ next to what you think are the right things to do. Place crosses ✗ next to the things you would be tempted to do.

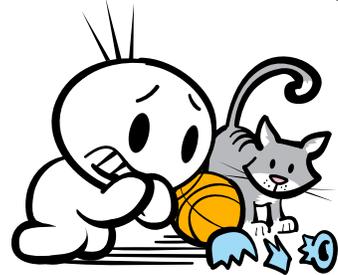
You see money lying on the ground at school



You forget to do your homework



You break your mom's favorite vase when playing basketball in the hallway



### What do you do?

- You pick it up and take it to a teacher.
- You use it to buy icecreams and chocolate for all your friends.
- You leave it where it is.

### What do you do?

- You tell the teacher that you left it on the bus.
- You pretend to feel sick so that you can get out of class.
- You tell the teacher that you forgot to do your homework.

### What do you do?

- You tell your mom that the cat knocked it over.
- You tell her that you knocked it over with your basketball.
- You glue it back together and hope that no-one notices.

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