

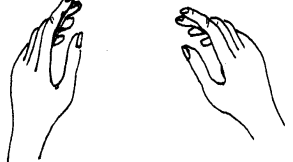



Match the words in this column	with the hands in this column
1. At the station, our hands say farewell	<input type="checkbox"/> 
2. The policeman's hand says "Stop"	<input type="checkbox"/> 
3. Two hands together pray to God	<input type="checkbox"/> 
4. In church, our hands say peace be with you	<input type="checkbox"/> 

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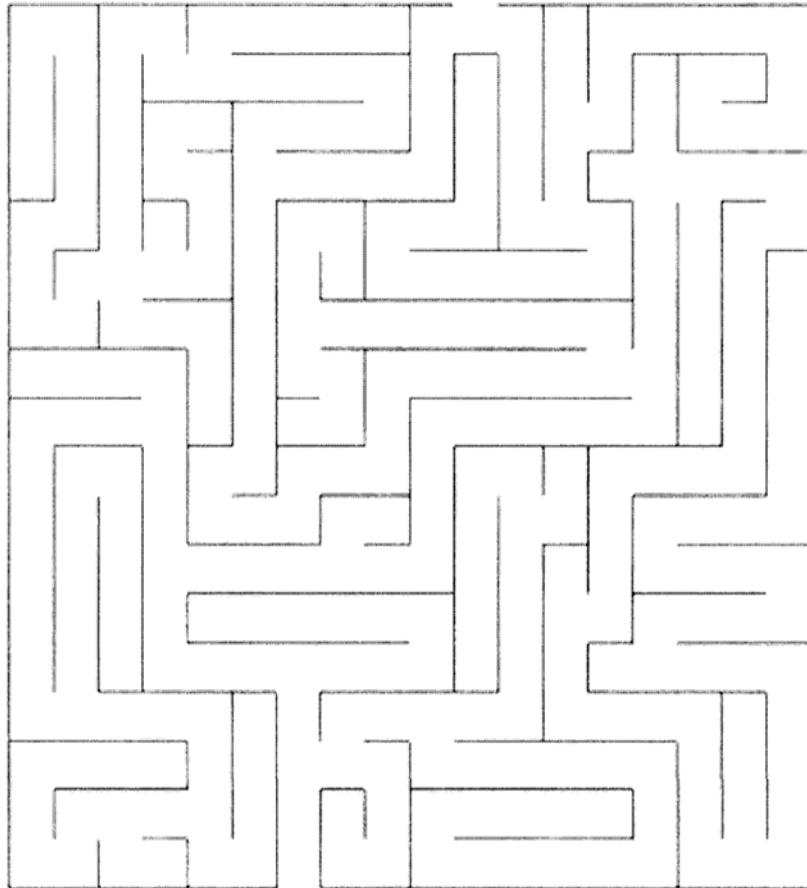
The Second Sunday of Easter 7 April, 2024

John 20:24-25

Now Thomas (called Didymus), one of the twelve, was not with the disciples when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, "We have seen the Lord!"

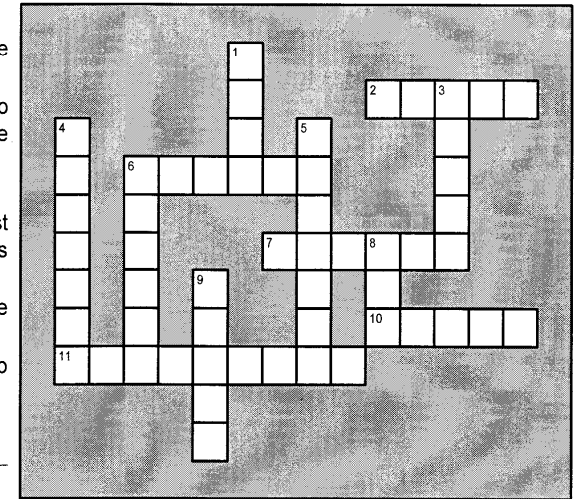
Dear Jesus, we have come into this house and gathered in your name today because we want to be with you. We have come to worship and praise your name. **Amen.**

Stop Doubting and Believe



Listen CAREFULLY to the Reading and fill in the blank spaces.
Afterwards you will be able to complete the crossword puzzle below.

- 6 down) Although _____ the Twin was one
- 6 across) _____ of the _____ disciples, he wasn't with the others
- 2 across) when _____ appeared to them. So they told him, "We have seen the Lord!"
- 1 down) But Thomas said, "First, I must see the _____ scars in his hands and touch them with my finger.
- 3 down) I must put my hand where the _____ went into his side.
- 5 down) I won't _____ unless I do this!"
- 11 across) A week later the _____ were together again.
- 10 across) This time, Thomas was with them. Jesus came in while the _____ were still locked and stood in the middle of the group.
- 7 across) He greeted his disciples and said to Thomas, "Put your _____ here and look at my hands!
- 9 down) Put your hand into my side. Stop doubting and have _____!"
- 8 down) Thomas replied, "You are my Lord and my _____!"
- 4 down) Jesus said, "Thomas, do you have faith because you have seen me? The people who have faith in me without seeing me are the ones who are really _____!"



Read the following sentence -- backwards -- to see what Thomas said to Jesus:

"!boθ γm bns bnoJ γM"

Put your answer below:

“ _____ !”



'BEYOND-DEATH' LIFE - HERE AND NOW!
 THAT SOUNDS CRAZY - HOW CAN 'BEYOND-DEATH' LIFE HAPPEN BEFORE WE'RE 'BEYOND-DEATH'?

Because Jesus is 'beyond-death' and he can give us his life.

HOW?
 If we really want his risen life, we can ask him into our present lives, and he'll come to us.

WHAT'S THE CATCH?
 There isn't one! There's nothing to stop us living the 'beyond-death' life straightaway.



WHAT KIND OF LIFE DOES GOD'S BREATH GIVE US?



THE EARLY CHURCH SHOWED JESUS' RISEN LIFE ...



WAS THAT JUST FOR THEM, OR CAN IT STILL HAPPEN?

LORD GOD, YOU HEAR MY QUESTIONS AND MY DOUBTS - THEY ARE ALL PART OF ME SEEKING YOU; LEAD ME TO A DEEPER UNDERSTANDING OF WHO YOU ARE AND WHERE WE ARE GOING TOGETHER. -AMEN-

MATTHEW 28:20
 JOHN 17:21
 1 TIMOTHY 4:12
 LOOK AT THESE
 1 PETER 2:12



Trace over the dots to write Jesus' message.

