



# Meeting #1: Disciples and Early Christian Church Homework



Anchoring in Christ Character Activity

Family Connection Worksheet: Patience

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Adventurer Pledge



Activity Book Page 1.

Completes requirements for Basic I.

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Disciple Worksheets

Complete the Disciple worksheets.  
Completes requirements for Disciples #1-7.

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## Meeting #1: God's Plan to Save Me

## Classwork



Be a Disciple

Participate in an act of kindness, such as preparing packages for the homeless, making a card for an elderly person, helping with the Bags of Love project, or other activity.

Completes requirements for Disciples #9.

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Sing a Disciple Song

Sing "There Were 12 Disciples" (Sing for Joy, p. 53) or other song about the Disciples.

Completes requirements for Disciples #8.

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Church History Activity

As a group put the provided pictures showing different important events in the history of the Christian church in the correct order. Optional: You and your child can learn more about the spread of the gospel and the history of the Christian Church from these links. **\*\*Attention Parents\*\*** The following links contain fascinating and accurate historical accounts. However, due to the persecution of Christians through the ages they include many troubling accounts and themes that your child may not be ready for. Always preview any audio or video links to ensure that you are comfortable with the content presented.

Lineage Journey

<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLAortNXplLTqL7xXwlONUUCOii2pbH8QIE>

The Great Controversy Free Audiobook

<https://www.thedesireofagesproject.com/free-gc-audio-book.html>

Completes requirements for My God I.

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# Family Connection

**OVERVIEW:** **Patience is a necessary part of life.** Instead of getting frustrated when you face a difficult situation, patience helps you respond the right way—without getting upset or losing your temper. This makes everyone's life better at school, at home, while driving in the car, or when checking out at the grocery store.

## Patience

**Definition:** Waiting without getting upset

### I WILL...

- Wait my turn.
- Not complain when I don't get my way.
- Accept what cannot be changed.
- Use my time wisely.
- Try and try again.

The monarch butterfly lives a life of patience. From eating to growing to changing to flying—it works while it waits to become what it was made to be.



### CHARACTER QUIZ:

1. Describe the kind of attitude you should have while you wait: \_\_\_\_\_
2. A patient person... a. cuts in line. b. takes his or her turn. c. nags and complains. d. gives up easily.
3. What are three ways a caterpillar/butterfly shows patience?  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_  \_\_\_\_\_
4. A patient person looks for something useful to do while he or she waits: TRUE? or FALSE?
5. When do you have to be patient at home? \_\_\_\_\_

# Pledge and Law



I. Recite the Adventurer Pledge and Law.

## Adventurer Pledge

“Because Jesus loves me,  
I will always do my best.”

## Adventurer Law

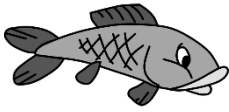
Jesus can help me to:

- Be obedient
- Be pure
- Be true
- Be kind
- Be respectful
- Be attentive
- Be helpful
- Be cheerful
- Be thoughtful
- Be reverent

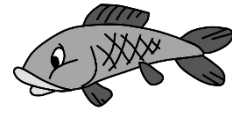
B. Explain the Adventurer Pledge.

\_\_\_\_\_ is a person who is especially  
(my name)  
designed and created by the Builder of the universe. He made  
\_\_\_\_\_ to be a Builder like He is. He has all kinds  
(my name)  
of special building projects planned just for me to enjoy. When I give my  
life to Him, He saves me from my sin, helps me find and follow His special  
plan for me, and promises to take me home to heaven with Him.

I explained the Adventurer Pledge to \_\_\_\_\_.



# Disciples



\*A disciple is one who is a student or follower and keeps the teacher's rules and sayings.

Name two sets of disciples that were brothers. (Matthew 10:2)

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- Which disciple was first called to follow Jesus? What did he do when he found out that Jesus was the Messiah? (John 1:35-42)

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- What did the disciples ask Jesus to do? (Luke 11:1)

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- Choose one of the 12 disciples \_\_\_\_\_

- Write down 3 things about him.

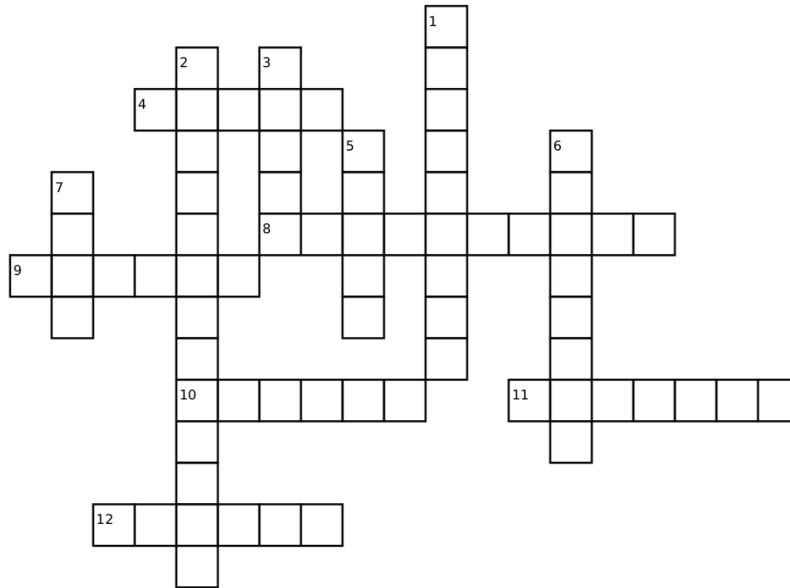
1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

3) \_\_\_\_\_

- Together read and then repeat "The Lord's Prayer." (Matthew 6:9-13)

# Disciples



## Down:

1. Philip found this disciple also known as Bartholomew sitting under a fig tree. (John 1:45-48)
2. Betrayed Jesus. (Luke 6:16)
3. The son of Alphaeus. (Mark 3:18)
5. The Zealot. (Luke 6:15)
6. Replace Judas Iscariot. (Acts 1:23-26)
7. The disciple who Jesus asked to care for his mother Mary. (John 19:26-27)

## Across:

4. Also known as Thaddaeus. Brother of James and author of the book of Jude. (Luke 6:16)
8. Jesus said this fishermen would be called 'the rock'. (John 1:42)
9. Asked Jesus to show him the Father. (John 14:8-9)
10. Simon Peter's brother and also a fisherman. (Matthew 10:2)
11. The tax collector or publican. (Matthew 10:3)
12. Doubted that Jesus had risen from the dead. (John 20:19-29)