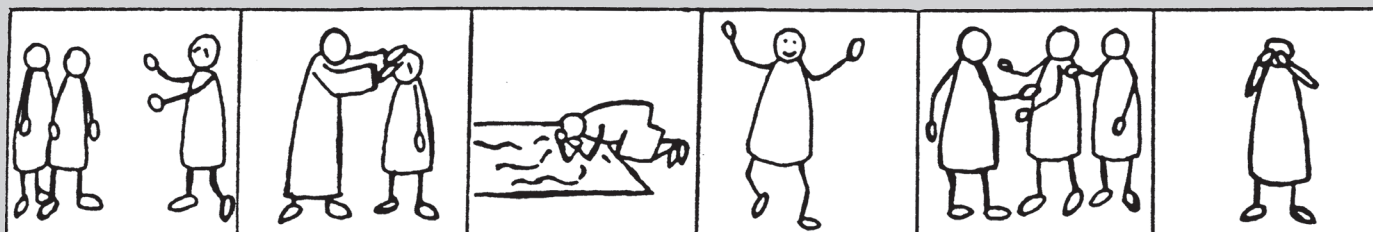


The man born blind



The pictures below are in the right order - but Can you match the right words to each picture?



Jesus and his disciples met a blind man.

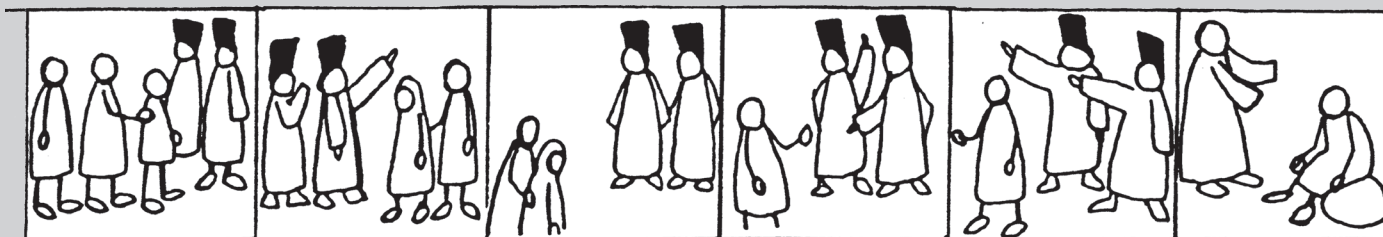
When he came back he could see.

Jesus made clay and put it on the man's eyes...

...and told him to go and wash in the pool of Siloam.

He said "The man called Jesus put clay on my eyes, and told me to go and wash, and I did, and I saw."

People asked him "How were your eyes opened?"



They took him to the Pharisees and sent for his parents.

...ask him. "So they did, and he said, "I've told you once, do you want to be his disciples too?"

"...If this man was not from God he couldn't have done it." The Pharisees threw him out of the synagogue.

Jesus found him, and told him who he was, and the man worshipped him.

His parents were afraid, and said "He is our son, but we don't know how he can see..."

When his parents came they said "Is this your son who was blind? How is it that he can see now?"

What they said about Jesus

(V24)
"Give glory to God."
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(V16)
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for he does not keep the Sabbath."

(V29)
"As for this fellow,
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(V25)
"this I know,
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(V33)
"If this man were not from God
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....."

(V38)
"Lord,
....."

(V16)
"how can a sinner
.....
....."

Find out what the Pharisees, the blind man and others said about Jesus - look in John chapter 9. These days people think different things about Jesus.

What do you think about him?

Some readings for next week: ...

Sunday	John 9	verses 1-3, 6-7
Monday		verses 8-12
Tuesday		verses 13-16
Wednesday		verses 17-21
Thursday		verses 24-27
Friday		verses 28-34
Saturday		verses 35-38

How do you think the blind man got to the pool of Siloam? He must have been very determined to do what Jesus told him to do. Are you determined to do what Jesus wants? Friday's reading says that no-one had ever heard of a blind man being able to see. Can you think of anyone?

Open my eyes ...

Materials: You will need a rectangular piece of card - cutting down a sheet of A4 to 29.7 x 14.8 cm works well.

Fold the two short edges to the centre

Write the words and draw the eyes.

