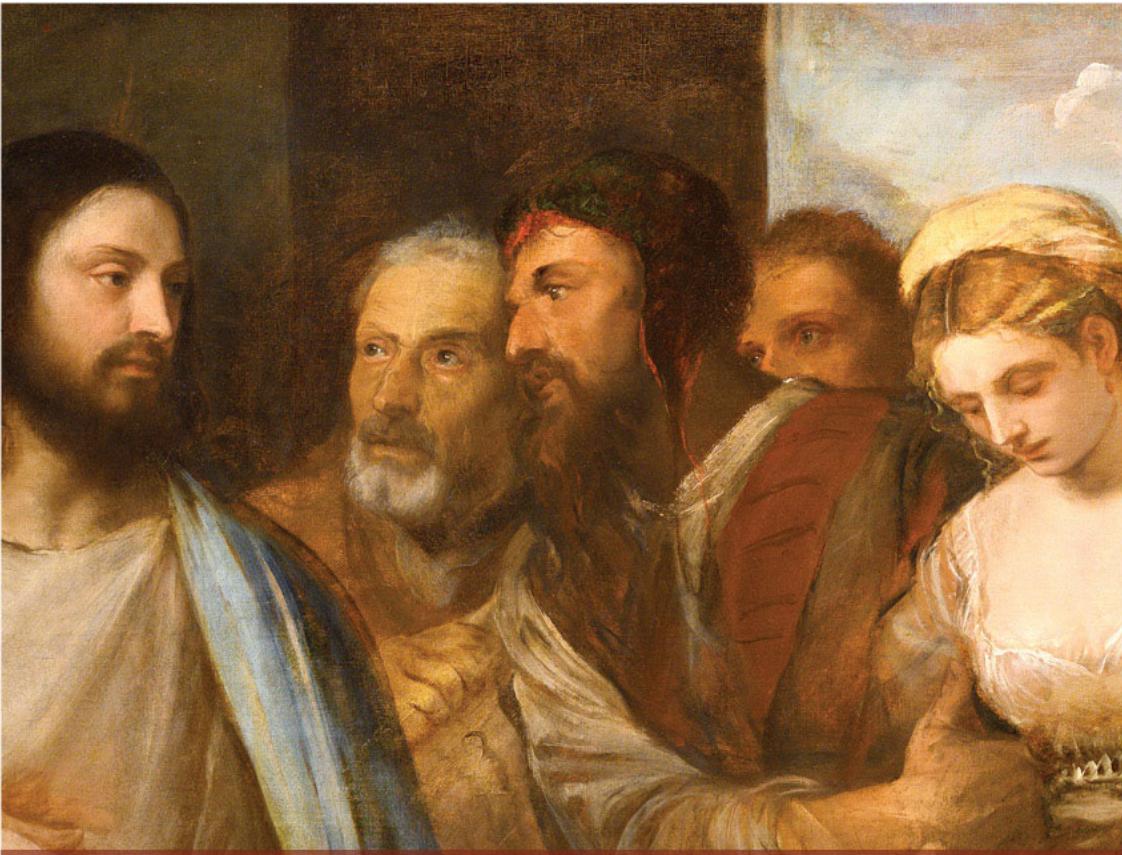


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## *Kid's Bulletin*



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**SUNDAY, APRIL 6, 2025**

### **5<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT**



Jesus bent down and began to write on the ground with his finger. But when they continued asking him, he straightened up and said to them, "Let the one among you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." - Jn 8:6b-7

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# How Does Jesus Treat Sinners?



In the Old Testament, God gave His people rules that said they should punish the people who sinned. That's why in today's Gospel the Pharisees and scribes brought a sinful woman to Jesus to see what He had to say about the law.

Instead of telling them that they should punish her according to the law, Jesus told them that they should only punish her if they themselves had never sinned.



Sometimes we hear about a sin that someone else did. God does not want us to be mean to that person because of what they did. Does that mean that they didn't do a sin? No. Jesus told the woman to go and not sin again. That means that she did sin, but He was giving her another chance. We should try to be merciful like Jesus, and we should be kind to sinners

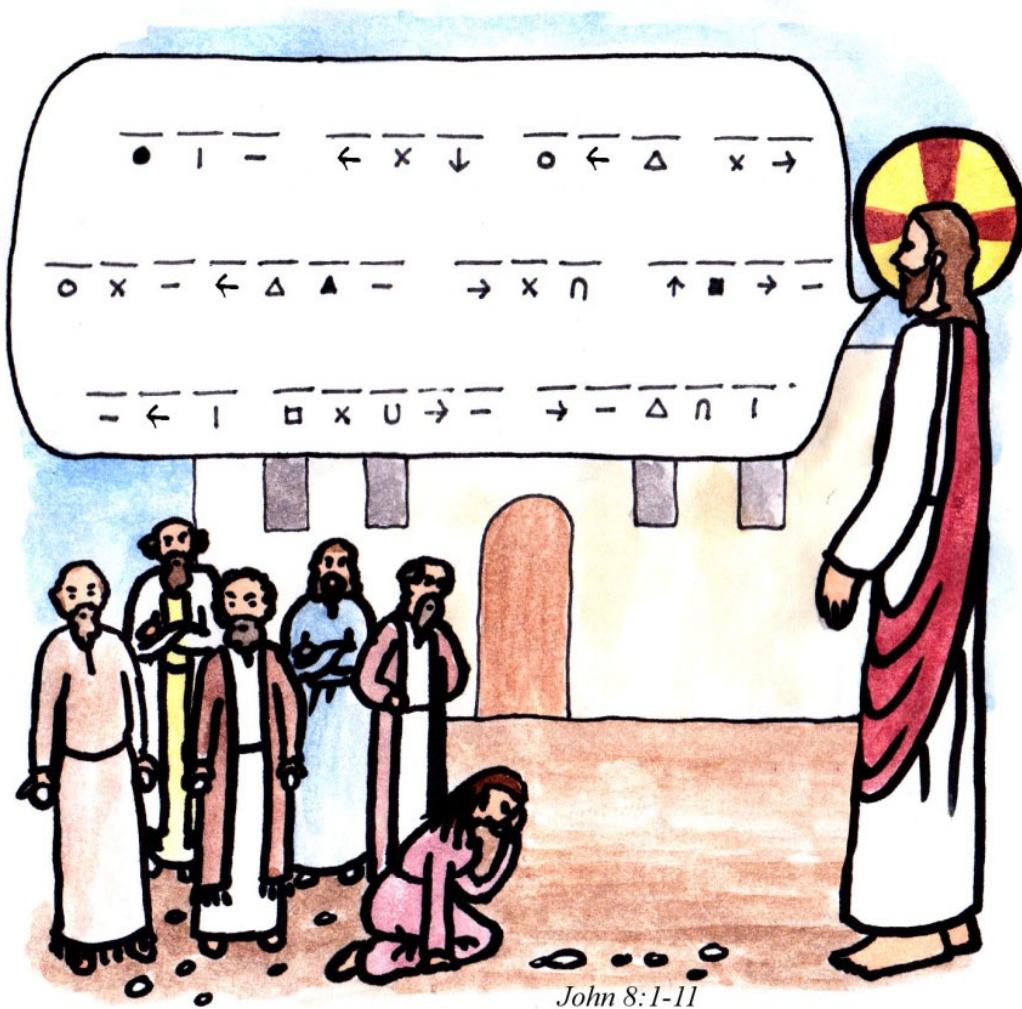
because we are sinners too.



Answers: front: "Let him who is without sin cast the first stone.  
1. True 2. False 3. True 4. True  
5. False 6. True 7. True  
Answers to True or False:

# The Kids' Bulletin

Fifth Sunday of Lent  
April 6th, 2025



*In today's Gospel, the Pharisees ask Jesus whether they should obey their law and stone a woman who was a sinner. What did Jesus say to them? Use the code to find out!*

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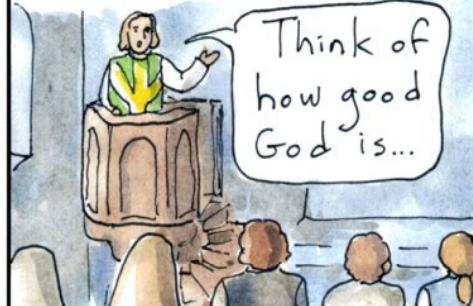
# Saint Stanislaus of Krakow

## April 11

STANISLAUS WAS BORN TO NOBLE PARENTS IN POLAND IN 1030. HE RECEIVED A GOOD EDUCATION.



HE WAS ORDAINED A PRIEST AND BECAME A GREAT PREACHER.



SOON THE POPE MADE STANISLAUS THE BISHOP OF KRAKOW.



KING BOLESLAUS WAS VIOLENT AND KIDNAPPED A MAN'S WIFE.



STANISLAUS TOLD HIM TO REPENT. FOR A WHILE THE KING SEEMED TO.



BUT WHEN THE KING RETURNED TO HIS EVIL WAYS, SAINT STANISLAUS EXCOMMUNICATED HIM.



WHEN HIS SOLDIERS REFUSED, THE KING HIMSELF KILLED SAINT STANISLAUS WHILE HE WAS SAYING MASS.

SAINT STANISLAUS WAS NOT AFRAID TO TELL THE KING WHEN HE WAS DOING SOMETHING BAD, EVEN THOUGH IT PUT HIS LIFE IN DANGER. WE CAN BE LIKE HIM BY PRAYING FOR OUR GOVERNMENT AND NOT BEING AFRAID TO TELL THE TRUTH EVEN IF THE GOVERNMENT IS WRONG.

# True or False?

*In today's Gospel reading the scribes and Pharisees brought a sinful woman in front of Jesus.*

*Do you know the rest of the story? See if you know which of these statements are true and which are false:*

1. The law said that a sinful woman like this one should be killed. True or False?
2. The men were going to stone the woman anyway- they didn't care what Jesus thought. True or False?
3. Jesus didn't say anything right away; He just started writing on the ground with His finger. True or False?
4. Jesus said that whichever of the men had never sinned should be the first to throw a stone at the woman. True or False?
5. One of the men threw a stone at her. True or False?
6. All of the men walked away without throwing a stone. True or False?
7. Jesus forgave the woman and told her not to sin anymore. True or False?



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They said this to test Jesus, so that they could have some charge to bring against Him. Jesus bent down and began to write on the ground with His finger. But when they continued asking Him, He straightened up and said to them, "Let the one among you who is without sin be the first to throw a stone at her." Again He bent down and wrote on the ground. And in response, they went away one by one, beginning with the elders. (John 8:6–9)

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# Mass Quiz

5th SUNDAY OF LENT

SUNDAY

Today is the 5th Sunday of Lent. Pay close attention during Mass, then answer these questions:

1. What color did the priest wear this Sunday? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Did you notice anything different in your church from the other Sundays in Lent? \_\_\_\_\_

3. Which book of the Bible was the First Reading from?

- a. Isaiah              b. Ezekiel              c. Jeremiah

4. Which book of the Bible was the Second Reading from?

- a. Hebrews              b. Romans              c. Philippians

5. What did your parish say or sing instead of "Alleluia" before the Gospel reading? \_\_\_\_\_

6. Which book of the Bible was the Gospel Reading?

- a. Matthew              b. Mark              c. Luke              d. John

7. What did Jesus do in the Gospel?

- a. Saved a woman from being stoned  
b. Raised Lazarus from the dead  
c. Preached and told the people about the voice of his Father

**BONUS #1:** NEXT Sunday is the last Sunday in Lent. What is its name? \_\_\_\_\_

**BONUS #2:** The WEEK following the last Sunday in Lent is called what? \_\_\_\_\_



# Lenten Adventure Week 5

## 5th Sunday of Lent

Two reading options: Year C (or Year A Scrutinies)

### MASS QUIZ

1. Violet or Purple
2. All the statues and the crucifix are covered with purple cloth
3. A (or B)
4. C (or B)
5. The most common is "Praise to You, Lord Jesus Christ, King of endless glory!"
6. D
7. A (or B)

BONUS #1: Palm Sunday

BONUS #2: Holy Week

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**

- The color vestments the priest is wearing are...

*(circle your answer!)*



RED



GREEN



VIOLET



ROSE



WHITE

- The first reading is from the book of

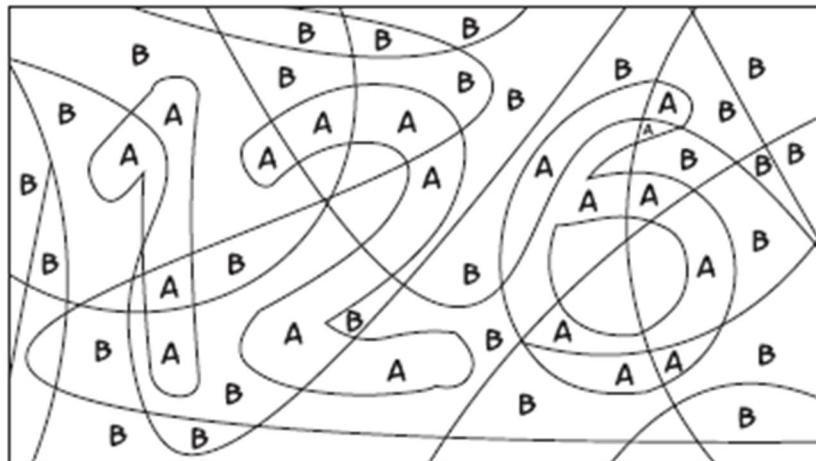
Isaiah

- The Responsorial Psalm:

*Reveal this week's Psalm number by coloring in ONLY the letter A.*

"The Lord has done great things for us; we are

Filled with joy."



- The Second Reading is from

Philippians

- The Gospel according to

John

"Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?"

She replied, "No one, Sir." Then Jesus said,

"Neither do I condemn you.""



# GROWING WITH THE Gospel

CYCLE C



## COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.



5th Sunday of Lent • John 8:1-11