

OUR SAVIOUR LUTHERAN CHURCH · FAMILY BIBLE STUDY

The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

While You Color · Late Elementary · For the Parent

For the parent: say these as your child colors. No need to go in order. Just talk.

- See Jesus touching the man's ears? The man cannot hear, and he can hardly speak.
- Jesus takes him aside, away from the crowd, to be alone with him.
- Jesus puts His fingers in the man's ears and touches his tongue.
- He looks up to heaven and says, 'Ephphatha.' That means, 'Be opened.'
- Right away the man's ears are opened. His tongue is set free, and he speaks plainly.
- The people are amazed. 'He has done all things well,' they say. 'He even makes the deaf hear.'

Ask: What did Jesus say to open the man's ears?

Answer: 'Ephphatha,' which means, 'Be opened.'

When the picture is done, pray the Trinity 12 collect together.