

Activities:

Complete the sentences with the following words:

Jesus – soup – eaten – candle

The pumpkin was created by God to be _____.

The family made a delicious _____.

She lit a _____.

She prayed.

Connect each word to its corresponding path.

Path Word

<i>Pray</i>	 <i>Light</i>
<i>Fear</i>	 <i>Light</i>
<i>Help</i>	 <i>Fear</i>
<i>Cast a spell</i>	 <i>Fear</i>
<i>Love</i>	 <i>Light</i>
<i>Discover a saint</i>	 <i>Fear</i>
<i>Mock</i>	 <i>Light</i>
<i>Forgive</i>	 <i>Light</i>

Where does the word "Halloween" come from?

The word Halloween comes from English.

In the past, people used to say "All Hallows' Eve".

"Hallow" is an old English word meaning "holy".

"All Hallows" therefore means "all the saints".

"Eve" means "eve," that is, the evening before a celebration.

All Hallows' Eve therefore means:

★ "All Saints' Eve".

Over time, the expression has become shorter and transformed:

All Hallows' Eve → Hallowe'en → Halloween The word Halloween therefore literally means "the eve of All Saints' Eve".

For Christians, All Saints' Day, celebrated on November 1st, is first and foremost a feast dedicated to all the Saints and to the joy of living with God.

Match the words and their meanings:

Hallow	The day before
Eve	All the saint
All Hallows	Holy
Halloween	The eve of All Saints' Day

IS THE PUMPKIN AFRAID?

Circle the correct answer.

Had the pumpkin done something wrong?

Yes-No

Does God love his Creation?

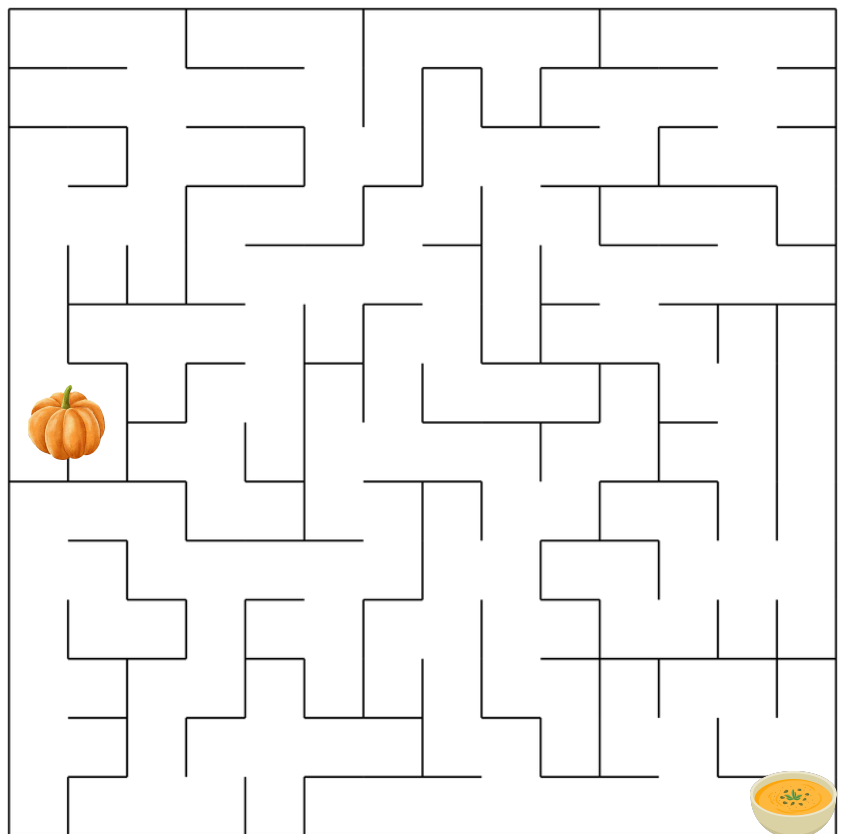
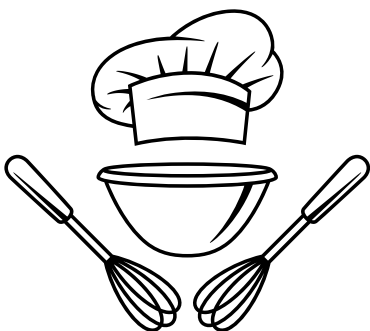
Yes-No

Does Jesus want us to live in fear?

Yes-No

Is it possible to have a nice party without scaring
others? Yes-No

*Quickly help Pumpkin find its
way to the kitchen to make a
nice soup!*



A Little Bible Exercise

Deuteronomy 18:10-12:

“Let no one be found among you who sacrifices their son or daughter in the fire, who practices divination or sorcery, interprets omens, engages in witchcraft, or casts spells, or who is a medium or spiritist or who consults the dead. Anyone who does these things is detestable to the Lord, and because of these abominable practices the Lord your God is driving out those nations before you.”

What does God ask his people not to practice?

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"Why do you think God asks us not to seek these things?"
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A short prayer to say together

Lord Jesus, Light of the world, protect us from all
darkness.

Keep our hearts and our homes away from everything that
is not of You.

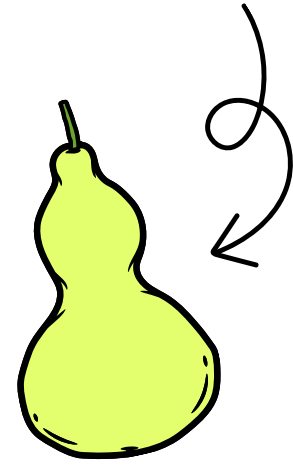
Amen.

Spot the 12 Differences



Look carefully at the two images and
find the 12 differences that are hidden between them!

The calabash, a cousin of the pumpkin!



Pumpkins and Calabashes: Curious musical instruments!

Match the description to the correct instruments:

The Kora is made from a large half-gourd, 40 to 60 cm in diameter, hollowed out and pierced with a 10 cm diameter hole; it is found in Africa! It is covered with a stretched, wet parchment-like cowhide (or goatskin).

The Mandolin: It is a small stringed instrument in the lute family, with a domed soundbox.

The Jejo Cythare is decorated with micro-engravings; it comes from Madagascar.

The Classical Guitar is made from a gourd.

The Maracas: For percussion, the gourd is kept whole. Either the seeds dry inside to create a natural rattle, or the craftsman weaves a net of beads or shells all around the bark.

The Pumpkin Drum is an ephemeral musical instrument because the flesh of the pumpkin rots and does not become as hard as wood as other gourds!

