

THE NEWS IS IN!!



Update your website with a story about John the Baptist and the coming of Jesus. Start with a short headline, for example, "Wild Man in Wilderness!" Now add a "photograph"—your drawing—of John. Finally, write a few sentences to tell your story about John.

Living the Good News
3rd Sunday of Advent – B



EXPLORE GOD'S WORD

**"God sent
his messenger,
a man named John."**

(John 1:6, Good News Translation)

- * Do you remember John's special message? It's hidden in the center of this puzzle.
- * Use the clues to fill in the blanks.
- * You can find clues in your Bible. (See Mark 1:1-8 and John 1:6-8, 19-28.)

1. They asked, "Are you _____?" (John 1:21)
2. "Are you the _____," they asked. (John 1:21)
3. "I am not the _____." (John 1:20)
4. John the Baptist's bug food! (Mark 1:6)
5. What Jesus wore on his feet (John 1:27)
6. What John does with water (John 1:26)
7. John appeared in the _____. (Mark 1:4)
8. "They _____ their sins." (Mark 1:5)

9. The river where John was baptizing (John 1:28)
10. John's clothes were made of _____. (Mark 1:6)
11. "God will _____ your sins." (Mark 1:4)
12. John was God's _____. (John 1:6)
13. John came to tell people about the _____. (John 1:7)



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Answer Key: 1. Elijah;
2. Prophet; 3. Messiah;
4. locusts; 5. sandals;
6. baptize; 7. desert;
8. confessed; 9. Jordan River;
10. camel's hair; 11. forgive;
12. messenger; 13. light.