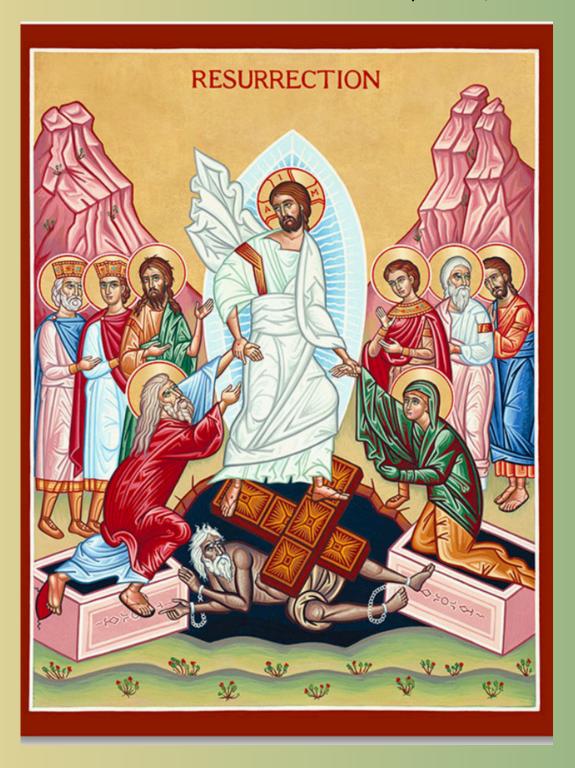
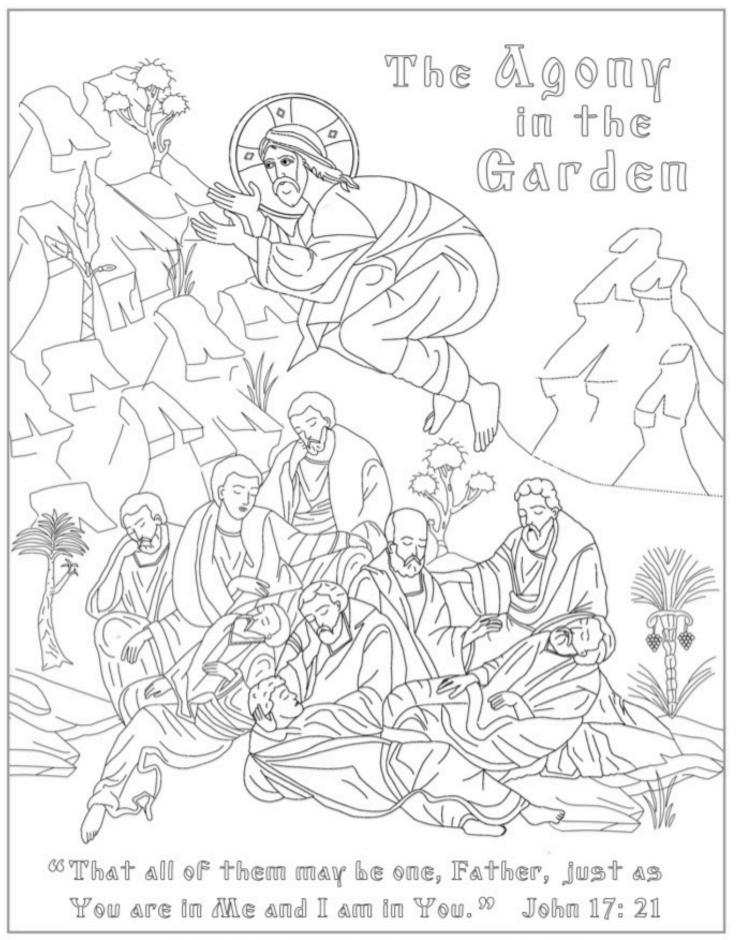
### Pascha The Resurrection of our Lord

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## Coloring Icons



# Acts 1:1-8

IN THE FIRST BOOK, THEOPHILUS, I DEALT WITH ALL THAT JESUS DID AND TAUGHT

3HE PRESENTED HIMSELF ALIVE TO THEM BY MANY PROOFS AFTER HE HAD SUFFERED, APPEARING TO THEM DURING FORTY DAYS $_{\underline{*}}$  AND SPEAKING ABOUT THE KINGDOM OF GOD. $_{\underline{C}}$ 

4WHILE MEETING WITH THEM, HE ENJOINED THEM NOT TO DEPART FROM JERUSALEM, BUT TO WAIT FOR "THE PROMISE OF THE FATHER $_{\underline{}}$  ABOUT WHICH YOU HAVE HEARD ME SPEAK; $_{\underline{D}}$ 

5FOR JOHN BAPTIZED WITH WATER, BUT IN A FEW DAYS YOU WILL BE BAPTIZED WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT."  $_{
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6WHEN THEY HAD GATHERED TOGETHER THEY ASKED HIM, "LORD, ARE YOU AT THIS TIME GOING\* TO RESTORE THE KINGDOM TO ISRAFL?"

 $7_{\underline{*}}$  He answered them, "It is not for you to know the times or seasons that the father has established by his own authority.

8<u>\*</u> BUT YOU WILL RECEIVE POWER WHEN THE HOLY SPIRIT COMES UPON YOU, GAND YOU WILL BE MY WITNESSES IN JERUSALEM, THROUGHOUT JUDEA AND SAMARIA, AND TO THE ENDS OF THE EARTH."

### <u>John</u> 1:1-17

In the beginning: was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.a 2He was in the beginning with God. 3: All things came to be through him, and without him nothing came to be.b

What came to be

4through him was life, and this life was the light of the human race;c

5: the light shines in the darkness,d

and the darkness has not overcome it.

6. A man named John was sent from God.

7He came for testimony,\* to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him.f

8He was not the light, but came to testify to the light.g

9The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world.h

10He was in the world,

and the world came to be through him,

but the world did not know him.

11He came to what was his own,

but his own people: did not accept him.

12: But to those who did accept him he gave power to become children of God, to those who believe in his name,

13<sub>° j</sub> who were born not by natural generation nor by human choice nor by a man's decision but of God.

14And the Word became flesh:

and made his dwelling among us,

and we saw his glory,

the glory as of the Father's only Son,

full of grace and truth.k

15. John testified to him and cried out, saying, "This was he of whom I said, 'The one who is coming after me ranks ahead of me because he existed before me.'"

16From his fullness we have all received, grace in place of grace,\*

17because while the law was given through Moses, grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.m



#### Gospel: John 1: 1-17

Today's Gospel tells us a lot about Jesus Christ. Choose a word to fill in the blanks.

G	In the beginning	was the	·
			(God Word Light)
G	In him was life, and the life was the		of men
			(God Word Light)
G	But to all who received him, who believed in his name, he gave power to become children of		
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## John 1:1-17

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Jesus Christ

Generation

**Darkness** 

John

Testimony

Became

Only Son

God

Light

Grace

Flesh

Word

Beginning

Believe

# Prayer before Communion

O LORD, I BELIEVE AND PROFESS THAT YOU ARE TRULY CHRIST, THE SON OF THE LIVING GOD, WHO CAME INTO THE WORLD TO SAVE SINNERS OF WHOM I AM THE FIRST.

ACCEPT ME TODAY AS A PARTAKER OF YOUR MYSTICAL SUPPER, O SON OF GOD, FOR I WILL NOT REVEAL YOUR MYSTERY TO YOUR ENEMIES, NOR WILL I GIVE YOU A KISS AS DID JUDAS, BUT LIKE THE THIEF I PROFESS YOU: REMEMBER ME, O LORD, WHEN YOU COME IN YOUR KINGDOM.

REMEMBER ME, O MASTER, WHEN YOU COME IN YOUR KINGDOM.

REMEMBER ME, O HOLY ONE, WHEN YOU COME IN YOUR KINGDOM.

MAY THE PARTAKING OF YOUR HOLY MYSTERIES, O LORD, BE NOT FOR MY JUDGMENT OR CONDEMNATION BUT FOR THE HEALING OF SOUL AND BODY.

O LORD, I ALSO BELIEVE AND PROFESS THAT THIS, WHICH I AM ABOUT TO RECEIVE, IS TRULY YOUR MOST PRECIOUS BODY AND YOUR LIFE-GIVING BLOOD, WHICH, I PRAY, MAKE ME WORTHY TO RECEIVE FOR THE REMISSION OF ALL MY SINS AND FOR LIFE EVERLASTING. AMEN. O GOD, BE MERCIFUL TO ME, A SINNER. O GOD, CLEANSE ME OF MY SINS AND HAVE MERCY ON ME. O LORD, FORGIVE ME FOR I HAVE SINNED WITHOUT NUMBER.

## **Items to Remember**

