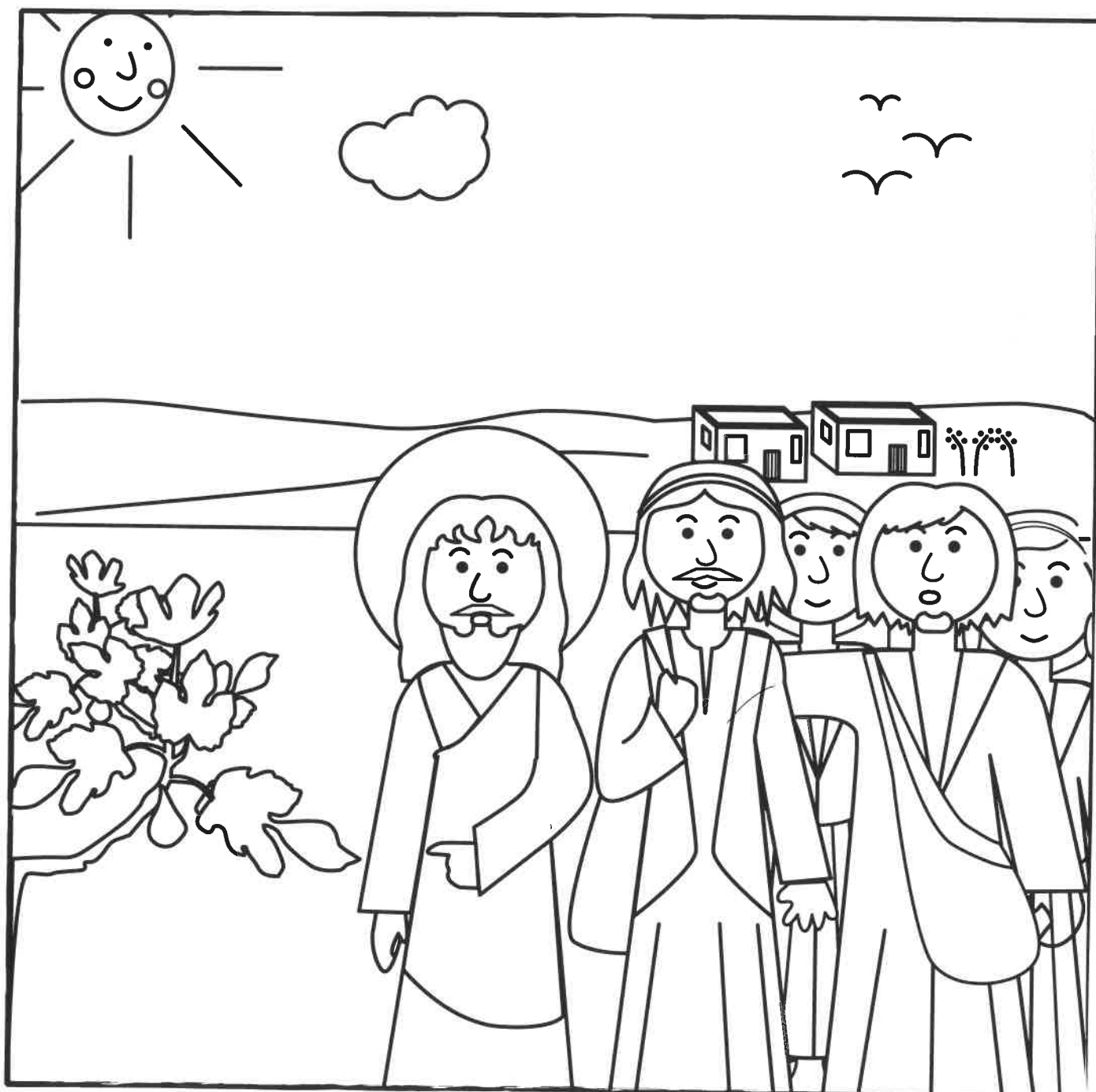


Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Lesson of the Fig Tree (Mark 13:24-32)



'Let the fig tree teach you a lesson. When its branches become green and tender and it starts putting out leaves, you know that summer is near.' (Mark 13:28)