

Dear parents/guardians/grandparents,

This month we are looking at the symbol of the grapevine.

The Beginner's Bible does not have every story in it. In your packet is a booklet with Jesus' story about the grapevine it. Please read it together.

- I wonder how we stayed joined together.
- I wonder what good fruit we make.
- I wonder how much joy being together gives us.
- I wonder how you feel being together with those who love you.

In the church year, we are coming to a new season soon: the Season of Lent. It starts March 2. During this time, people often take the time to be introspective. This is a big word that means to look at your own thoughts and feelings; to look at who you are. Jesus did this shortly after He was baptized. In the packet is a letter for your child to fill out about themselves for themselves.

Being part of the grapevine means being part of a larger community. In the packet is another letter for your child to fill out introducing themselves to another person. There is also a stamped envelope to return this letter to the church. Any letters returned will be given to an adult in the Tuesday Bible Studies for them to introduce themselves back to your child. I will send the return letter. In this way, our community can get to one each other a little better.

Also in the packet are some brown pipe cleaners and grape leaves and grapes. You can create your own grapevine in your house. Who all are the branches of your grapevine? What fruit does everyone have? Is someone really loving? Another extra helpful? Anyone super kind? Tape the fruit on their branch. Write their names on the leaves.

-Brenda

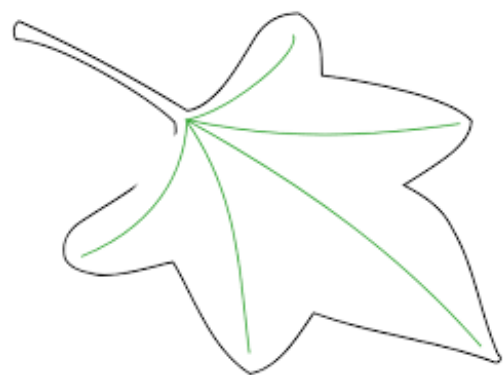
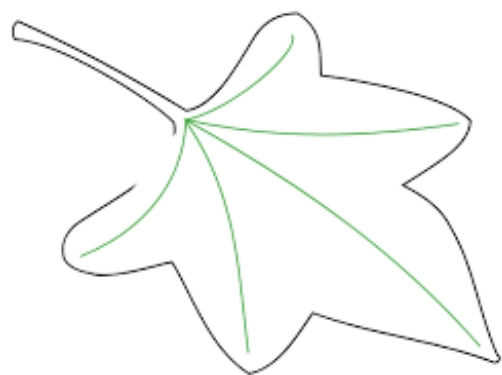
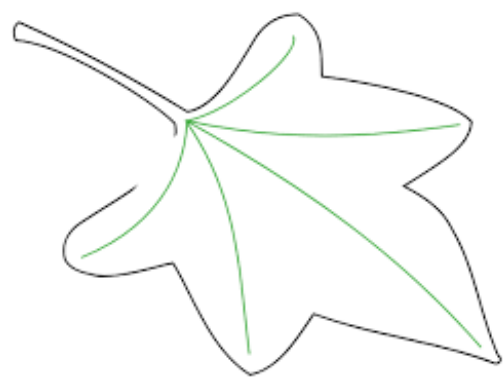
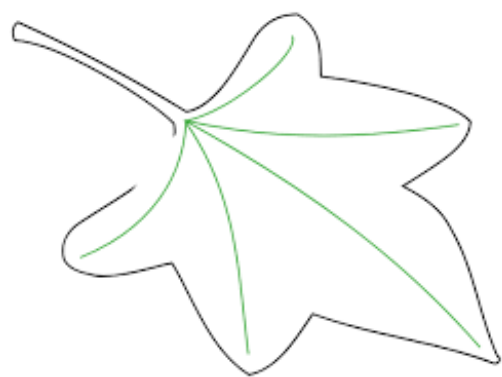
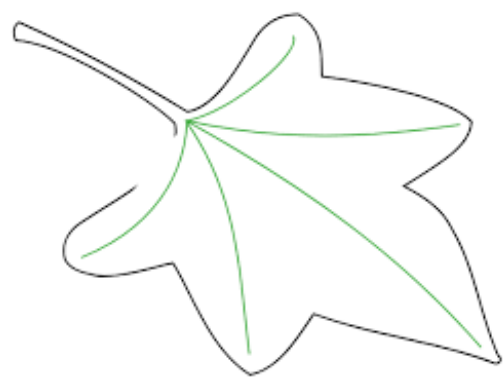
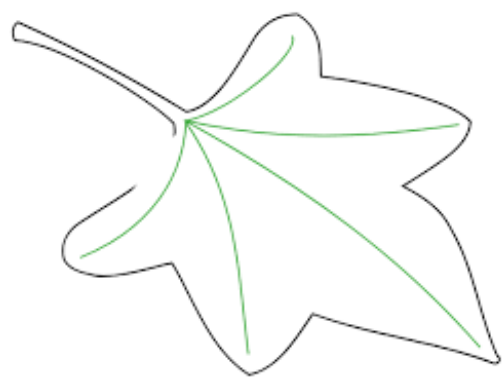
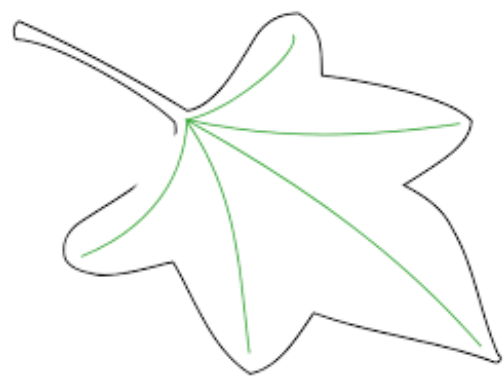
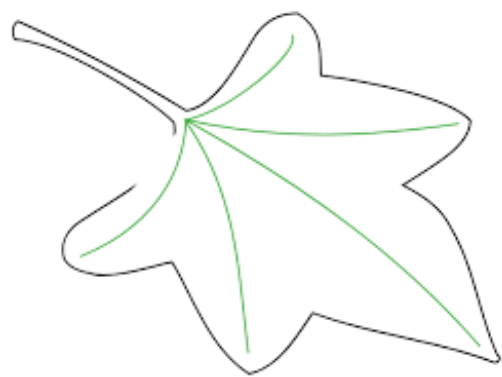


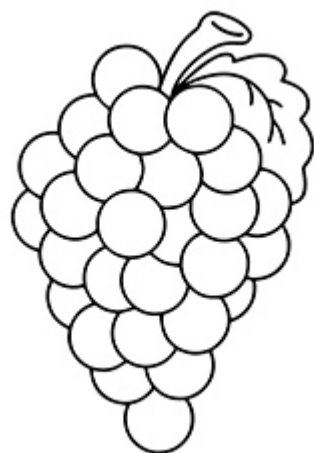
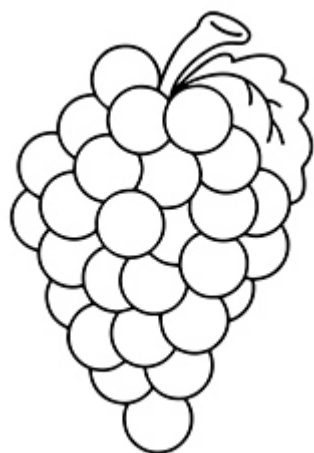
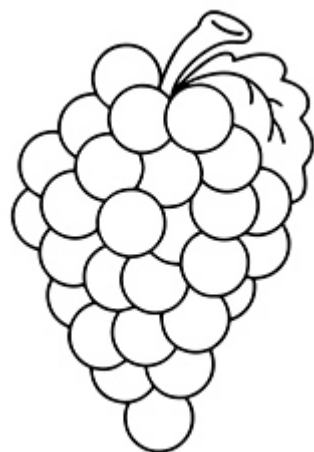
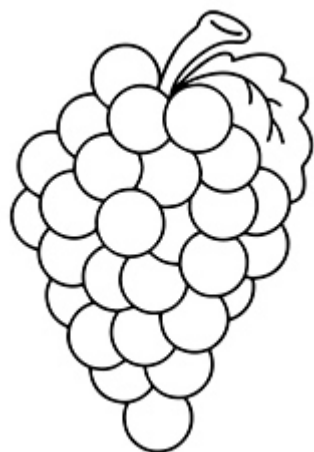
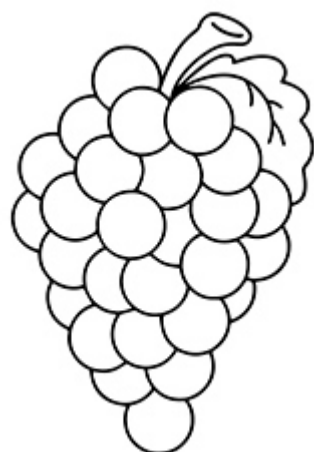
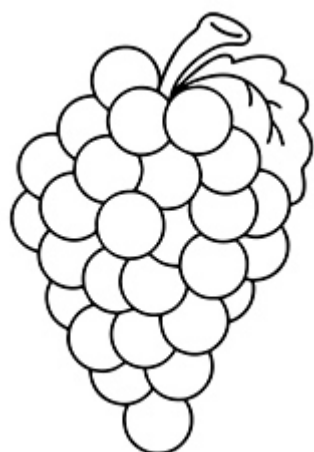
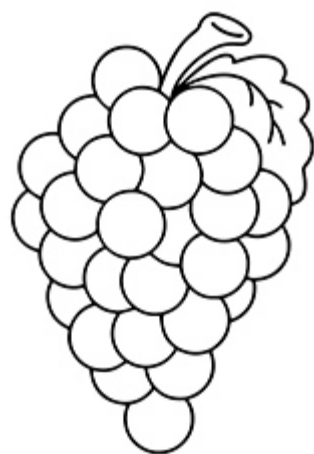
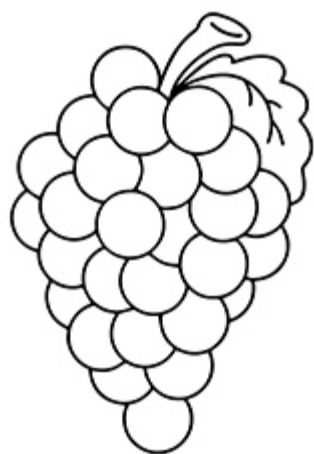
I Am the True Vine

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VINE BRANCH FRUIT PRUNES
 WORD HOME PLENTY THROWN
 FIRE BURNT GLORY DISCIPLES







To ME

From ME

I am _____ years old.

My favorite food is _____. My favorite color is _____.

My favorite book is _____. My favorite sport is _____.

My best memory is _____.

What I love most about myself is _____.

The people who love me are _____.

I have or want to have the following pets: _____.

My friend's names are: _____.

If I had three wishes, I would wish for:

_____, _____,

_____.

That is who I am today.

Introducing Myself

Dear fellow vine dweller,

We are learning about being part of Jesus' vine in Church

School. My name is _____. I am _____ years old. I

have _____ brothers and/or sisters. I am in _____ grade.

I enjoy learning about _____. I have the most fun

when I _____. The one thing that I want

people to know about me is _____. What

are you learning in your Bible class? Please tell me about

yourself.

Sincerely,
