

Date	Day	Colour	Theme
18 October 2020	St Luke's Day	Red	St Luke

Bible verse: - Luke 10:1-9

In this chapter and verses of Luke, 70 (or 72) disciples are sent out two by two to preach the Good News of the Kingdom of God to all those they meet. St Luke is not thought to be one of them. He may not have become a follower of Jesus until after the death and resurrection of Jesus - like his contemporary St Paul. St Luke went on some missionary journeys with Paul. One of these journeys ending in a shipwreck. You can read about this in the book of Acts 27:27 – 28.

The picture, or symbol, for St Luke is that of a winged ox. St John has an eagle, St Mark a lion and St Matthew has the face of a person. These symbols have lots of meaning and are thought to have come from another book in the bible called Revelation.

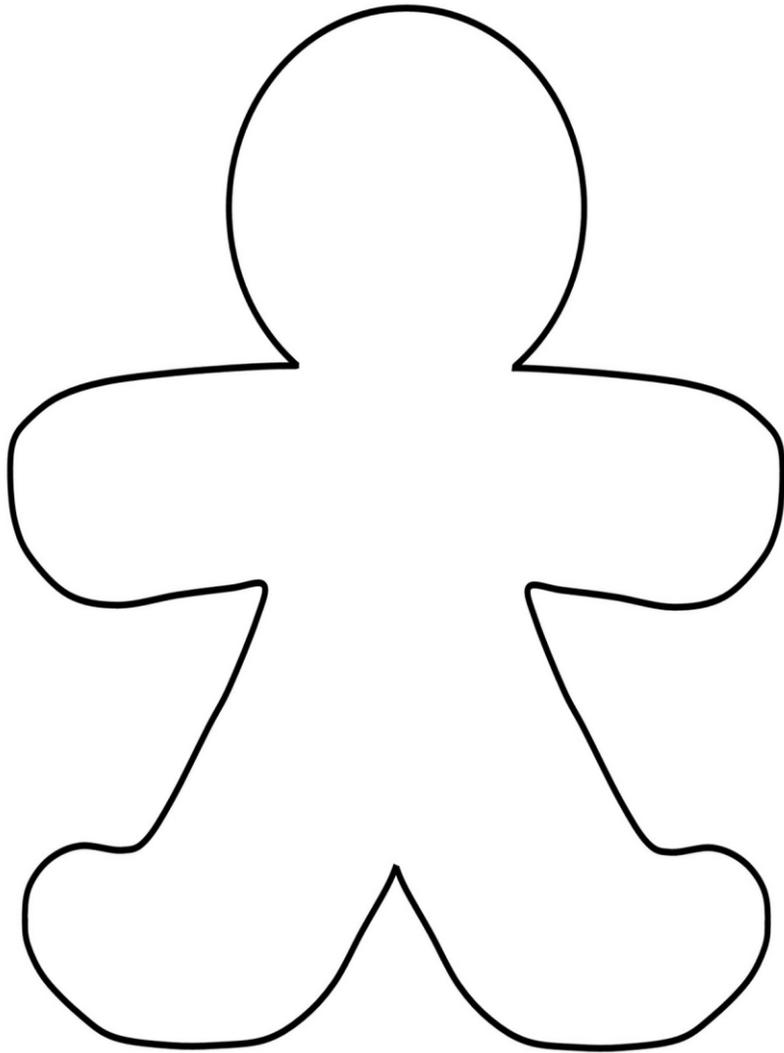
St Luke has given his name to one of the books of the bible – The Gospel of St Luke. He is thought to have written another book called the Acts of the Apostles. The book of Acts tells us about the time that God sent his Spirit after Jesus rose from the dead on that first Easter Day.

We think that St Luke was a clever man because St Paul calls him a physician which is another word for doctor and that he helped people get better in their bodies and in their spirits but most of all he helped people get to know what God is like and encouraged them to learn more about God. Just as in the year 2020 we hope to encourage you to get to know God better by praying, helping others and reading your bible by yourself or with a grown up who can help with big words.

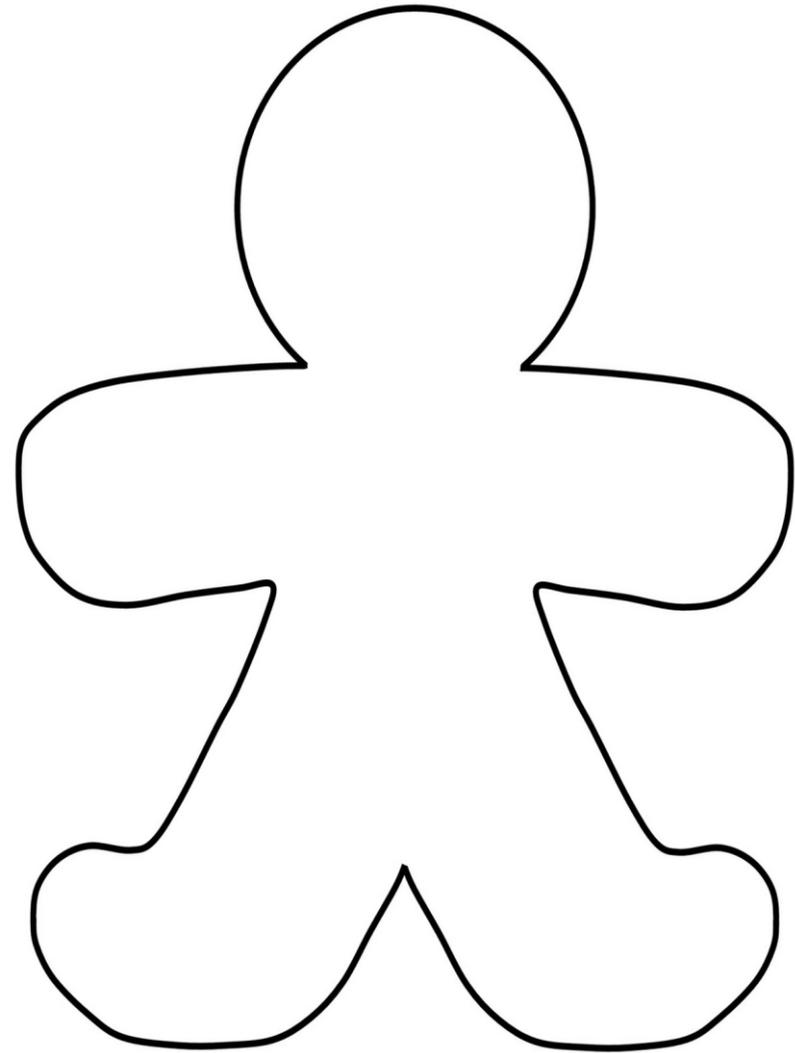
#### Further Activities

- 1) Watch the Children's Church video for this week. Read the story from the Bible.
- 2) Have you made a prayer corner yet?
- 3) Say a prayer for someone you know who isn't well.
- 4) Colouring sheet by Stushie Art

5) I'd love to see photos if you're allowed to email them in. Ask your parents to help you. The address is:-  
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We ought always to thank God for you, because ...



...the love all of you have for one another is increasing.