

# Year C - 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

## Luke 14:25-27

*Jesus Christ God's Son is Saviour - the ICHTHYS symbol*



### Background:

In the early church the Ichthys symbol (fish) was used to identify where disciples of Jesus could meet (there is an example on the next page). These days, you might see it on a car sticker or on a keychain or necklace that followers of Jesus might use. Many modern day disciples use it to remind themselves to give everything they've got to follow Jesus.

This craft give the children an opportunity to make one of these symbols to keep somewhere as a reminder to follow Jesus. There are a couple of options for this.

### Options 1

#### You will need:

- paint pens or sharpies
- rocks

#### Instructions:

Show the children the symbol and invite them to draw it on a rock.



### Options 2

#### You will need:

- pipe cleaners
- beads (optional)

#### Instructions:

Show the children the symbol

Have the children bend the pipe cleaner in half (thread beads on at this stage if using).

Then, at about two-thirds of the way from the bend, twist the pipe cleaner to attach. Turn out the ends to form the tail.



