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Philip and Nathanael

Philip found Nathanael and told him, "We have found the one Moses wrote about in the Law, and about whom the prophets also wrote - Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph."

John 1 v45 (New International Version)

In today's gospel we hear how, after he had been baptised, Jesus began calling his disciples. One of the first people to follow Jesus was Philip. After he had met Jesus, Philip went to Nathanael to tell him about Jesus. Philip was excited and wanted to share his good news. At first Nathanael sounds a little unsure and said, "Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?" However when he meets Jesus and talks to him, he says, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God; you are the king of Israel."

Philip wanted to share his good news with his friend. What good news could you share with someone this week? Write or draw it in the box below.

The word *gospel* comes from the Old English words *god spel* which means

