## **Hands That Heal**

Jesus has compassion on those who are ignored by society.

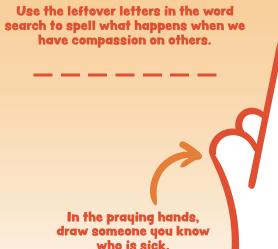
Draw a line to help each leper find his tent. Circle the leper who still needs a tent.

"Jesus said unto him, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment. And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbour as thyself" (Matthew 22:37-39).

Circle the words from Mark 1:41 in the word search. Then write them in order in the blanks below to complete the verse.

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who is sick. Then pray for Jesus to heal that person.



## Mark 1:40–45; Luke 17:11–16 (paraphrased)

As far back as Old Testament days, people with the disease of leprosy were called unclean and treated as outcasts. They were unwelcomed in cities and around other folks. Leprosy caused terrible sores all over their bodies, and people were afraid to touch lepers for fear of contracting this painful, ugly sickness.

Most lepers stayed far away from people because they did not want anyone pointing at them, calling them names, and running away from them. So when a leprous man ran up to Jesus one day and blocked His path, Jesus took notice.

The man knelt and said, "I know You can heal me and make me clean if You want to."

Jesus' heart was touched; He had compassion on the man. Jesus said, "Yes, I want to help you." Jesus reached out and touched the leprous man. "Be healed," Jesus commanded. Immediately the man's sores disappeared. The man was healed. He went on his way and told everyone.

Another time, ten lepers met Jesus as He was entering a village. They cried out, "Master, have mercy on us."

Again Jesus had compassion, which is care and concern, for them. He said, "Go show yourselves to the priests." As the men obeyed, they were healed.

