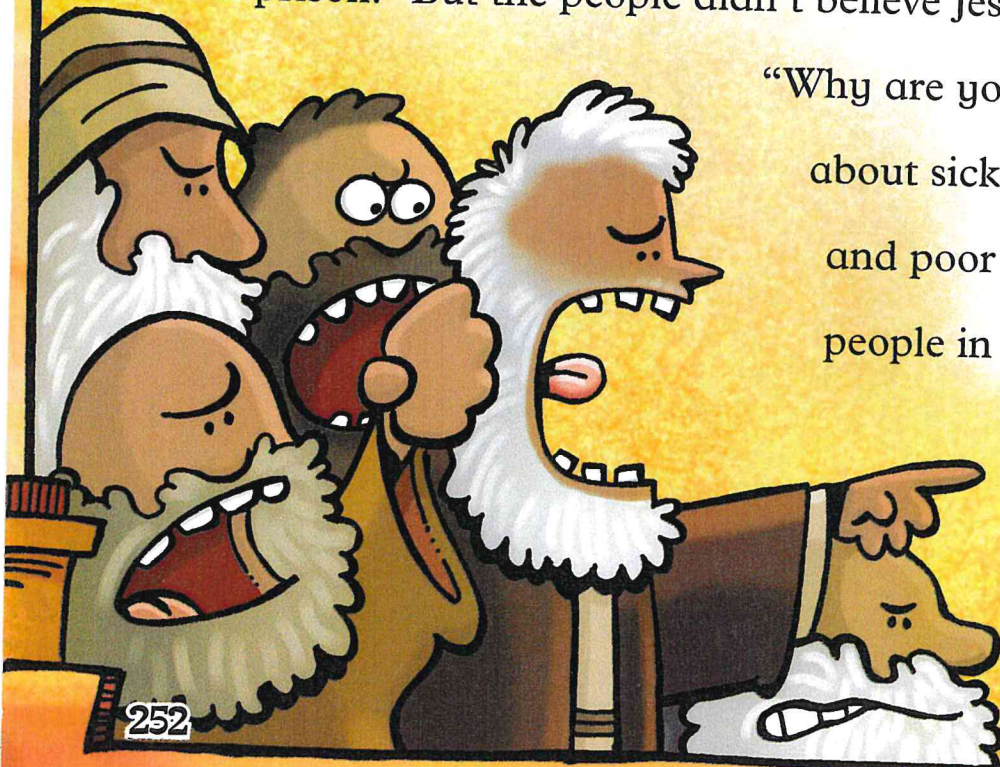


Jesus Goes to Nazareth

Jesus went to synagogues, holy places where people worshipped, to teach people about God. He went to synagogues all over—even in his hometown, Nazareth. Jesus told the people, “I was sent to tell you that God loves you and poor people and sick people and people in prison.” But the people didn’t believe Jesus’ words.

“Why are you talking about sick people and poor people and people in prison?”



Everyone knows that God doesn't care about them," they said.

"I am here to show you that God's way is love for all people!" said Jesus.

The people began to grumble. Their grumbling grew to shouting. Their shouting turned to shoving. Their shoving turned to chasing Jesus out of the synagogue.

"Go away Jesus!" Jesus went away from there, but he kept on telling people and showing people about God's love.

★ Think of someone who is sick. Pray for that person to know God loves him or her.

