Faith Stuff



Did'ja Know?



Some ancient cultures used paper money, just like we do today. Most of that happened in China though — they were way ahead as far as that goes.

Color That Stuff

Color the picture of Jesus teaching.







Actual image of a Roman coin!

Some of the leaders of the church tried to trick Jesus into saying something wrong. They said, "You know God is the ruler of the world. So is it right to pay taxes to the Emperor?"

Jesus knew they were trying to trick him. "Whose image is on this coin?"

"The Emperor's," they said.

"Then give the Emperor what belongs to him," Jesus said.
"But whose image is on everyone and everything else in the whole world?" he asked.

The leaders looked at each other. "You mean, um...God's?"

Jesus nodded. "Exactly! So if you believe God is the ruler of the world, you need to take care of all the things that belong to God."

The leaders frowned. They had not tricked Jesus. Instead, Jesus had reminded them of the things they were doing wrong themselves! They didn't like this one bit.



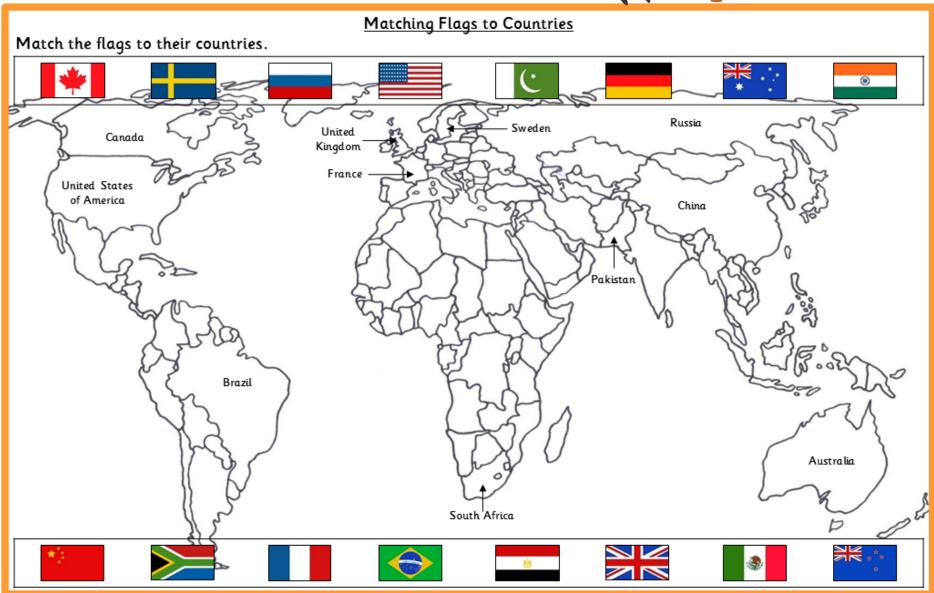
Emperor

The leader of Rome long ago.



Follow That Map









How many images of presidents or leaders of countries can you find when you're out and about? Put down that smartphone and look out the windows when you're riding to see how many images you can find!



This week ask your parents or another trusted person about taxes. It's nobody's favorite subject for sure, but it's something that all of us have to pay when we grow up.