

OUR PURPOSE



*Loving God
Welcoming All
Serving Neighbors
Together through
Jesus Christ*

DAILY DEVOTIONALS

Sun., Oct. 29 - **EPHESIANS 3:14-21** *Water, Weed, Wait*
 Mon., Oct. 30 - **PSALM 32:8-11** *Turbulent Waters*
 Tue., Oct. 31 - **1 JOHN 5:1-5** *Gifts of Love*
 Wed., Nov 1 - **PSALM 56:1-13** *Talking to God*
 Thu., Nov. 2 - **ROMANS 12:1-2** *Small Corrections*
 Fri., Nov 3 - **MATTHEW 1:18-25** *This Will Be a Sign*
 Sat., Nov 4 - **ROMANS 10:11-17** *God of All*

Visit www.upperroom.com for more information.

OFFICE INFORMATION

GENERAL QUESTIONS & PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

Please contact the office at 301-349-2010, office@pmumc.org, or visit www.pmumc.org

PHONE MESSAGES

Voicemails are sent electronically to designated email accounts.

EMERGENCIES

For immediate pastoral care, please email PastorTim@PMUMC.org

CHURCH GIVING

AVERAGE WEEKLY GIVING *(last 8 weeks)*
\$7,391.05

WAYS TO GIVE:

- **PLACE** in Offering Plate when entering/exiting Worship Service
- **MAIL** to Memorial's PO Box 358
- **DROP** in Memorial's secured mailbox next to entrance
- **ELECTRONICALLY** via PMUMC.org

CHURCH PERSONNEL & CONTRIBUTORS TO WORSHIP

PASTOR - Rev. Timothy A. Dowell

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ORGANIST - Linda Custer

BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR - Becky Smalley

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ALTAR GUILD/SACRAMENT STEWARD - Janet Spiker

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ACOLYTE COORDINATOR - Roy Melton

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AUDIO/VIDEO - Tim Melton, Kevin Schramm

NURSERY - Stephanie Parker, Sierra Waterman-Wells

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Addison S., Aubrey S. Evie S., Izzy S.

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*Twenty-Second Sunday after Pentecost
October 29, 2023*



QED



A special welcome to our guests today! Your visit is a blessing and we are glad you are here! As we gather, take time to relax and prepare your heart to listen for God through today's time of prayer, song, and scripture study.

* = Please stand in your heart or posture. **UMH** = United Methodist Hymnal. **TFWS** = The Faith We Sing.
Italicized, BOLD Text = recite out loud

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC
 Medley of Hymns

Amanda Lyon

Worship Service
 Isabel S., Acolyte

WELCOME—Introductions and Prayer

PRELUDE MUSIC

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Amanda Lyon
 by Redman/Myrin/Tornquist

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

led by Ralph Hitchens

LEADER: Which commandment in the law is greatest?

PEOPLE: **Love your God.**

LEADER: And the second?

PEOPLE: **Love your neighbor as yourself.**

LEADER: Love

PEOPLE: **with all your heart.**

LEADER: Love

PEOPLE: **with all your soul.**

LEADER: Love

PEOPLE: **with all your mind.**

LEADER: Love

PEOPLE: **with all your strength.**

LEADER: On these commandments hang all the law and the prophets.

PEOPLE: **Blessed are those whose delight is in the law of our God**

"Call to Worship: Greatest Commandment." Spacious Faith, 13 September 2017, <https://spaciousfaith.com/>. Accessed 24 October 2023.

***OPENING PRAYER**

led by Ralph Hitchens

God of grace and glory, we have come here together to rejoice, to worship, to love and to serve. Help us love you with all our hearts, souls and strength. Empower us to shine your light of love to the world around us, so that the world will know you live. In Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

Howard, Michael. "Prayers for the Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost (October 26th, 2014) —

Michael Anthony Howard." Michael Anthony Howard, 21 October 2014, <https://michaelanthonyhoward.com/>. Accessed 24 October 2023

***OPENING HYMN**—*God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian*

UMH 648

FIRST READING—*Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18*

Nicole Lewis

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

ANTHEM—**CHANCEL CHOIR**

dir by Janet Hartz
 by Temple/Hayes

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

SECOND READING—*Matthew 22:34-46*

Rev. Timothy Dowell

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON—*QED*

Rev. Timothy Dowell

***HYMN OF RESPONSE**—*More Love to Thee, O Christ*

UMH 453

OFFERING (Offering Plates in Spurrier Hall)

Rev. Timothy Dowell

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Rev. Timothy Dowell

***DOXOLOGY**—*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

UMH 95

***THE LORD'S PRAYER**

UMH 895

***CLOSING HYMN**—*O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee*

UMH 430

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Timothy Dowell

PASTOR APPRECIATION

Jim Hardter

POSTLUDE MUSIC

Amanda Lyon
 by Jack Hayford

Majesty

Memorial's Small Groups - To connect with a group, please email...

- **Adult Sunday School** (hybrid)- Fred at cfredlyon@gmail.com
- **Youth Sunday School** (in-person)- Dianna at mdmccgrews@aol.com
- **Review/Preview with Pastor Tim** (zoom)- PastorTim@pmumc.org
- **Men's Group** (hybrid)- Ray at RLHoewing@gmail.com
- **Youth Group** (in-person)- Betty at bking21710@gmail.com
- **Have a calling to start a new small group?** Contact Pastor Tim or call the church office.



SCHEDULE	NOVEMBER 5	NOVEMBER 12	NOVEMBER 19
LITURGIST	Ray Hoewing Betty Jean Selby	Kirsten Lewis Erin Smeller	Nicole Lewis Bob Bachman
ACOLYTE	Nicole L.	Addison S.	Chloe D.



The Poolesville American Legion Post's 247 will be conducting a

Veteran's Day Ceremony at Whalen Commons

Saturday, November 11th beginning at 10:50 am.

All are welcome to attend to honor past and present Poolesville area residents, as well as all of our country's men and women, who have served in one of the armed forces of the United States of America during peace time and war time.

From the Baltimore-Washington Conference:

Seeking a Youth Representative from the Washington Region

The Young People's Ministry Board is in need of a youth representative from the Washington region. The board traditionally meets 3-4 times a year via Zoom and their next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 9, 7pm. Members of the board engage in discussion on the conference's [strategic plan](#), make recommendations on tactical and practical ways to reach goals, and review YPM Missional Innovation grant applications and select projects to fund (that's the topic for the Nov meeting). If you have a youth in mind for this role, please contact Rev. Tammi Brantley, District Youth Coordinator at tammi.brantley@eumc-md.org.

Nov. 4 (7am)—Country Breakfast

Host site: Mount Olive, 2927 Gillis Falls Rd., Mount Airy

The Country Breakfast will be served buffet style from 7-11am. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$5 for children under 10. For more information, contact Lead Pastor, Rev. Mele Aho (mtmp_aho@hotmail.com).

Nov. 11 (9am)—Lisbon UMC Annual Holiday Bazaar

Host site: Lisbon UMC, 15875 Frederick Road, Lisbon

Featuring handmade candies, huge bake table, silent auction, assorted gifts, Christmas items, artisan soap, and much more! Please join us for a delightful day of fellowship, food and fun. Come find your treasure!

Nov. 11 (9am) — Holly Days Craft Bazaar and Luncheon

Host site: Wesley Grove UMC, 23614 Woodfield Road, Gaithersburg

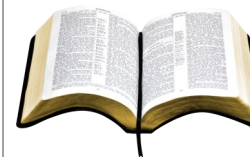
Join us as we usher in the Holiday Season with our annual craft bazaar! 30 crafters will be selling their wares from candles and soaps to ornaments and wreaths to linens and photographs to beautiful gift baskets of all shapes and sizes, plus a whole lot more. Homemade soups, sandwiches, and baked goods will also be available for purchase throughout the day.

Weekly Saying...

***Don't let anyone rent space
in your head unless they're a good tenant.***

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

SUN - OCT 29 <i>22nd Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 4 - 4:45 pm 5 - 6:30 pm	Sunday School - Rm 1, 2, 3, 4, (6 & Zoom for Adults) Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service - Sanctuary/YouTube Set-Up Trunk-or-Treat - Whalen Commons Community Trunk-or-Treat - Whalen Commons
MON - OCT 30	4:30 - 6 pm 7 - 8:30 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32009 - Room 1 Bell Choir Rehearsal - Spurrier Hall Grieving with Hope Group - Room 6
TUE - OCT 31	6 - 7 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 Meeting - Room 1
WED - NOV 1	7:30 - 9 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Room 8
THU - NOV 2	7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm	Review/Preview w/Pastor Tim - ZOOM Zumba Class - Fellowship Hall
SAT - NOV 4	1 - 4 pm	Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry - On Location
SUN - NOV 5 <i>All Saints Sunday</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Sunday School - Rm 1, 2, 3, 4, (6 & Zoom for Adults) Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service - Sanctuary/YouTube
MON - NOV 6	7 - 8:30 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Bell Choir Rehearsal - Spurrier Hall Grieving with Hope Group - Room 6
TUE - NOV 7	6 - 7 pm 7 - 8 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 Meeting - Room 1 Men's Group Meeting - Room 6
WED - NOV 8	7:30 - 9 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Room 8
THU - NOV 9	12 - 4 pm 7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Infestation Control Quarterly Service - Entire Bldg Review/Preview w/Pastor Tim - ZOOM Zumba Class - Fellowship Hall IOOF #97 Meeting - Room 6
FRI - NOV 10	6 - 8 pm	PENDING - PHS Boys Soccer Banquet - FH
SAT - NOV 11	1 - 4 pm 4 - 9 pm	Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry - On Location Private Party - Fellowship Hall
SUN - NOV 12 <i>24th Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Sunday School - Rm 1, 2, 3, 4, (6 & Zoom for Adults) Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service - Sanctuary/YouTube



Up-Coming Week's Scripture Readings

Joshua 3:7-17 • Psalm 107

1 Thessalonians 2:9-13 • Matthew 23:1-12



Gather (9:15 a) + Class (9:30a) = MORE SUNDAY SCHOOL FUN!
and lets parents get to Adult Sunday School (9:15 am/Rm 6)
 Each week “Gathering Time” will be different—craft, singing, game, video, etc.



Backpack Bites Packing will be monthly.

Delivery to PES and MES will be each Thursday. To help visit:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/805094AA8A82CA75-44957977-backpack>

Food Donations of the following items are needed: Plain instant oatmeal, Canned vegetables, Single serve fruit cups, Treats (granola bars, cheese crackers), 8 oz shelf stable low-fat milk, Rice (1 lb bag), Pasta (1 lb), Mac & Cheese (box), Peanut Butter (16 oz), Dry Beans (1 lb), Canned Tuna, Canned Chicken. Questions reach out to Catherine Beliveau at crbeliveau@gmail.com.



Community Trunk-or-Treat - TONIGHT, 5-6:30pm
Whalen Commons—Set-up 4-4:45pm.

We will be hosting this fun event in conjunction with St. Peter’s Episcopal Church. All are invited to come walk around and enjoy the evening! If you have questions, please contact Dianna at mdmcgrews@aol.com or 301-349-2261.



Men’s Group Meetings—1st and 3rd Tuesdays—Room 6 at 7pm

We are starting to read “Play the Man: Becoming the Man God Created You to Be,” by Mark Batterson. If you need a copy of the book, contact the office.



Medical Equipment Loaner -

Our ministry to assist those in our community with temporary medical equipment needs

To donate or request equipment, contact Eleanor at 301.461.7898.



HOLIDAY GIVING

This year WUMCO asked that we share our giving with the same families for both Thanksgiving and Christmas. So, this year we will be providing Thanksgiving Baskets along with Christmas Dinner and gifts to 8 families. Donations for Thanksgiving Baskets items will

start with a paper sign-up that will be available next Sunday after worship service. As of 11/6/2023, it will be transferred over to Sign-Up Genius. The items we are needing include: 12-15 lb. Turkeys, Potatoes (5lb bag or box of instant), Stove Top Stuffing, Turkey Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Green Beans, Rolls, Apple or Pumpkin Pies, Whipped Cream.



Grieving with Hope Class-

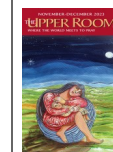
Loving and Learning Together while Coping with Loss. This small group is for anyone suffering a loss of any kind. Mondays through Nov 13 from 7-8:30 pm in Rm 6. Any questions, please reach out to Betty King at bking21710@gmail.com



Review/Preview
Study Sundays’ Scriptures
with Pastor Tim,
 Thursdays @7pm on Zoom. For link email pastortim@pmumc.org.
NO prep required!



Bring Joy -
Join the Choir! -
 Wednesday Rehearsals,
 7:30-9pm in Rm 8.
 Contact Janet Hartz with questions
 at gjalaska@verizon.net.



Sep/Oct Upper Room
 Daily Devotionals are available outside on the bench & inside on the table under Church Office window.



Our Nursery Is Open!
 (6mo-4yr)
 10:15-11:45 am
 Room 5

Friendly Thrift Shop

DONATE. SHOP. HELP
 Wednesdays & Fridays, 2-8pm
 Thursdays & Saturdays, 10am-4pm

PMUMC along with all the other churches/organizations that volunteer, receive generous monetary donations from sales generated at the Thrift Shop which go to help fund our ministries. Your donations make a difference!



GREETERS NEEDED!
 Signup at the base of steps.
 Email questions to bjspike@verizon.net.



Memorial Garden Waterers Needed!
 Sign Up by visiting at www.SignUpGenius.com and then search using office@pmumc.org



Need a Ride
 to a church event?
 Email Scott.McGrew@aol.com or office@pmumc.org



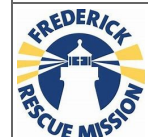
Christian Education
 •Behind-the-Scenes Helpers
 •Classroom Aides
 To help, email Dianna at mdmcgrews@aol.com.



Thank you
Amanda Lyon
 for being out
 accompanist today!



Send prayer request to
prayers@PMUMC.org



Thank you
 to all those that made
 last night’s dinner at The Frederick Rescue Mission a success!



We will be hosting our **next Community Dinner** on Wed, December 6. Keep your



Get another hour of sleep next weekend!
“Fall Back”
Sunday, November 5th

God said, "Do not hate anyone in your heart."

Use the code to fill in the missing letters.

♡ = h ♥ = n ♡ = o ♣ = r ♥ = v

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♡ ♥ ♡ ♣

_ _ e i g _ _ b _ _ .
♥ ♡ ♡ ♣



Children's Worship Bulletin™



Ages 3+

October 29, 2023 • Leviticus 19:1-4, 15-18



Be Holy

God said to Moses, "Speak to the people. Tell them to be holy, because I am holy."

Find the hidden letters in the picture. H O L Y



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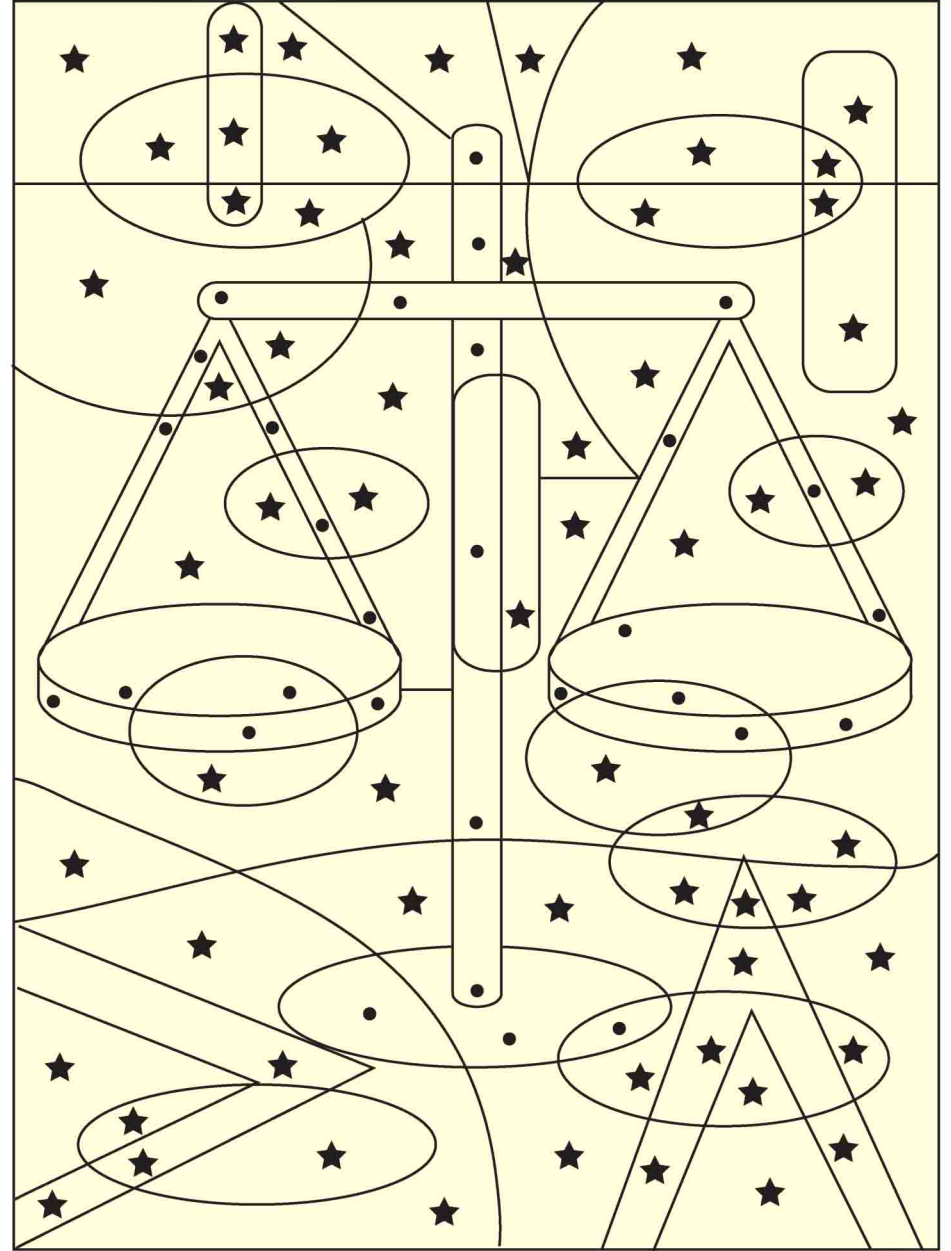
God said, "Respect your mother and father."

Finish the picture.



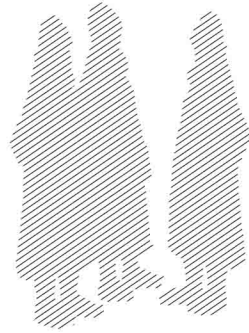
"Judge your neighbor fairly."

Shade in the spaces with a • .



The Pharisees did not know what to say.
They did not ask any more questions.

Match the pictures to the shadows.

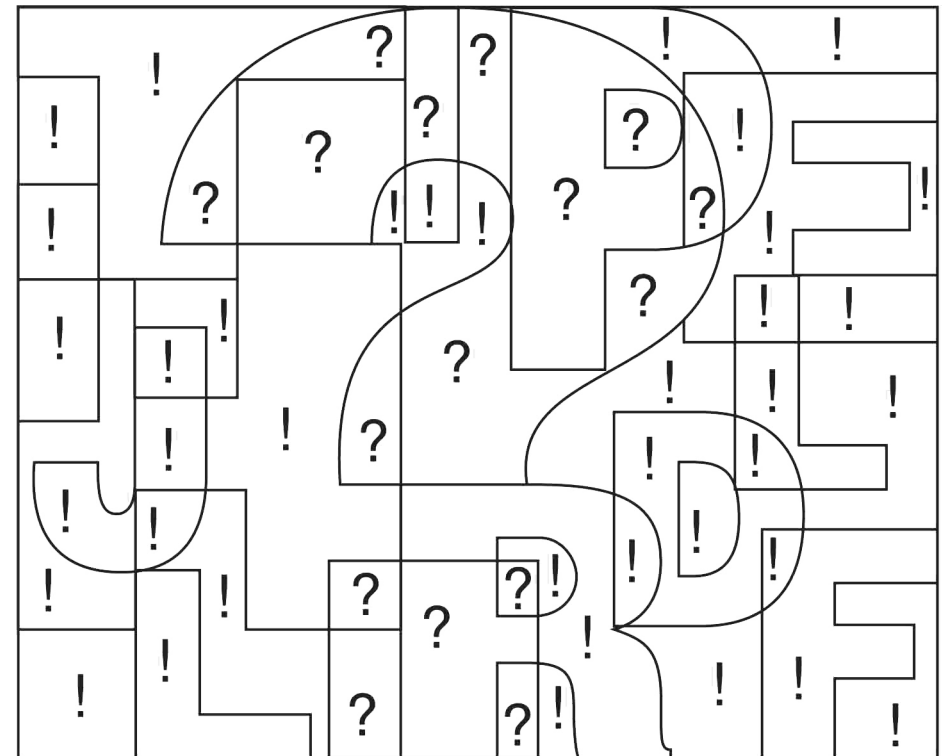


Whose Son Is Christ?

Jesus asked the Pharisee, "Whose Son is the Christ?"



Shade in the shapes with a ? .



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TGJVB1

The Pharisee answered,
"The Son of David."

Circle the 2 that are alike in each row.



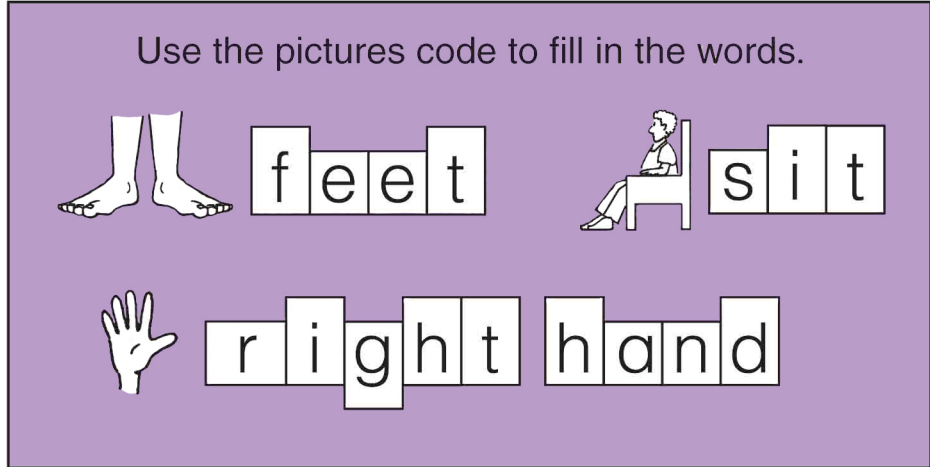
David

David

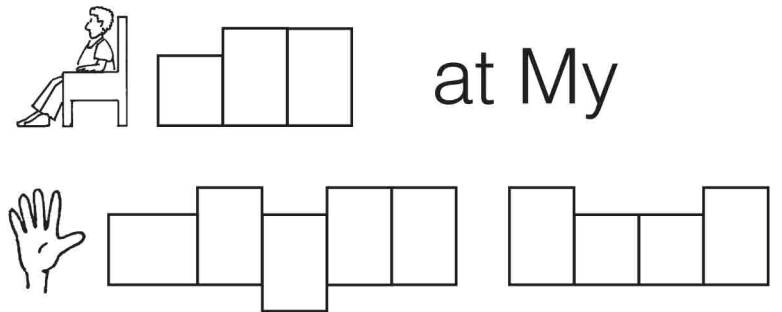
David

Jesus said, "If David calls Him 'Lord',
how can He be His Son?"

Use the pictures code to fill in the words.

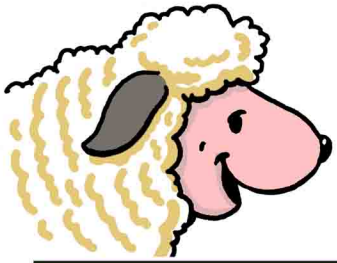


"The Lord said to My Lord:



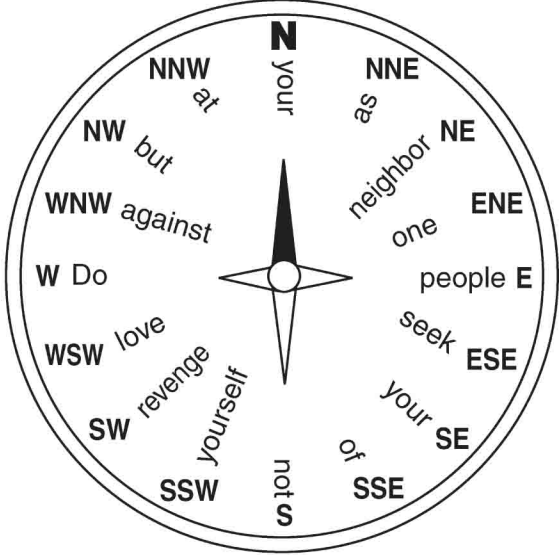
until I put your enemies





What overall rule did the Lord tell Moses?

Use this compass code to fill in the blanks.



“ _____ S _____ ESE
 _____ SW _____ WNW _____ ENE
 _____ SSE _____ N _____ E _____ NW
 _____ WSW _____ SE _____ NE
 _____ NNE _____ SSW _____ ”

Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 7+

October 29, 2023 • Leviticus 19:1-4, 15-18

Be Holy

The Lord said to Moses, “Speak to the entire assembly of Israel.” What was Moses to say to them?

Fit the puzzle pieces together to find the answer.



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VJZHY3

Moses gave the people some rules from the Lord. What were they?

Use these words to fill in the crossword.
Then fill in the blanks.

- each
- gods
- hate
- lies
- turn
- guilt
- heart
- idols
- judge
- metal
- share
- people
- father
- mother
- rebuke
- sister
- brother
- frankly
- observe
- respect
- Sabbaths
- neighbors
- spreading
- yourselves

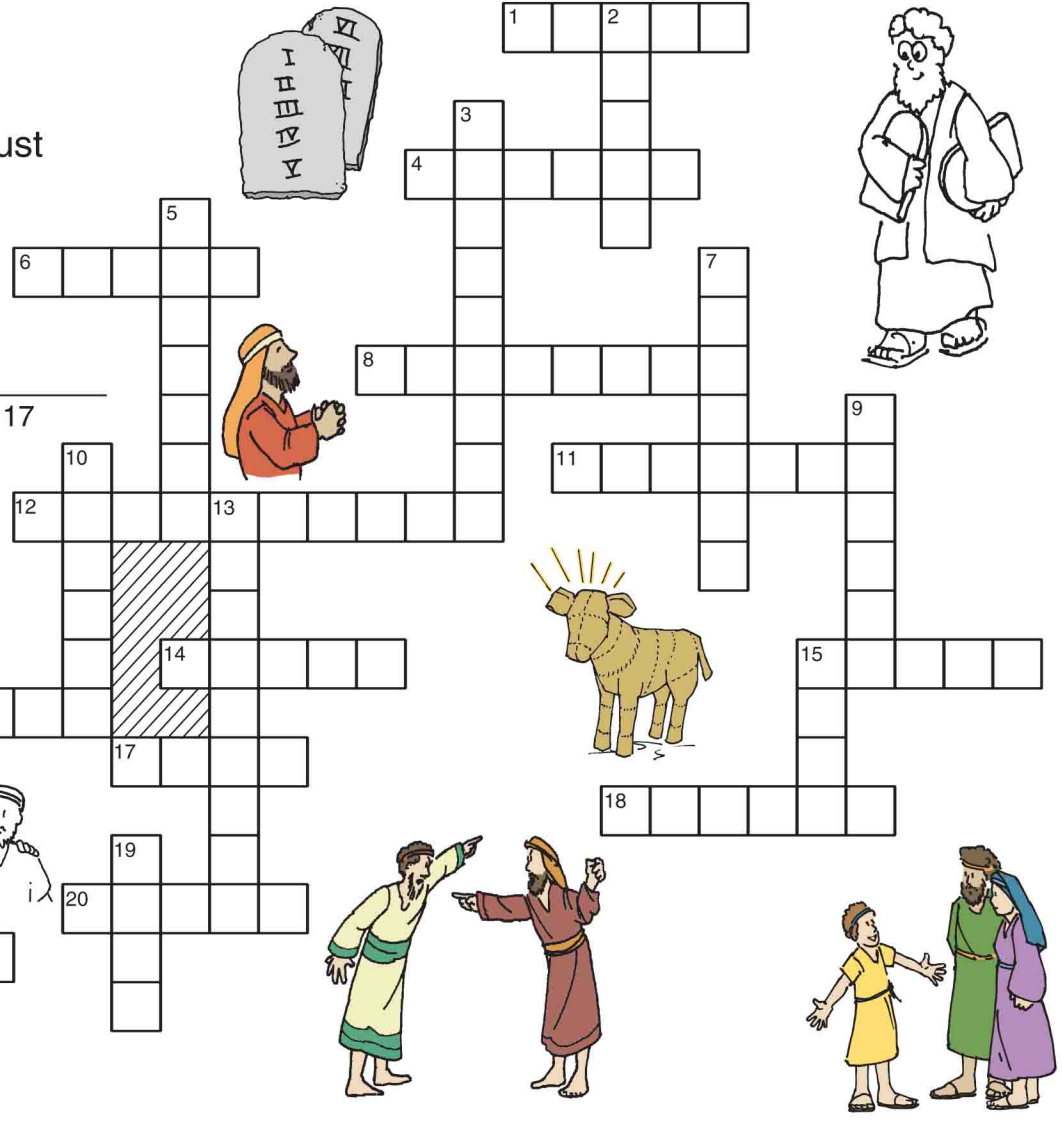
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 _____ and _____, and you must
10 16A
 _____ the _____.
11 8

2. Do not _____ to _____ or make _____
19 2 17
 of _____ for _____.
14 12

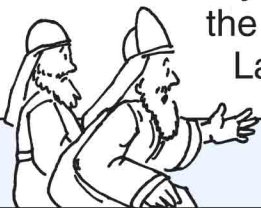
3. _____ your _____
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 fairly.

4. Do not go about
13 21
 among your _____.
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5. Do not _____ your _____ or _____ in your _____.
15D 5 18 15A 9
 your neighbor _____ so you will not _____ in his or her _____.
16D 6 1



They asked Jesus, "Teacher, which is the greatest commandment in the Law?" How did Jesus answer?



Solve the math problems and fill in the blanks.

10 first

3 all

6 Lord

13 and

17 your

19 your

14 with

15 mind

20 is

7 God

4 Love

9 commandment

5 with

18 heart

12 greatest

11 soul

16 This

8 your

2 all

1 the

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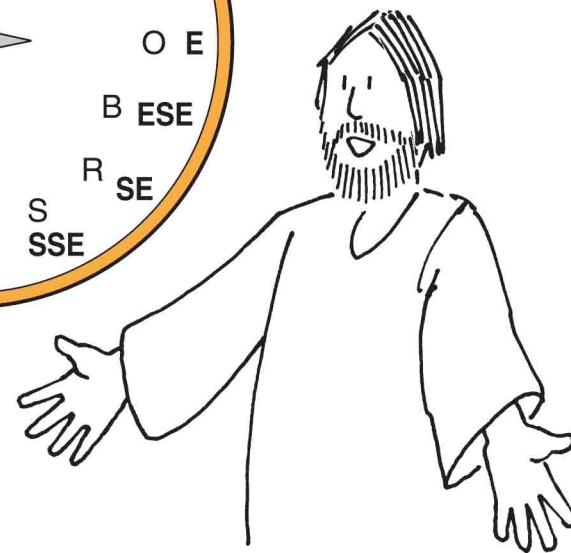
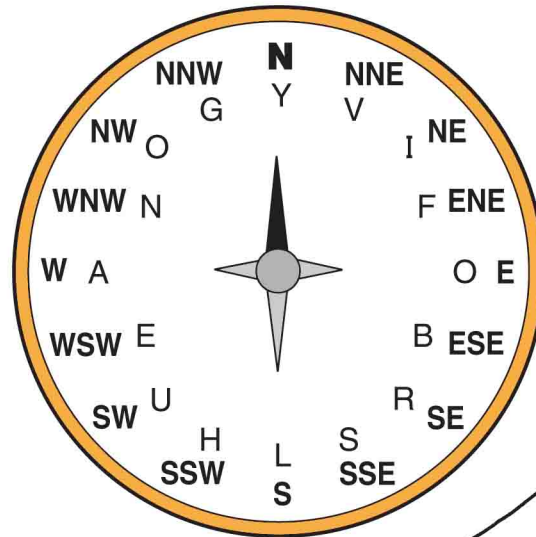
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What did Jesus say is the second greatest commandment?

Use this compass code to fill in the blanks.



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W SSE

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