

## OUR PURPOSE



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

## DAILY DEVOTIONALS

Sun., Oct. 8 - **MARK 6:30-44** *Enough to Give*  
Mon., Oct. 9 - **1 SAMUEL 3:1-10** *Conversations with God*  
Tue., Oct. 10 - **MATTHEW 28:16-20** *I Can Serve*  
Wed., Oct. 11 - **LUKE 10:25-37** *Keep Caring*  
Thu., Oct. 12 - **ISAIAH 43:1-7** *Not Forgotten*  
Fri., Oct. 13 - **MATTHEW 25:31-40** *Love in Action*  
Sat., Oct. 14 - **PSALM 4:1-8** *The Gift of Rest*

Visit [www.upperroom.com](http://www.upperroom.com) for more information.

## OFFICE INFORMATION

### GENERAL QUESTIONS & PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

Please contact the office at 301-349-2010, [office@pmumc.org](mailto:office@pmumc.org), or visit [www.pmumc.org](http://www.pmumc.org)

### PHONE MESSAGES

Voicemails are sent electronically to designated email accounts.

### EMERGENCIES

For immediate pastoral care, please email [PastorTim@PMUMC.org](mailto:PastorTim@PMUMC.org)

## CHURCH GIVING

**AVERAGE WEEKLY GIVING** (*last 8 weeks*)  
\$7,648.29

### 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](http://PMUMC.org)

## CHURCH PERSONNEL & CONTRIBUTORS TO WORSHIP

**PASTOR** - Rev. Timothy A. Dowell

**MUSIC DIRECTOR** - Janet Hartz

**ORGANIST** - Linda Custer

**BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR** - Becky Smalley

**HEAD USHER** - Dr. Robert Spiker

**ALTAR GUILD/SACRAMENT STEWARD** - Janet Spiker

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*Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost  
October 8, 2023*

## THE TEN

1. I AM THE LORD YOUR GOD.  
YOU SHALL WORSHIP THE  
LORD YOUR GOD AND HIM  
ONLY SHALL YOU SERVE.

2. YOU SHALL NOT TAKE THE  
NAME OF THE LORD YOUR GOD  
IN VAIN.

3. REMEMBER TO KEEP HOLY  
THE SABBATH DAY.

4. HONOR YOUR FATHER AND  
YOUR MOTHER.

5. YOU SHALL NOT KILL.

## COMMANDMENTS

6. YOU SHALL NOT COMMIT  
ADULTERY.


7. YOU SHALL NOT STEAL.

8. YOU SHALL NOT BEAR FALSE  
WITNESS.

9. YOU SHALL NOT COVET YOUR  
NEIGHBOR'S WIFE.

10. YOU SHALL NOT COVET  
YOUR NEIGHBOR'S GOODS.

*10 Helpful Hints*



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

*Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee*

Linda Custer  
by Dykes/Whitsett

Worship Service

Chloe D., Acolyte

WELCOME—

Introductions and Prayer

PRELUDE MUSIC—FLUTE/PIANO DUET

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

Linda Custer/Beth Parker  
by Hughes/Williams/Larson

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

led by Eleanor Bateman

LEADER: After delivering the Israelites out of bondage, God continued to guide them, giving them commandments to shape and form their life with God and one another.

PEOPLE: *God guides us as we learn to pattern our lives after the rhythms of God's grace.*

LEADER: Too often we fall back into the pattern of rejecting what is good for us, forgetting that the life of faith is always about following God who provides for us and loves us.

PEOPLE: *When we follow God's guidance, we learn to live God's new pattern of life described in the commandments and demonstrated by Christ.*

LEADER: Come! Now is the time to worship!

PEOPLE: *We come to worship God who guides us for the long haul.*

\*OPENING PRAYER

led by Eleanor Bateman

*Gracious God, you give us commandments not as a burden to bear but as an invitation to live the life you have for us. Grant us open hearts ready to accept your invitation, that we might become a people who bear the fruit of the freedom from sin and new life you give us. Amen.*

\*OPENING HYMN—

*Now Thank We All Our God*

UMH 102

FIRST READING—

*Psalm 19* (UMH 750)

Beth Parker

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

ANTHEM—

CHANCEL CHOIR

*Lord, I Will Follow*

dir by Janet Hartz  
by Grier/Everton

SECOND READING—

*Exodus 20:1-20*

Rev. Timothy Dowell

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

SERMON—

*10 Helpful Hints*

Rev. Timothy Dowell

\*HYMN OF RESPONSE—

*Open My Eyes, That I May See*

UMH 454

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—

*How Firm a Foundation*

UMH 529


\*BENEDICTION

Rev. Timothy Dowell

POSTLUDE MUSIC

*Go Out With Joy*


Linda Custer  
by Mary McDonald



Our Church Conference

Saturday, Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> from 12:30-2pm.

We will gather in-person in our Conference Room (Room 6) and then connect via ZOOM. All are welcome to join in-person or virtually. If you would like to join virtually, contact the church office by calling 301-349-2010 or emailing office@pmumc.org to receive the link.



Personal Church Workday

choose any day/time Mon-Sat; alone or with a friend.


All help is much appreciated!

•Weed flowerbeds

•Mow lawn


•Wash windows/doors (ground level)

•Clean/shampoo newly acquired chairs



Thank you

to all that helped and/or attended our Community Dinner last Wednesday. We served approximately



GREETERS NEEDED!

Signup at the base of steps.

Email questions to bjspike@verizon.net.

SCHEDULE	OCTOBER 15	OCTOBER 22	OCTOBER 29
LITURGIST	Brenda Boulter Scott McGrew	Pam Flick David Melton	Ralph Hitchens Nicole Lewis
ACOLYTE	Evie S.	Sam L.	Isabel S.



## UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

<b>SUN - OCT 8</b> <i>19<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Sunday School - <b>Rm 1, 2, 3, 4, (6 &amp; Zoom for Adults)</b> Nursery - <b>Room 5</b> Worship Service - <i>Sanctuary/YouTube</i>
<b>MON - OCT 9</b>	9 - 4 pm 11 am - 12 pm 7 - 8:30 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Dental Van Clinic - <b>Parking Lot</b> Auxiliary VFW Meeting - <b>Room 6</b> Bell Choir Rehearsal - <i>Spurrier Hall</i> Grieving with Hope Group - <b>Room 6</b>
<b>TUE - OCT 10</b>	6 - 7 pm 7 - 9 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 Meeting - <b>Room 1</b> Church Council Meeting - <b>Room 6 &amp; ZOOM</b>
<b>WED - OCT 11</b>	7:30 - 9 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal - <b>Room 8</b>
<b>THU - OCT 12</b>	7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Review/Preview w/Pastor Tim - <b>ZOOM</b> Zumba Class - <b>Fellowship Hall</b> IOOF #97 Meeting - <b>Room 6</b>
<b>SAT - OCT 14</b>	12:30 - 2 pm 1 - 4 pm	Church Conference - <b>Room 6</b> Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry - <b>On Location</b>
<b>SUN - OCT 15</b> <i>20<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12:30 pm 11:30 am - 12:30 pm	Sunday School - <b>Rm 1, 2, 3, 4, (6 &amp; Zoom for Adults)</b> Nursery - <b>Room 5</b> Worship Service - <i>Sanctuary/YouTube</i> Fellowship Time - <b>Fellowship Hall</b> Finance Committee Meeting-Open to ALL - <b>Room 6</b>
<b>MON - OCT 16</b>	4:30 - 6 pm 7 - 8:30 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32009 - <b>Room 1</b> Bell Choir Rehearsal - <i>Spurrier Hall</i> Grieving with Hope Group - <b>Room 6</b>
<b>TUE - OCT 17</b>	6 - 7 pm 7 - 8 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 Meeting - <b>Room 1</b> Men's Group Meeting - <b>Room 6 &amp; ZOOM</b>
<b>WED - OCT 18</b>	7:30 - 9 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal - <b>Room 8</b>
<b>THU - OCT 19</b>	7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm	Review/Preview w/Pastor Tim - <b>ZOOM</b> Zumba Class - <b>Fellowship Hall</b>
<b>SAT - OCT 21</b>	1 - 4 pm	Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry - <b>On Location</b>
<b>SUN - OCT 22</b> <i>21<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Pentecost</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 1 - 6 pm/Event 3-5pm 2:30 - 5 pm	Sunday School - <b>Rm 1, 2, 3, 4, (6 &amp; Zoom for Adults)</b> Nursery - <b>Room 5</b> Worship Service - <i>Sanctuary/YouTube</i> MoCo Lynching Project-RAIN LOCATION - <b>S/FHI</b> MoCo Lynching Project Parking - <b>Parking Lot</b>

Send prayer request to [prayers@PMUMC.org](mailto:prayers@PMUMC.org)



**Nursery** (6mo-4yr)  
10:15-11:45 am / Rm 5



## Up-Coming Week's Scripture Readings

Exodus 32:1-14 • Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23 • Philippians 4:1-9 • Matthew 22:1-14



**Gather** (9:15a/Rm 1) + **Class** (9:30 a) = **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.

**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 Belivieu at [crbelivieu@gmail.com](mailto:crbelivieu@gmail.com).

**Review/Preview**—Study Sundays' scriptures with Pastor Tim, Thursdays @7pm via Zoom. For link email [PastorTim@pmumc.org](mailto:PastorTim@pmumc.org).  
**No prep required!**



## Community Trunk-or-Treat

**Oct 29, 5-6:30pm - Whalen Commons.**

Set-up 4-4:45pm. We will be hosting in conjunction with St. Peter's Episcopal Church.. To reserve a spot there is a sign up sheet on board across from church office or email Dianna at [MDMcGrews@aol.com](mailto:MDMcGrews@aol.com) or call 301-349-2261.



## Bring Joy - Join the Choir!

Wednesday Rehearsals, 7:30-9pm in Rm 8. Contact Janet Hartz at [gjalaska@verizon.net](mailto:gjalaska@verizon.net) w/questions.



**Need a ride** to Sunday School, worship or any church event? email [Scott.McGrew@aol.com](mailto:Scott.McGrew@aol.com) or [office@pmumc.org](mailto:office@pmumc.org) and you will be helped!



## Men's Group Meetings—1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays—Room 6 at 7pm

We are starting to read "Play the Man: Becoming the Man God Created You to Be, by Mark Batterson. Books are available on the bench by the main door.



## Medical Equipment Loaner

To donate or request equipment, contact Eleanor at 301.461.7898.



## DONATE. SHOP. HELP

W & F, 2-8pm  
Th & Sat, 10am-4pm

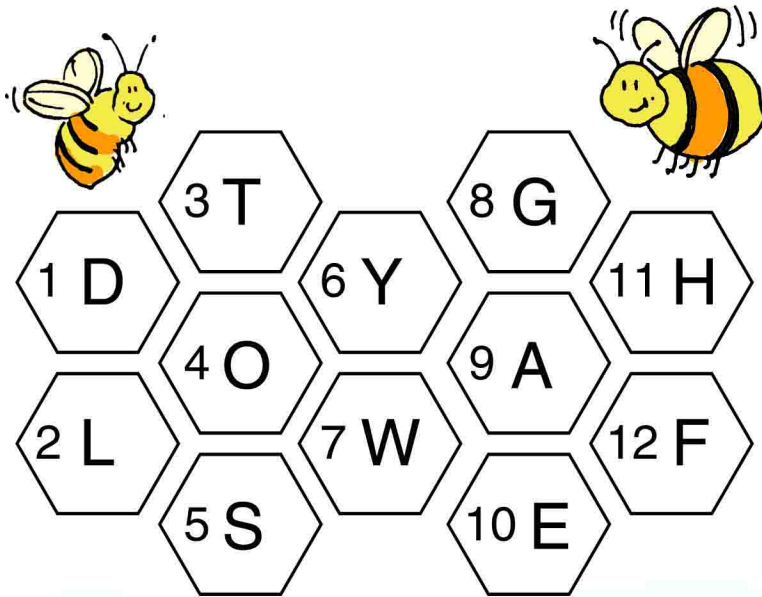
**Memorial's Small Groups** - To connect with a group, please email...

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



God's ways are sweeter than honey. 

Use the code to fill in the missing letters below.



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12 4 2 2 4 7

3 11 10 7 9 6 5

4 12 8 4 1

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October 8, 2023 • Psalm 19:1-14

God's Creation and God's Law

The skies show God's glory.

Find and circle the hidden letters in the picture.

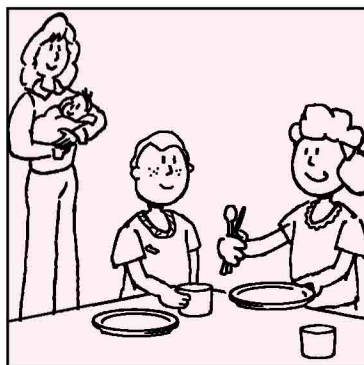
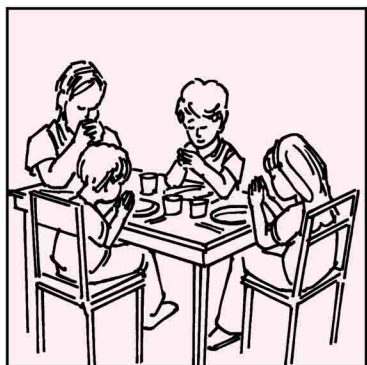
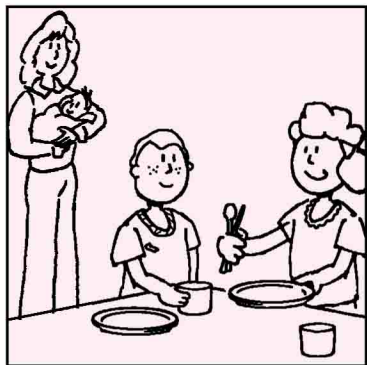
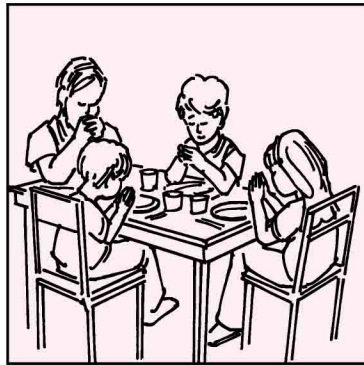
G O D ' S G L O R Y





The law of God is perfect.  
It will make people wise.

Match the pictures.

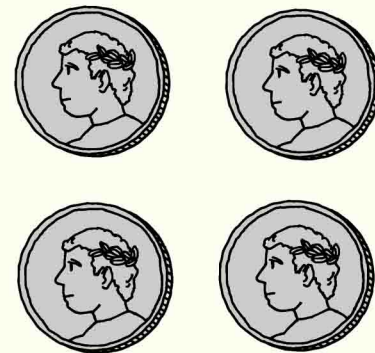


The law of God is pure.  
It is more precious than gold.

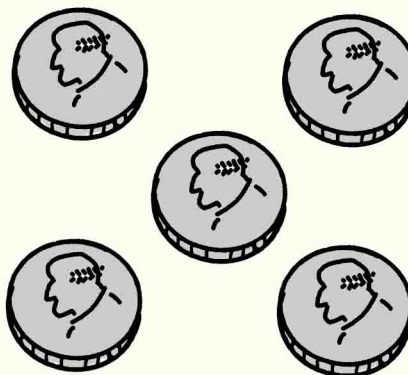
Count the gold pieces.  
Trace the correct number.



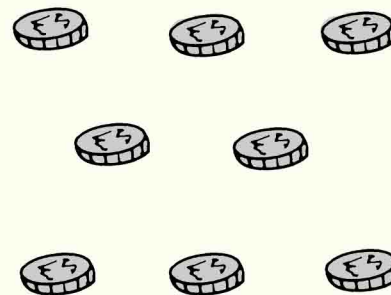
2 or 3 ?



4 or 5 ?



5 or 6 ?



7 or 8 ?

God said, "I will show My love to those who love Me and keep My commandments."

Match the commandments.

Do not  
lie.

Do not  
steal.

Do not  
steal.

Do not  
kill.

Do not  
kill.

Do not  
lie.

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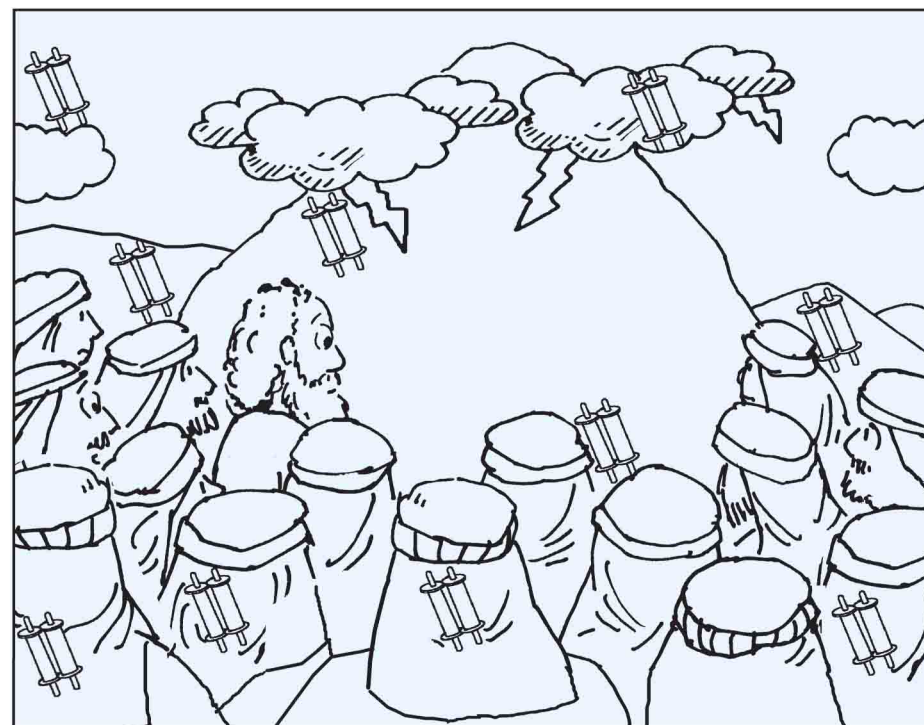
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October 8, 2023 • Exodus 20:1-20

## The Ten Commandments

The Lord gave 10 commandments to the people at Mount Sinai.

Find and circle the 10 hidden scrolls in the picture.



Enter your **SECRET CODE** to unlock games @  
[games.childrensbulletins.com](https://games.childrensbulletins.com)

**SECRET CODE!**  
**PPADP2**

God said, "You shall have  
no other gods before Me."

Use the code to fill in the missing letters.



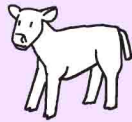
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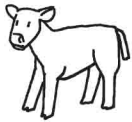


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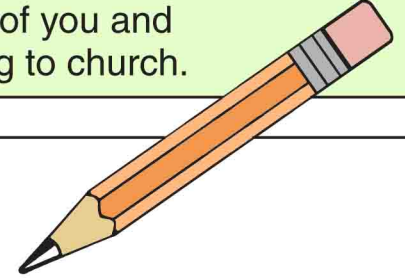


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God also said, "Remember the  
Sabbath day by keeping it holy."

Draw a picture of you and  
your family going to church.







Psalm 19 ends with a prayer.

In each group, find the word that doesn't belong, and underline it.  
Then write the words on the lines below.

1 ruby  
diamond  
Rock

2 brother  
Lord  
sister

3 mouth  
tomorrow  
yesterday

4 come  
heart  
go

5 words  
circle  
square

6 telephone call  
e-mail  
meditation



7 ugly  
scary  
pleasing

8 morning  
afternoon  
sight



"May the \_\_\_\_\_ of my \_\_\_\_\_

and the \_\_\_\_\_ of my \_\_\_\_\_

be \_\_\_\_\_ in your \_\_\_\_\_,

O \_\_\_\_\_, my \_\_\_\_\_ and my Redeemer."



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October 8, 2023 • Psalm 19:1-14

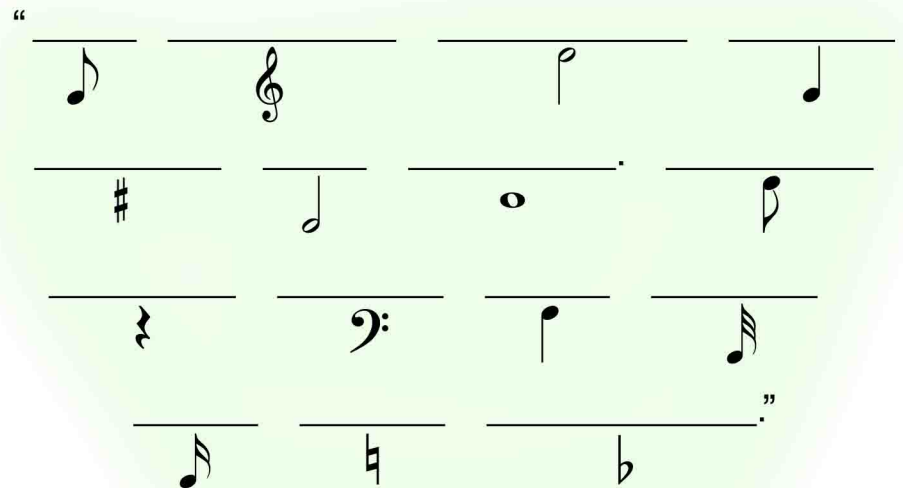
## God's Creation and God's Law

This psalm of David was written  
for the director of music.



Match the words with their musical sign.

= The    = God    = glory    = heavens    = into  
 = goes    = declare    = out    = earth    = of  
 = the    = all    = voice    = Their    = the





# What else does this psalm say?

Fit the words from the box into the crossword.  
Then transfer the words to the lines below.

joy	wise	making	reviving
law	heart	radiant	righteous
eyes	right	statutes	altogether
fear	giving	commands	ordinances
pure	simple	enduring	trustworthy
soul	forever	precepts	

The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord  
6

is perfect, \_\_\_\_\_ the  
15

\_\_\_\_\_. The \_\_\_\_\_  
19 20

of the Lord are \_\_\_\_\_,  
7

\_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_.  
21 16 23

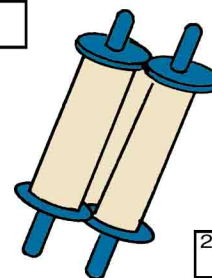
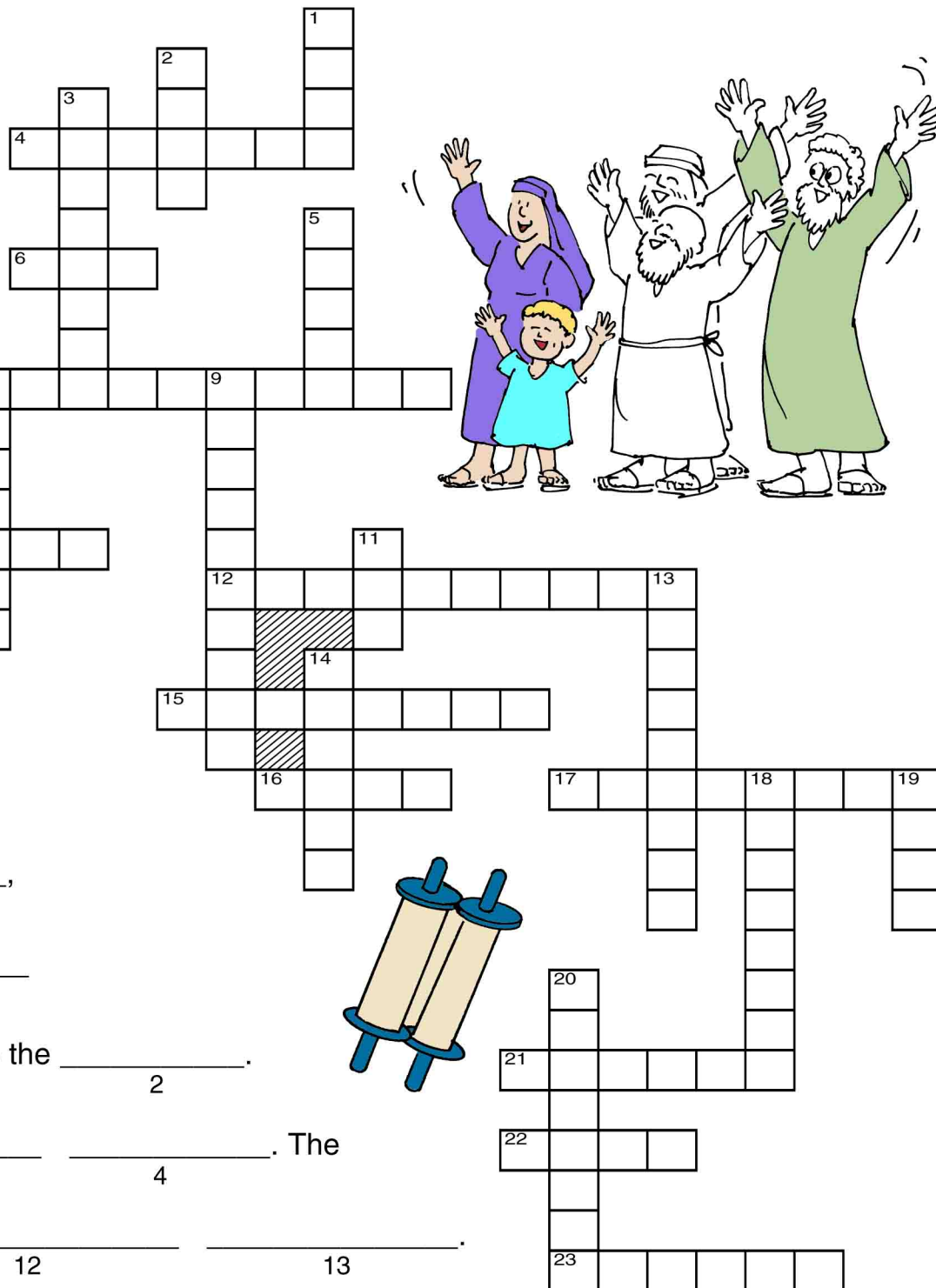
The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord are \_\_\_\_\_,  
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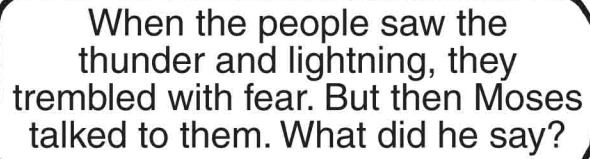
giving \_\_\_\_\_ to the \_\_\_\_\_. The \_\_\_\_\_  
11 10 3

of the Lord are \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ light to the \_\_\_\_\_.  
8 14 2

The \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord is \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ The  
1 22 18 4

\_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord are sure and \_\_\_\_\_  
9 12 13





Moses said  
to the people,

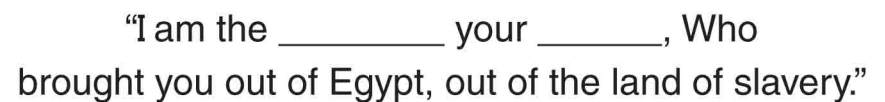
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October 8, 2023 • Exodus 20:1-20

# The Ten Commandments

God spoke to His people. What did He say?

Color in the odd-numbered shapes to spell the answer.



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God gave His followers 10 commandments – or laws – to follow. Can you help fill them in?

Use these words to fill in the blanks. Some letters have been provided to help you.

do	God	gods	male	above	Honor	before	heaven	against	servant	neighbor
no	Six	holy	name	below	house	commit	misuse	belongs	seventh	Remember
ox	down	idol	wife	covet	labor	donkey	mother	beneath	worship	yourself
bow	form	Lord	work	earth	other	father	murder	keeping	adultery	testimony
day	give	make	your	false	steal	female	waters	Sabbath	anything	

①. "You shall have \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ h \_\_\_\_ s  
\_\_\_\_ f \_\_\_\_ Me."

②. "You shall not \_\_\_\_ k \_\_\_\_ for

\_\_\_\_ e \_\_\_\_ an \_\_\_\_ in  
the \_\_\_\_ r \_\_\_\_ of anything in \_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ o \_\_\_\_ or on the \_\_\_\_ r \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ or in the \_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_. You shall not \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ to them or \_\_\_\_ h \_\_\_\_ them."

③. "You shall not \_\_\_\_ s \_\_\_\_ the

\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_ r \_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_."

④. "\_\_\_\_ m \_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_ n \_\_\_\_ it \_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_ days you shall \_\_\_\_ b \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_ all

\_\_\_\_ r \_\_\_\_ , but the \_\_\_\_ n \_\_\_\_

day is a Sabbath to the Lord your God."

⑤. "\_\_\_\_

your \_\_\_\_ f \_\_\_\_

and your \_\_\_\_."

⑥. "You shall not \_\_\_\_ r \_\_\_\_."

⑦. "You shall not \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ l \_\_\_\_."

⑧. "You shall not \_\_\_\_ t \_\_\_\_."

⑨. "You shall not \_\_\_\_ v \_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ s \_\_\_\_

your \_\_\_\_."

⑩. "You shall not \_\_\_\_ c \_\_\_\_ your

neighbor's \_\_\_\_.

You shall not covet

your neighbor's \_\_\_\_ e \_\_\_\_ , or his \_\_\_\_ a \_\_\_\_ or

\_\_\_\_ l \_\_\_\_ t \_\_\_\_ , his \_\_\_\_

or \_\_\_\_ d \_\_\_\_ , or \_\_\_\_

that \_\_\_\_ g \_\_\_\_ to your neighbor."