

OUR PURPOSE



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

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun., Feb 20 - **LUKE 1:46-55** *Following in Faith*
Mon., Feb 21 - **PHILIPPIANS 4:4-14** *Divine Provisions*
Tue., Feb 22 - **ISAIAH 40:27-31** *Soaring Hope*
Wed., Feb 23 - **1 JOHN 4:7-15** *The Waiting Room*
Thu., Feb 24 - **MATTHEW 14:22-33** *Eyes on Jesus*
Fri., Feb 25 - **COLOSSIANS 1:9-14** *True Source*
Sat., Feb 26 - **MATTHEW 25:35-40** *A Child of God*

Visit www.upperroom.com for more information.

OFFICE INFORMATION

COORDINATOR HOURS

Monday-Friday, 9am-Noon

PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

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

PHONE MESSAGES

Messages sent to designated email accounts.

EMERGENCIES

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

CHURCH GIVING

AVERAGE WEEKLY GIVING *(last 8 weeks)*

\$3,738.13

WEEKLY GOAL - \$5,770.00

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

MUSIC DIRECTOR - Janet Hartz

ORGANIST - Linda Custer

BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR - Becky Smalley

HEAD USHER - Dr. Robert Spiker

ALTAR GUILD/COMMUNION STEWARD -
Janet Spiker

WORSHIP ASSISTANT - Sandy Parnell-Dowell

ACOLYTE COORDINATOR - Roy Melton

HEAD ACOLYTES - Charlotte S., Rachel S.

ACOLYTES - Chloe D., Grace P., Addie S., Evie
S., Isabel S., Keefer B., Sam L., Tristan Y.

AUDIO/VIDEO - Tim Melton, Kevin Schramm

CHANCEL CHOIR - Sandi Baggett, Eleanor
Bateman, Chloe Dowell, Tim Dowell, Chris
Giarratano, Link Hoewing, Steve Krasner,
Priscilla Lyon, David Melton, Tim Melton,
Walter Moskwa, Marty Pauley, Roger Powers,
Betty Jean Selby, Becky Smalley, Rachel
Smalley, Erin Smeller

WORSHIP CMTE CHAIR - Priscilla Lyon

VISUAL ARTS - Dianna McGrew, Janet Spiker

CHURCH COORDINATOR - Shirley Prasada-Rao



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Seventh Sunday after Epiphany - February 20, 2022
Sunday Worship Service at 10:30 am

EASIER
SAID THAN DONE



Thank you for coming together in worship this morning. 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. As you participate with heart and/or voice, the words will be displayed on your screen for your convenience.

* = Please stand in your heart or posture. **UMH** = United Methodist Hymnal. **TFWS** = The Faith We Sing.
Regular bold print = recite out loud

PRE-SERVICE *I Have Decided to Follow Jesus* by Hayes/Wagner

Worship Service

Sam Lewis, Acolyte

WELCOME Introductions and Prayer

PRELUDE *Come Christians, Join to Sing!* by Hayes/Wagner

***CALL TO WORSHIP** led by Erin Smeller

LEADER: Come and learn the way of life.

PEOPLE: **We have come to follow Jesus.**

LEADER: Love your enemies, and do good to those who hate you.

PEOPLE: **We have come to follow Jesus.**

LEADER: Bless those who curse you, and pray for those who persecute you.

PEOPLE: **We have come to follow Jesus.**

LEADER: Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

PEOPLE: **We have come to follow Jesus.**

LEADER: Come and learn the way of life.

***OPENING PRAYER** led by Erin Smeller

Inexhaustible source of love and life, be with us in our time of worship as we seek the love it takes to walk in the ways of your Son. Help us love our enemies and bless those who wrong us, for we cannot do so alone. Teach us the joy of treating others with all the same respect and goodness with which we hope to be treated. May our every word and deed make known that we are your beloved children and vessels of your love. Amen.

***OPENING HYMN** *Where Charity and Love Prevail* UMH 549

FIRST READING - Psalm 37:1-11, 39-40 Nicole Lewis

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

ANTHEM - CHANCEL CHOIR
O Jesus, I Have Promised by Bode/Catherwood

SECOND READING - Luke 6:27-38 Rev. Timothy Dowell

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

MESSAGE *Easier Said Than Done* Rev. Timothy Dowell

PRAYERS/ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Timothy Dowell

Please share your prayer concerns and joys.

The Lord's Prayer

UMH 895

***CLOSING HYMN**

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace

TFWS 2171

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Timothy Dowell

POSTLUDE *Toccata Ecclatante*

by Thomas Chesterton

ANNOUNCEMENTS



MASK MANDATE until there are 7 consecutive days of low transmission
In accordance with Montgomery County Government, ALL individuals (no matter vaccination status) will be required to wear a mask in public indoor gatherings at Poolesville Memorial UMC. **We encourage everyone's participation while observing safety protocols.**



Prayer is mighty! Please send request to Prayers@PMUMC.org.



March-April Daily Devotional- outside bench and church entrance.



Come enjoy some much needed Fellowship!
Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

March 1st, 5:30-7pm

PMUMC Fellowship Hall

If you are interested in helping out (*Monday: set-up, Tuesday: cooking, serving, clean-up*), let Joan Carroll (jtcarroll@verizon.net) or Brenda Boulter (Brenda.boulter@verizon.net) know.

Hope EVERYONE can make it!



Would you like to take a food safety class? If

you would like to check out the possibility of becoming a licensed Food Service Manager to help out with dinners, etc., please reach out to the church office. We need 5 people to have our own class.

SCHEDULE	FEBRUARY 27	MARCH 2	MARCH 6	MARCH 13
LITURGIST	Beth Parker Dennis Minor	Gary Hartz	Betty Jean Selby Beth Parker	Jan Deloriea Eleanor Bateman
ACOLYTE	Isabel Smalley	Chloe Dowell	Chloe Dowell	Addison Selby

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Memorial's Small Groups - some online only, some in-person, some hybrid.

To connect with a group, please email...

- **Worship Service** - visit www.PMUMC.org for instructions
- **Adult Sunday School** - email Fred at cfredlyon@gmail.com
- **Youth Sunday School** - email Betty at bking21710@gmail.com
- **Church Council** - email Scott McGrew at scott.mcgrew@aol.com
- **Trustees Meeting** - email Gary Hartz at gjalaska@verizon.net
- **Review/Preview with Pastor Tim** - email Pastor Tim at PastorTim@pmumc.org
- **Men's Group** - email Ray at RLHoewing@gmail.com
- **Youth Group** - email Pastor Tim at PastorTim@pmumc.org or Betty King at bking21710@gmail.com
- **Have a calling to start a new small group?** Contact Pastor Tim or call the church office.



SUNDAY
 **Child/Youth Sunday School 9:30 - 10:15 am**
 We are in-person in Room 1 and virtual!
 Contact Betty at bking21710@gmail.com w/questions.

 **BWC Scholarship Application Closes Mar 24th**
 Apply by visiting... <https://www.bwcumc.org/administration/local-church-resources/scholarships/>

Poolesville Seniors Visit PoolesvilleSeniors.org to register for any of our events that are open to our entire community!

Weekly Events:

Indoor Pickleball, Chair Yoga, Tai Chi, Zumba Gold, Specials, Breath-Mind-Body, Mahjong

Fundraiser: Heart 'n Soul Online Auction through Feb. 20th.
 Something for everyone! Bid at www.PoolesvilleSeniors.org

Memorial Garden & Columbarium is 95% complete!

Go to www.PMUMC.org for information on...

- inurnment of cremains
- adding a name to our Memorial Wall

If you prefer, Informational Packets are located in the entrance or can be requested to be mailed by contacting the church office.

WUMCO Help is seeking an Assistant Executive Dir. .

- Part-time- some hours set and others flexible - in person at least 3 mornings a week.
- effectively interact confidentially with clients, volunteers, and community members
- Responsibilities include but are not limited to: 1. Manage office duties during staffed hours including arranging assistance for WUMCO clients, answering emails and phone calls, interacting w/volunteers. 2. Volunteer training and management 3. Light bookkeeping. 4. Data entry. 5. Accepting food donations.

To apply, please email info@wumcohelp.org with your resume by Monday, February 28.

Nursery is Open!
 For 6mo-4yr olds
 Sundays during Worship

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

SUN - FEB 20 <i>Seventh Sunday after Epiphany</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10:15 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Child & Youth Hybrid Sunday School-Rm 1 & Zoom Worship Service - Sanctuary & YouTube
MON - FEB 21	6 - 7 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Daisy Troop #32095 - Room 1 Bell Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary
WED - FEB 23	7:30 - 9 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Room 8
THU - FEB 24	7 - 8 pm	Review/Preview with Pastor Tim - Zoom
FRI - FEB 25	4:30 - 5:30 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 - Fellowship Hall
SAT - FEB 26	1 - 4 pm 3 - 6:30 pm	The Friendly Thrift Shop - on location Frederick Rescue Mission - on location
SUN - FEB 27 <i>Transfiguration Sunday</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10:15 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Child & Youth Hybrid Sunday School-Rm 1 & Zoom Worship Service - Sanctuary & YouTube
MON - FEB 28	1 - 3 pm 4:30 - 6 pm 5 - 6:30 pm 6:30 - 8:30 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Pest Control Quarter Service Girl Scout Troop #32009 - Fellowship Hall Daisy Troop #32093 - Room 1 Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner Set-Up - FH Bell Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary
TUE - MAR 1	12 - 5 pm 5:30 - 7 pm 7 - 8 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm	Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper Prep - FH & Kit. Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper - Fellowship Hall Men's Group - Room 6 & Zoom Trustees Meeting - Room 4
WED - MAR 2 <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	7 - 8 pm 8 - 9 pm	Ash Wednesday Service - Sanctuary & YouTube Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Room 8
THU - MAR 3	7 - 8 pm	Review/Preview with Pastor Tim - Zoom
FRI - MAR 4	4:30 - 5:30 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 - Fellowship Hall
SAT - MAR 5	1 - 4 pm	The Friendly Thrift Shop - On Location
SUN - MAR 6 <i>1st Sunday of Lent</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10:15 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Child & Youth Hybrid Sunday School-Rm 1 & Zoom Worship Service - Sanctuary & YouTube



God is always on time.



What is a Certified Lay Minister? Certified Lay Ministers serve in local churches providing assistance to pastors. Sometimes, they are assigned by a district superintendent to provide pastoral leadership in small congregations. The idea of laity serving as lay preachers, exhorters, and class leaders goes back to the early day of Methodism.

Certified Lay Ministers preach the Word, provide care for the congregation, assist in program leadership, and serve as witnesses in the community to further the growth and mission. They are usually a part of a ministry team with the supervision and support of a clergy person. There are four major components in the formation of these leaders which include training, supervision, support and accountability.

Are You Being Called to Become a Certified Lay Minister? July 1 (deadline) -- Applications for the next class of Certified Lay Ministers for the Baltimore-Washington Conference Class of 2022-2024 are now being accepted. To see if you qualify, visit <https://www.bwcumc.org/ministries/certified-lay-ministers/>

This application process includes meeting with the pastor, local SPRC, and the district superintendent before the July 1 deadline. The next class will start in September and is a two-year commitment. Questions can be directed to Linda Flanagan, Conference Director of Lay Servant Ministries.

Want to be part of a choir?
Take the plunge!

CHANCEL REHEARSAL
Wednesdays, 7:30-9pm

BELL REHEARSAL
Mondays, 7-8:30pm

Please contact Directors
Chancel - Janet Hartz
gjalaska@verizon.net
301-349-5935
Bell - Becky Smalley
bsmalley913@gmail.com
240-398-8394

Men's Group Update!

Please join us for our next face-to-face meeting on March 1st after the Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper! You can also join via Zoom.



At our last meeting there were 4 men from Memorial and 2 from Hosanna Worship Center in attendance for our discussions on chapter 2 of DIFFICULT SAYINGS OF JESUS. We found plenty to talk about. All of us think Amy-Jill Levine is a gifted writer.

Our next meeting, Zoom and in-person, Rm 6 of the church, 7pm on March 1. We will be looking at Chapter 3, "Slave of All," based on Mark 10:44.

Pancakes (start at 5:30) and Fellowship!

Volunteer Needed @ Thrift Shop-email Barbara Polak at rapbap00@yahoo.com or call church ofc.

Central Maryland Youth

District Superintendent Dawn Hand invites all Middle & High School Youth to join her for

"A Day with the DS"

Are You Connected?

This will be a fun day to connect with D.S. Hand while we have a great time eating lunch, getting connected, online video games, prizes and so much more...

**March 19, 2022
11am-2pm**

Registration:
<https://centralmdyouth.eventbrite.com>

First 30 students to register will receive a free gift card for lunch!!!!

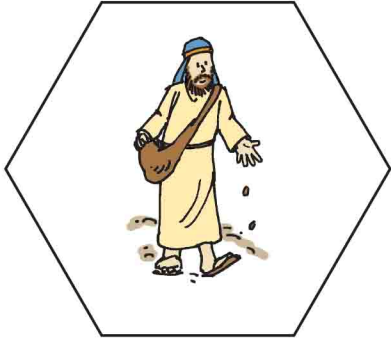


Rev. Dawn Hand

Central MD
District Superintendent

“Those who hope in the LORD
will inherit the land.”

Match the shapes.



Children's Worship Bulletin™



Ages 3+

February 20, 2022 • Psalm 37:1-9

Trust in the Lord

The psalm writer says:
“Trust in the LORD and do good; dwell in
the land and enjoy safe pasture.”

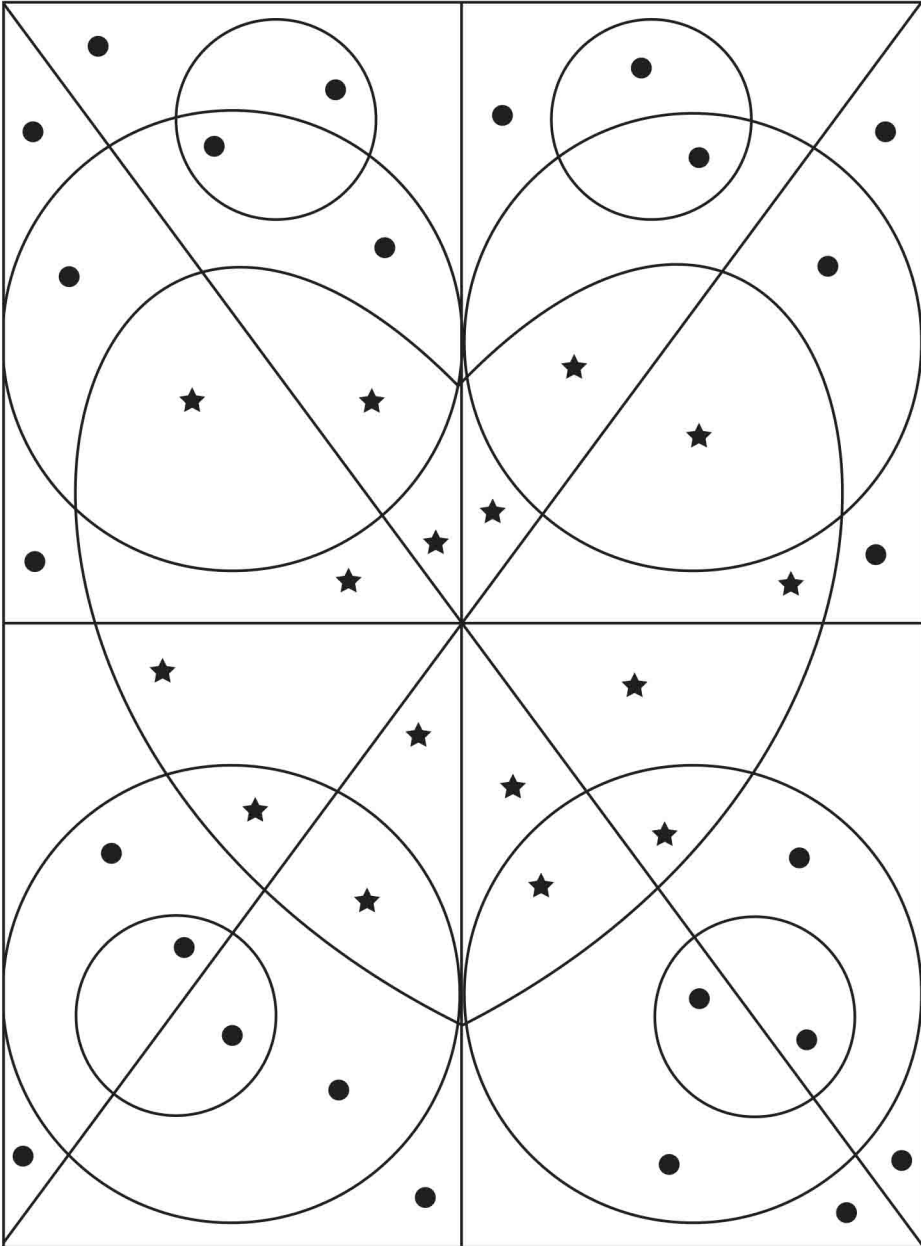
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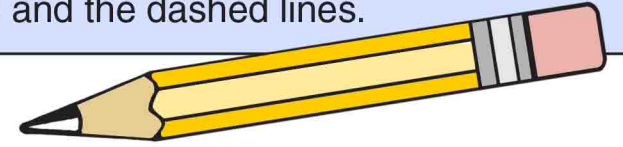
“Take delight in the LORD, and He will give you the desires of your heart.”

Shade in the shapes that contain a ★ .



“Trust in the LORD.”

Trace the letters and the dashed lines.

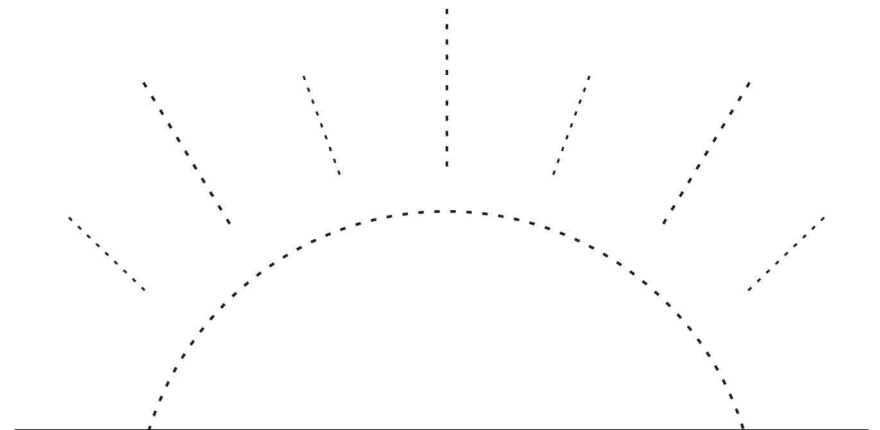


“He will make
your righteous reward

shine

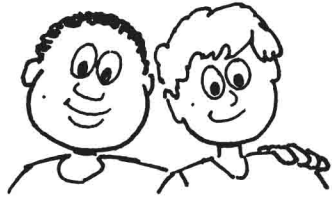
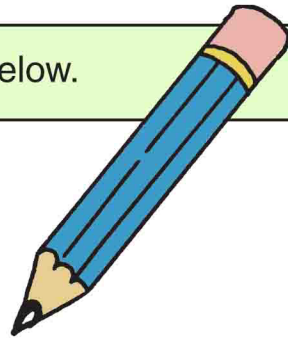
like the

down.”



We will be forgiven when we ...

Trace the letters below.



Forgive



Jesus Talks About Loving Enemies

Do good to those who hate you.

Circle those in the right-hand boxes who are returning good for evil.

<p>I hate you!</p>	<p>But I like you!</p>	<p>I hate you too!</p>
<p>You made me angry!</p>	<p>That's too bad!</p>	<p>I'm sorry.</p>
<p>Can I play too?</p> <p>No!</p>	<p>Give it to me!</p> <p>No way!</p>	<p>Let's be friends.</p>

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“Give to everyone who asks you, and if anyone takes what belongs to you, do not demand it back.”

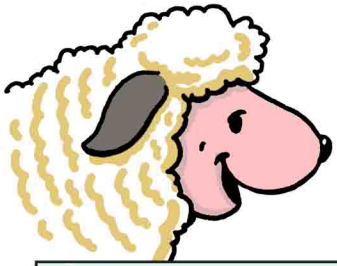
Circle the picture that is different.



Pray for those who mistreat you.

Circle those who are praying.





“Those who are evil will be destroyed, but those who hope in the LORD will inherit the land.”

Place these six words in the puzzle so that as you read downward only one letter changes at a time.

LARD MORE LAUD
HOLE LORE MOLE

H O P E

Blank puzzle grid for the word HOPE.

L O R D

L A N D

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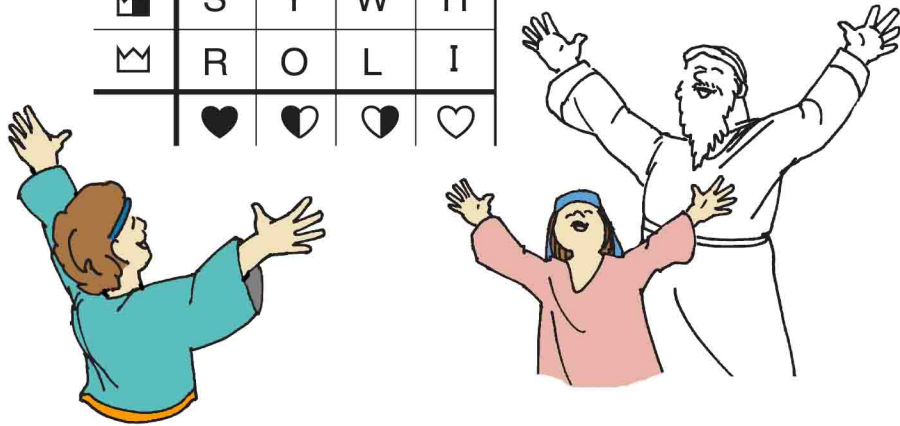
Find 12 differences in the second picture.



“Take delight in the LORD.”

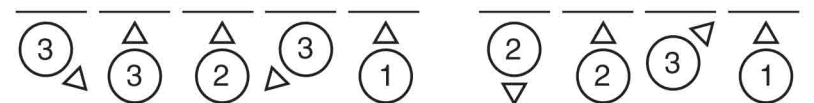
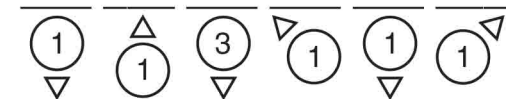
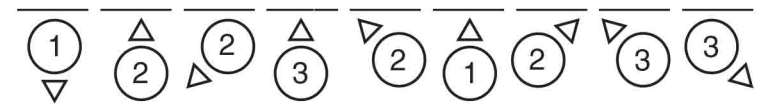
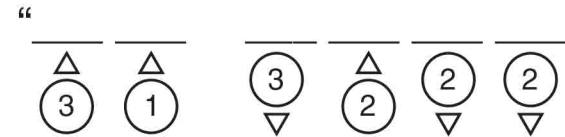
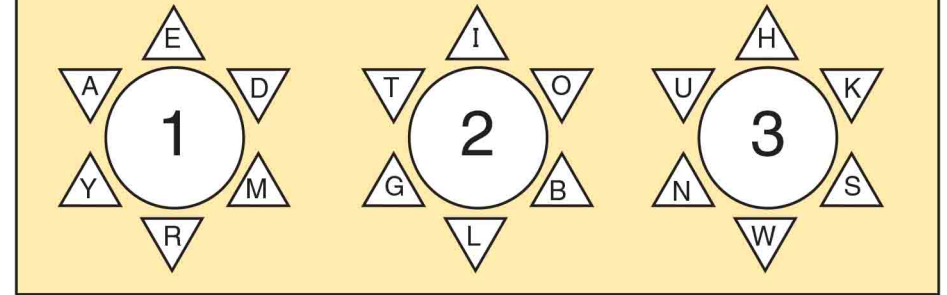
Use the graph code to write in the letters.

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👑	S	Y	W	H
👑	R	O	L	I
♥	♥	♥	♥	



“Trust in the LORD.”

Use the sun code to fill in the blanks.



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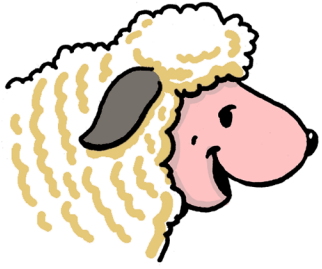
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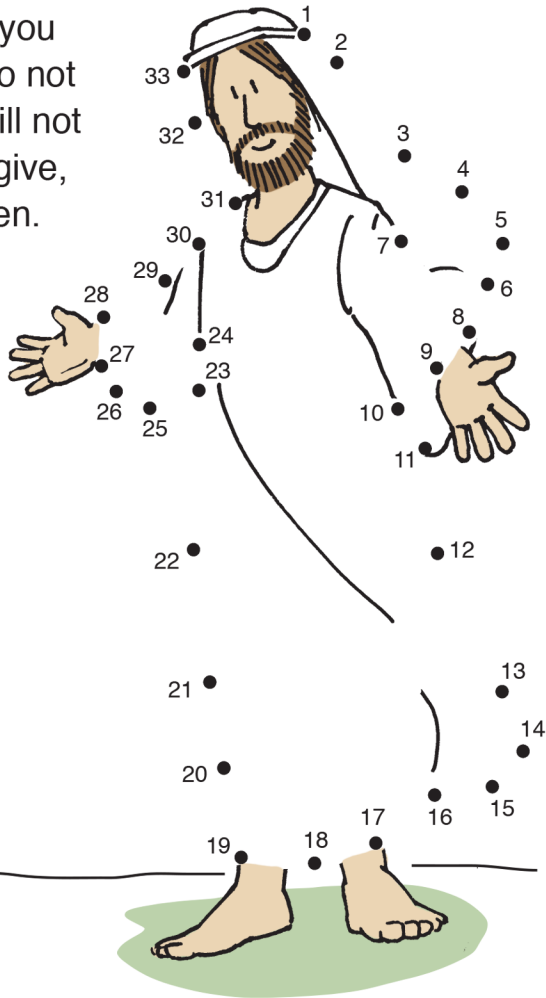
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Jesus continued His teaching.

Connect the dots from 1 to 33.

“Do not judge, and you will not be judged. Do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven. Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.”



Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 7+

February 20, 2022 • Luke 6:27-38

Jesus Talks About Loving Enemies

Jesus gave the crowd some important instructions. What were they?

Use the code to write the letters on the blanks.

A	B	E	F	I	J	M	N	Q	R	U	V
1	2	3	4	5	6						
D	C	H	G	L	K	P	O	T	S	Y	W

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3 4 6 2 6 4 6 5

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5 4 5 2 4 5 2 6 2 4

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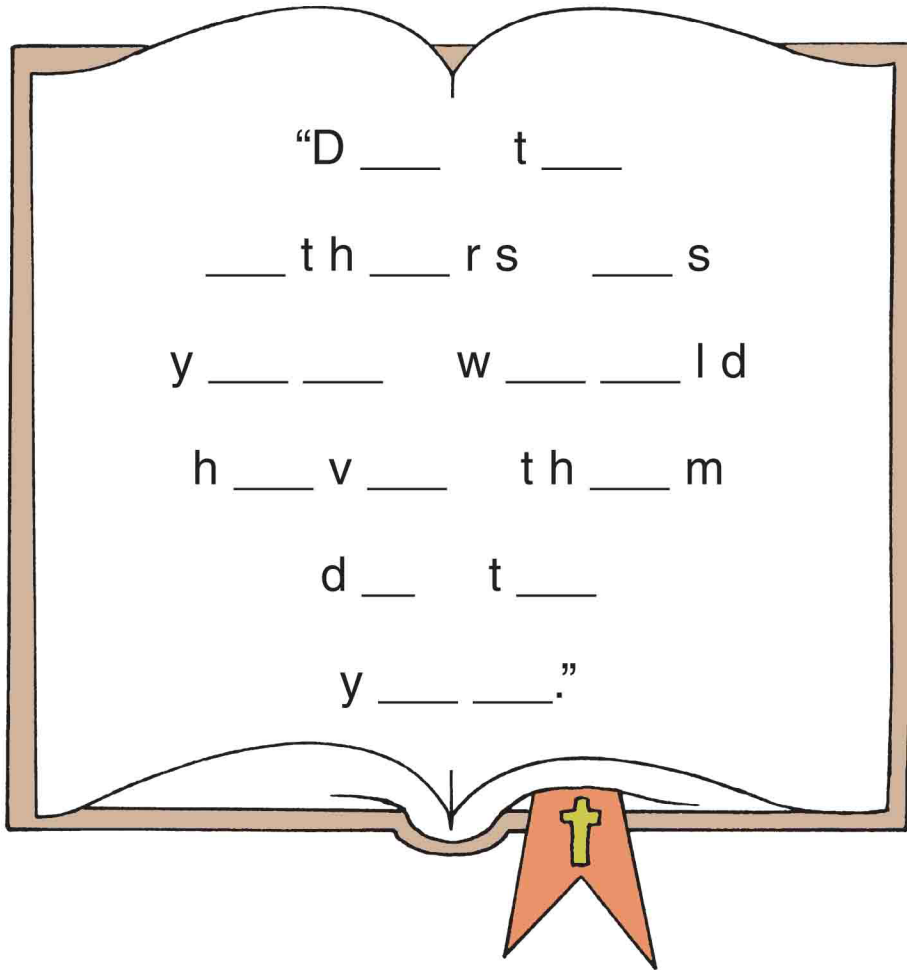
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Jesus gave the people another important instruction.

Add the vowels to the words in order.
o o o e a o u o u a e e o o o u



Another name for this instruction is "The Golden Rule."
Can you memorize it?

At the end, what did Jesus say we should be?

Circle the words in each row as directed.
Use the remaining words to fill in the blanks below.

<u>1 number</u>	<u>2 foods</u>	<u>2 animals</u>	<u>2 colors</u>	<u>1 fruit</u>
b	j	d	r	i
e	u	o	e	s
t	s	g	d	g
h	t	y	f	r
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