

OUR PURPOSE



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

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun., June 25 - **MARK 9:2-13** *Listen*
 Mon., June 26 - **MATTHEW 5:43-48** *Never-Failing Love*
 Tue., June 27 - **JOB 42:1-6** *Finding God*
 Wed., June 28 - **ROMANS 8:26-28** *God's Spirit Intercedes*
 Thu., June 29 - **PSALM 121:1-8** *God's Constant Watch*
 Fri., May June 30 - **ZECHARIAH 2:1-5** *Letting God Define Me*
 Sat., July 1 - **ISAIAH 43:14-21** *A Way in the Wilderness*

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*)
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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/SACRAMENT STEWARD - Janet Spiker
WORSHIP CMTE CHAIR - Priscilla Lyon
VISUAL ARTS - Dianna McGrew, Janet Spiker
ACOLYTE COORDINATOR - Roy Melton
HEAD ACOLYTES - Grace P., Sam L.
AUDIO/VIDEO - Tim Melton, Kevin Schramm
NURSERY - Stephanie Parker, Sierra Waterman-Wells
CHURCH COORDINATOR - Shirley Prasada-Rao
CUSTODIAN - Ximenia "Patricia" Murdock

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Fourth Sunday after Pentecost - June 25, 2023
Sunday Worship Service at 10:30 am



A Disciple Is...



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

Iberian Nocturne

Linda Custer
 by Catherine Rollin

Worship Service

Nicole L., Acolyte

WELCOME Introductions and Prayer

PRELUDE MUSIC, TRUMPET/PIANO DUET

The Old Rugged Cross

Walter Moskwa/Linda Custer
 by John Carter

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

led by Erin Smeller

LEADER: We are disciples of Jesus Christ!
 PEOPLE: ***We follow the one the world rejected.***

LEADER: We are disciples of Jesus Christ!
 PEOPLE: ***We walk in the footsteps that went to the cross.***

LEADER: We are disciples of Jesus Christ...
 PEOPLE: ***... Whom we love above all things and follow despite all things, that through our faithfulness, others might find the faith that leads to life.***

***OPENING PRAYER**

led by Erin Smeller

Holy God who created all that exists, we praise you. We open our hearts and our spirits this day to your eternal love and forgiving mercy. Be with us as we participate in this worship service. Remind us again that Jesus Christ gave his life that we might fully understand the depth and breadth of your love. In all things and at all times we praise you. AMEN.

***OPENING HYMN—Take Up Thy Cross**

UMH 415

FIRST READING—Romans 6:1-11

Bob Bachman

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

ANTHEM—CHANCEL CHOIR

Peace Like A River with Amazing Grace

arr by Joel Raney

SECOND READING—Matthew 10:24-39

Rev. Timothy Dowell

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

SERMON *A Disciple Is...*

Rev. Timothy Dowell

***HYMN OF RESPONSE—Where He Leads Me**

UMH 338

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—It Is Well With My Soul**

UMH 377

***BENEDICTION**

Rev. Timothy Dowell

POSTLUDE MUSIC

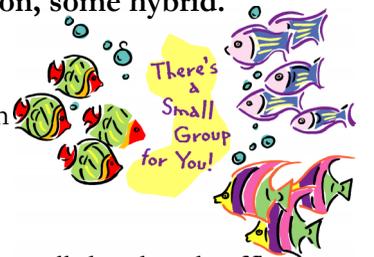
Linda Custer
 by Douglas E. Wagner

Gigue

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

To connect with a group, please email...

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



Kindness
 is loaning someone your strength
 instead of reminding them
 of their weakness.

By Andy Stanley

PRAYER REQUESTS



Send prayer request to
 prayers@PMUMC.org

SCHEDULE	JULY 2	JULY 9	JULY 16
LITURGIST	Bob Bachman Nicole Lewis	Betty Jean Selby Kirsten Lewis	Brenda Boulter Scott McGrew
ACOLYTE	Chloe D.	Sam L.	Isabel S.

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

SUN - JUNE 25 <i>4th Sunday</i> <i>after Pentecost</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10:15 am 10 am - 4 pm 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 12 - 4 pm	Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Rm 8 then Sanctuary Summer Sunday School - Room 4 Health Event at WUMCO - Parking Lot Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service- Sanctuary/YouTube Private Party - FH
MON - JUNE 26	9 am - 4 pm	Dental Van Clinic (WUMCO) - Parking Lot
TUE - JUNE 27	9 am - 4 pm 7 - 9 pm	Dental Van Clinic (WUMCO) - Parking Lot Christian Education Meeting - Room 6
THU - JUNE 29	7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm	Review/Preview w/Pastor Tim - via Zoom Zumba Class - Fellowship Hall
SAT - JULY 1	1 - 4 pm	Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry - On Location
SUN - JULY 2 <i>5th Sunday</i> <i>after Pentecost</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10:15 am 10 am - 4 pm 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Rm 8 then Sanctuary Summer Sunday School - Room 4 Health Event at WUMCO - Parking Lot Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service- Sanctuary/YouTube
TUE - JULY 4	7 - 8 pm	Men's Group Meeting - CANCELLED
THU - JULY 6	7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm 7 - 9 pm	Review/Preview w/Pastor Tim - via Zoom Zumba Class - Fellowship Hall Poolesville Day Committee Meeting - Room 6
SAT - JULY 8	1 - 4 pm	Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry - On Location
SUN - JULY 9 <i>6th Sunday</i> <i>after Pentecost</i>	9:15 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am	Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Rm 8 then Sanctuary Summer Sunday School - Room 4 Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service- Sanctuary/YouTube



Vacation Bible School is coming...

July 17-21, 6-8 pm

Food Truck Party



Vacation Bible School—July 17-21, 6-8pm

Register online at memorial-umc.mycokesburyvbs.com or visit the VBS Corner in the entrance at church to fill out forms and place in basket

Empty paper towel/toilet paper rolls are **NEEDED**—please place donations in big basket located in entry way.



FELLOWSHIP TIME-

Third Sunday each month, right after worship.
THANK YOU for last week's gathering!

Poolesville 4th of July Fireworks

Hot Dogs, Nachos, and Water!

Be part of this fun time while providing affordable food to those in attendance. We need a food shopper, 2 pop-up tents, and people to work the booth.

To help visit www.SignUpGenius.com and search using "office@pmumc.org" email address or reach out to Scott McGrew at 301-991-0927 or mdmcrews@aol.com

PS-Those working get awesome views of the fireworks!

GREETERS NEEDED! Signup on board at the base of the steps. Email bjspike@verizon.net with any questions.



Medical Equipment Loaner - Program is making a difference! To donate or request equipment, contact Eleanor Bateman, 301.461.7898.



Review/Preview—Study Sundays' scriptures with Pastor Tim, Thursdays @7pm via Zoom - email PastorTim@pmumc.org for link.. **No preparation required!**

One-Room Summer Sunday School, PreK-Rising 6th Grade
HELP NEEDED on 8/20 and 9/3
Curriculum Provided

"Sign Up Sheet" on bulletin board across from the church office or find it at www.SignUpGenius.com (search office@pmumc.org).



Memorial Garden
Waterers Needed!



To help out during the summer/fall months, go to SignUpGenius.com and search Office@pmumc.org



The Men's Group - will resume August 15th



Nursery is Open!

6mo-4yr olds during Worship



Jul/Aug Upper Room

Daily Devotionals are available on outside bench & entrance.

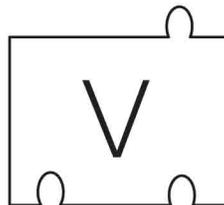
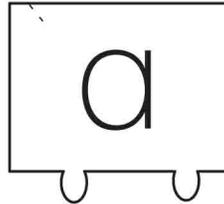
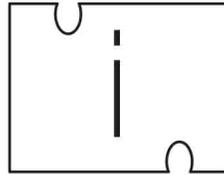
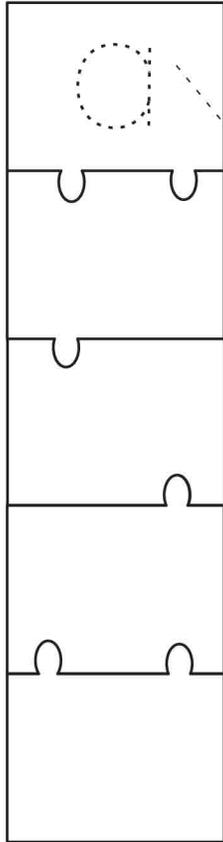
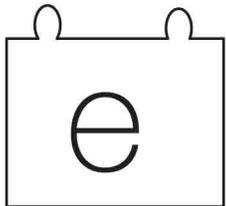
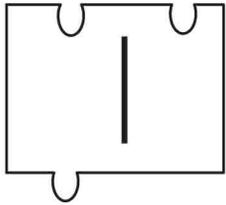


DONATE/SHOP/ VOLUNTEER

W & F, 2-8pm • Th & Sat, 10am-4pm

Let's be dead to sin, but alive
to God in Christ Jesus.

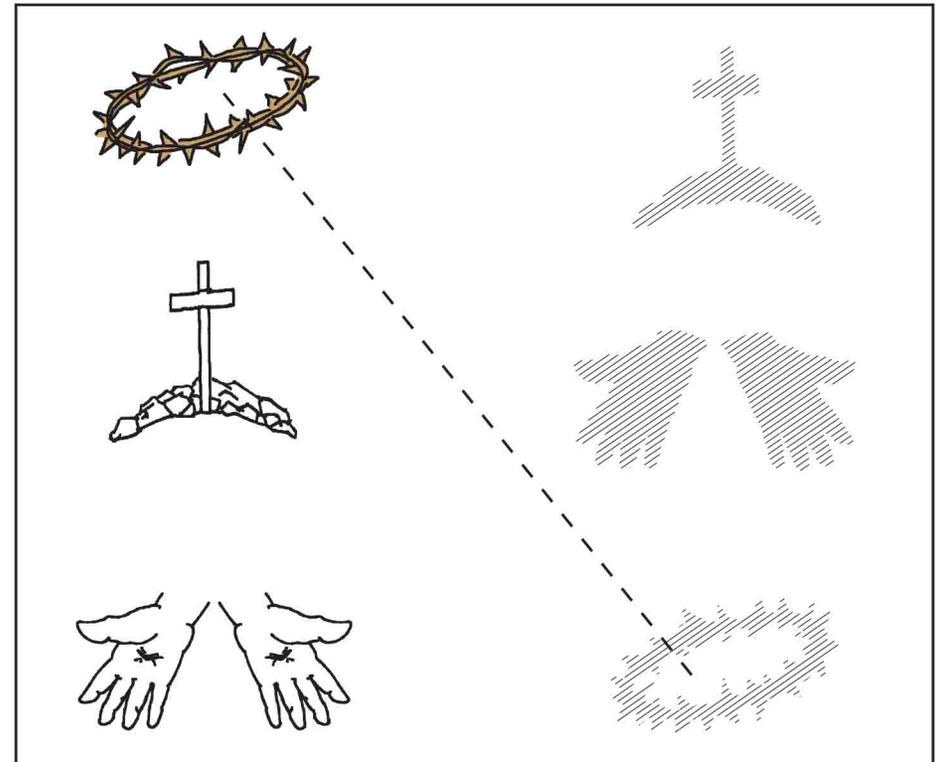
Match the puzzle pieces. Write in the letters.



Live a New Life

Don't live in sin.
Christ died for our sins.

Match the pictures and shadows.



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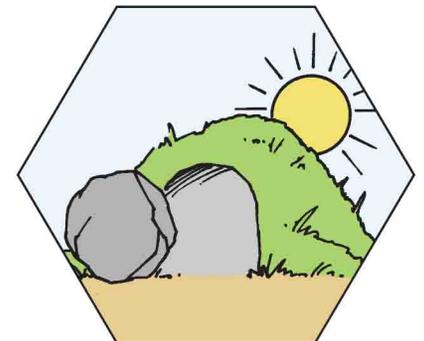
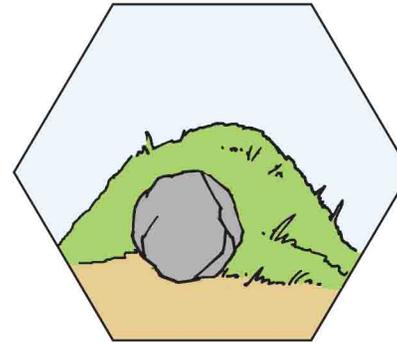
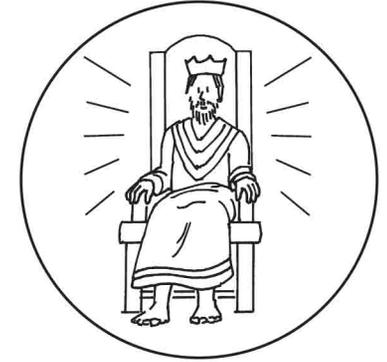
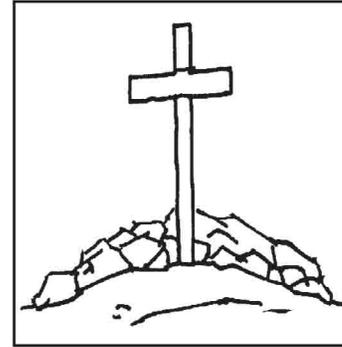
When we are baptized,
we have a new life in Christ.

Circle the 1 picture that is different.



Christ died once for all.
The life He lives He lives for God.

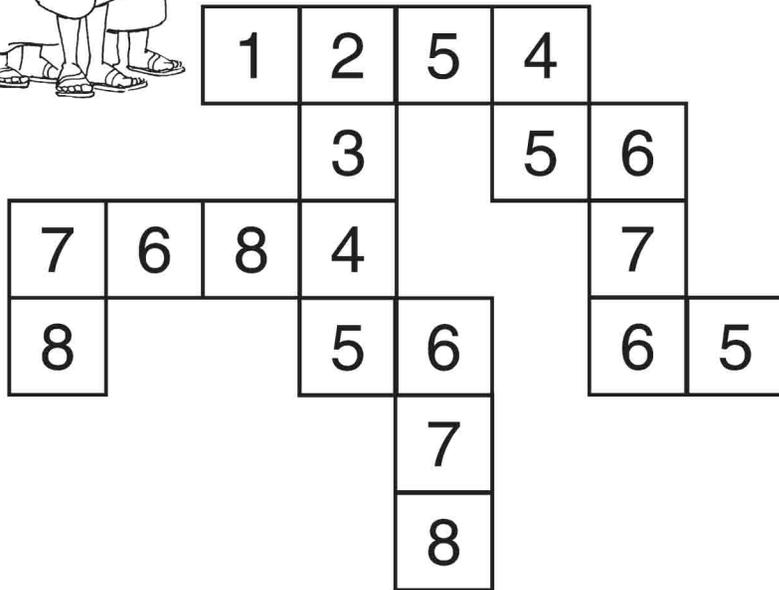
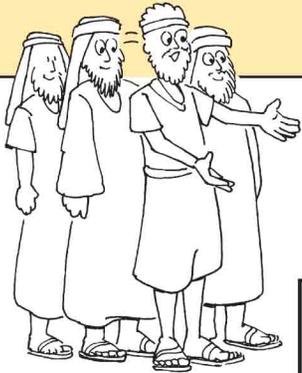
Match the shapes.



Jesus told the disciples to follow Him.

Follow the numbers to help the disciples get to Jesus.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8



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June 25, 2023 • Matthew 10:24-39

Instructions From Jesus

Jesus' message was Good News.

Find and circle the hidden letters.

GOOD NEWS



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Jesus gave the disciples instructions.

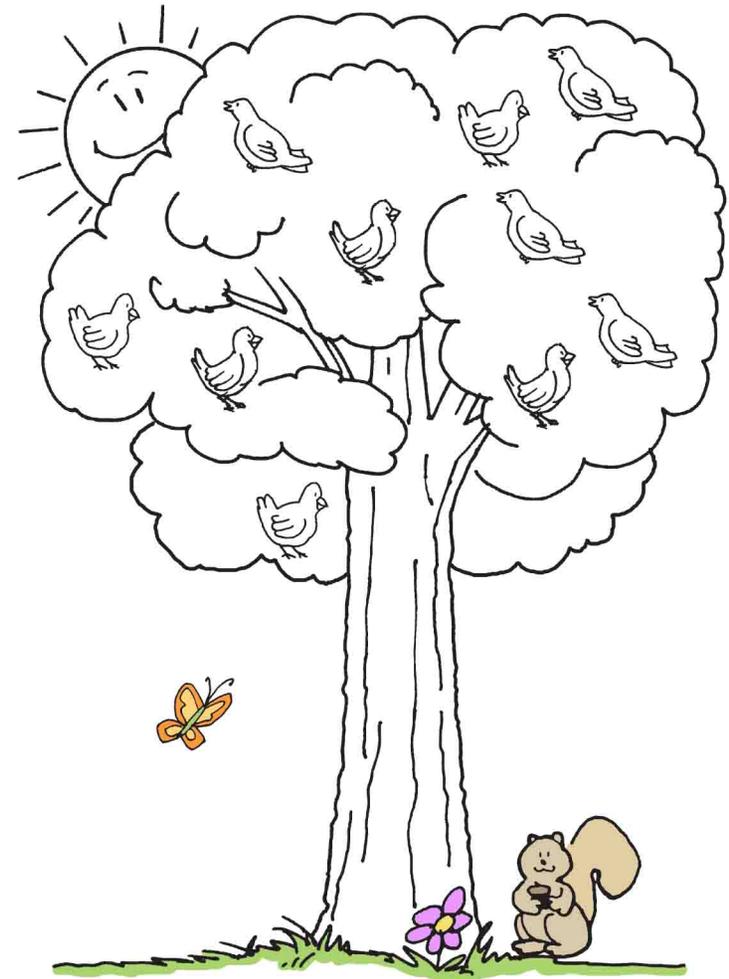
Finish the picture.



Jesus said that God watches the sparrows and people are even more special to God than sparrows.



Count the sparrows in the tree.

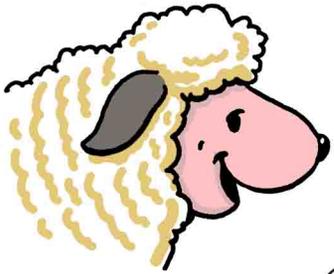


How many are there? Circle the number.

3

5

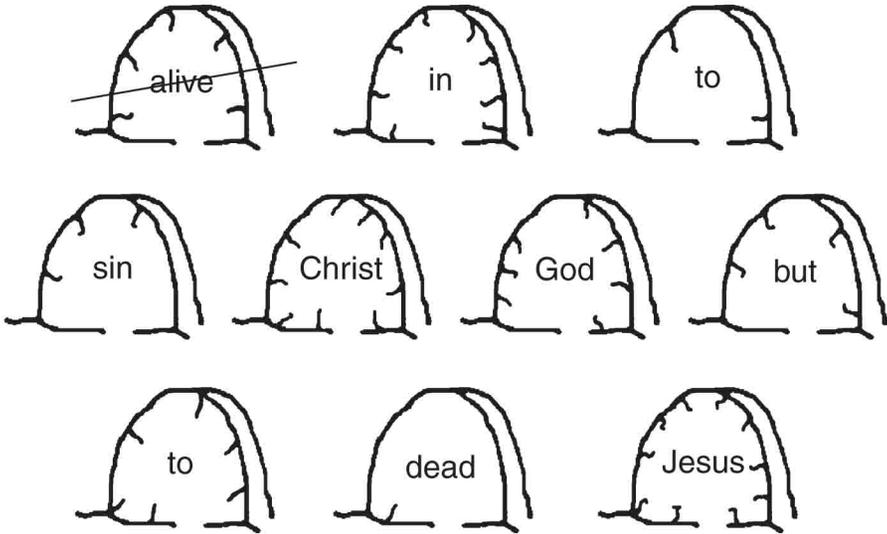
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What else did Paul say?



Count the cracks on each tombstone to put the letters in order.



“Count yourselves

1	2	3	4
alive			
5	6	7	8
			”
9	10		

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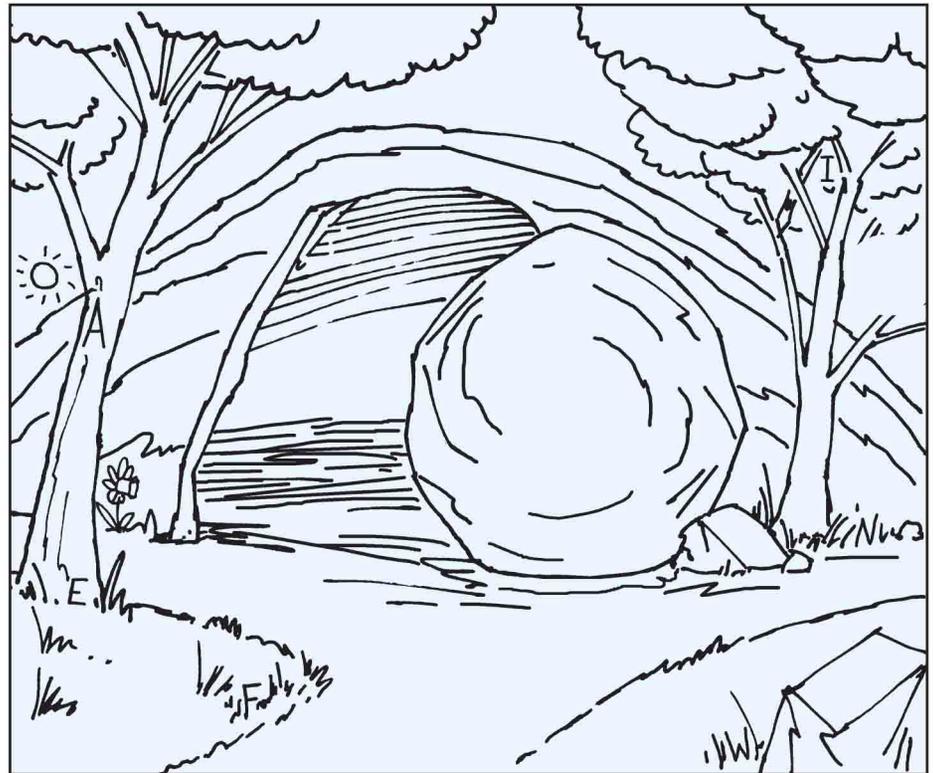
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June 25, 2023 • Romans 6:1-11

Live a New Life

Paul wrote a letter to the Christians in Rome. He told them, “Just as Christ was raised from the dead through the glory of the Father, we too may live a new life.”

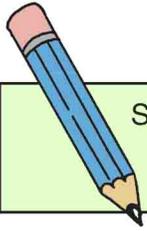
Find the letters of the words “A NEW LIFE” hidden below.



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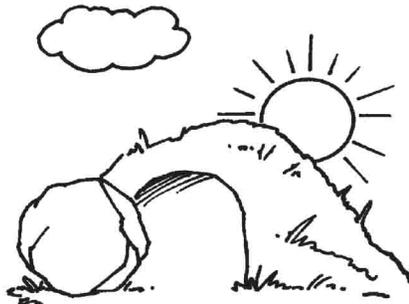
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Paul wrote, "We will certainly also be united with Him in ..." what?



Solve the Sudoku puzzle, by making sure each row, column and box contains the numbers 1-9. Then use the letters that go with each number to fill in the blanks below.

6	1	4		3	9	7	2	
E	5	8	7	4	T		N	1
9		3	2	C	1	8	4	6
5		7	9	6	U	1	3	2
4	2		1	8	3	5	7	9
3	9	1	5	7		6	O	4
R		5		9	8	2	6	7
7	6		S	2	5		1	
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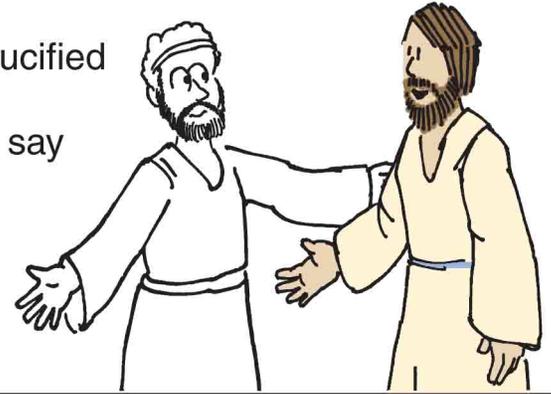


"His ...

_____.

1 2 3 4 1 1 2 5 6 7 8 9

Paul wrote, "Our old self was crucified with Him." What else did he say about this?

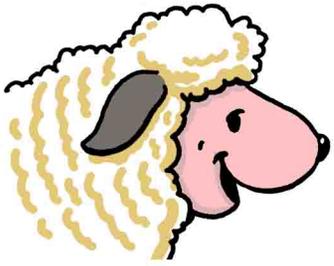


Starting in the top left corner, follow the arrows on the crosses below to find the message.

↓	→	→	→	↓
If	with	Christ	we	believe
↓				↓
→	↑			
we	died	live	← also	that
		↓		↓
			↑	
to	Him	← with	will	← we
	↓			

" _____,

_____.



Jesus talked about who were really His followers.

Start at the . Read every other letter around the cross.
Write the letters in order on the lines.

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June 25, 2023 • Matthew 10:24-39

Instructions From Jesus

When we “acknowledge” something, we admit to knowing it.

Use the graph to find the letters.

	A	E	I	N	T	X
	B	F	K	O	V	U
	C	G	L	R	W	Z
	D	H	M	S	Y	P

Jesus said,

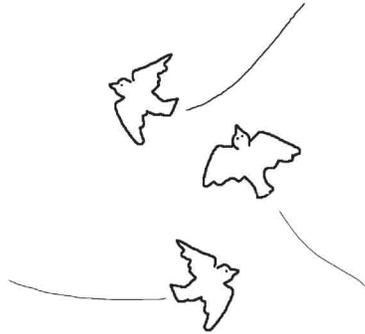
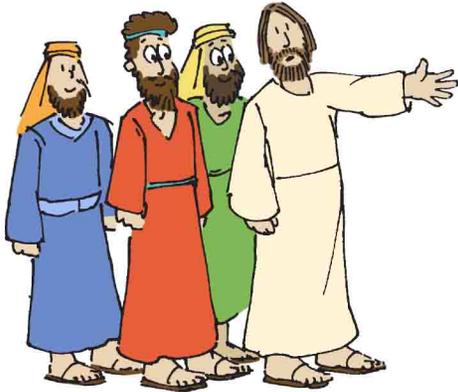
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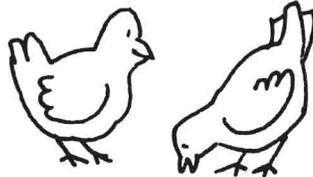
Jesus talked about birds – sparrows – to show how valuable human beings are.

Complete the crossword puzzle. Then transfer the words to the numbered lines.



Across

- 3. Another word for “autumn”
- 4. Means “value”
- 7. Birds Jesus talked about (We’ve done this for you)
- 10. A single thing
- 11. Contraction for “do not”
- 12. Opposite of “few”
- 14. Fearful, scared or alarmed



Down

- 1. Another word for “shall”
- 2. A couple of things
- 3. Male parent
- 5. Another word for “soil” or “earth”
- 6. Opposite of “less”
- 8. Coin of smallest value
- 9. Sounds like “sew”
- 13. Opposite of “together”



“Are not (2) _____ (7) _____ sold for a (8) _____?
 Yet not (10) _____ of them will (3A) _____ to the (5) _____
 (13) _____ from the (1) _____ of your Father.
 (9) _____ (11) _____, be (14) _____; you are (4) _____
 (6) _____ than (12) _____ sparrows.”