

Christian Education

Year 5

Student workbook



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God is Love Week 1: Quarrels in a family

Number the events in their correct order.

- The brothers told Jacob that Joseph was dead.
- In his second dream Joseph saw the sun, moon and stars, bowing down to him.
- The brothers sold Joseph to some traders.
- In his dream Joseph saw eleven bundles of wheat bowing down to his bundle of wheat.
- The brothers soaked Joseph's coloured coat in animal's blood.



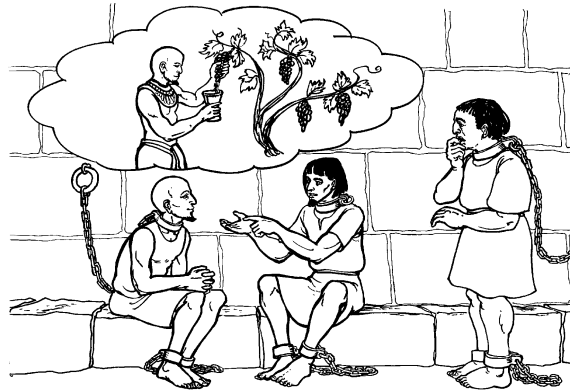
Jacob gave Joseph a beautiful coat of many colours. How did the brothers feel about this?

How does God want us to react when we feel angry?

God is Love Week 2:

God has a plan for us

Joseph was thrown into prison because someone told a lie about him. In prison Joseph helped the butler understand his dream.



What was the dream?

The butler told the king that Joseph could tell the meaning of dreams. What was the king's dream?



What did the dream mean?

What special plan did God have for Joseph?

God is Love Week 3: Reconciliation



Why did Joseph's brothers come to Egypt?

How did Joseph get his father and youngest brother Benjamin to come to Egypt?

Why were Joseph's brothers afraid when they found out that it was Joseph?

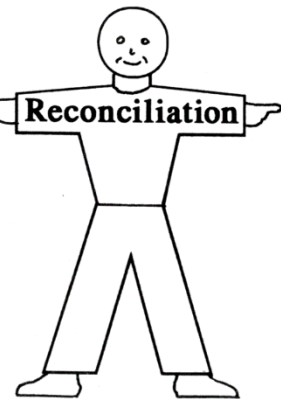
How did Joseph treat his family?

Joseph forgave his brothers
and made p _ _ _ _ .

God wants us to forgive
_ _ _ _ .

In the same way, God will
f _ _ _ _ _ us.

How can
we make
peace
with
God?

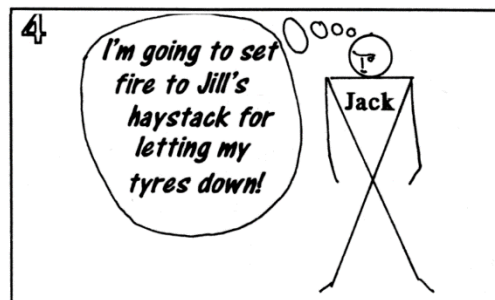
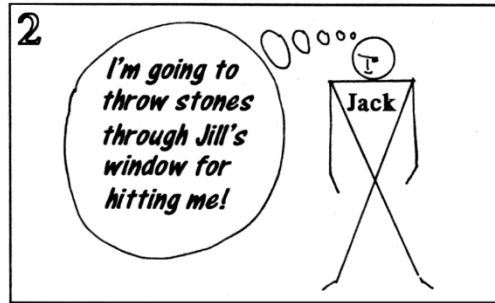


How can
we make
peace
with
others?

God is Love Week 4: Be a peacemaker

Write the words of Jesus from Matthew 5:44:

Love your _____ and _____
for those who _____



How did this argument start?

List three bad actions that followed:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

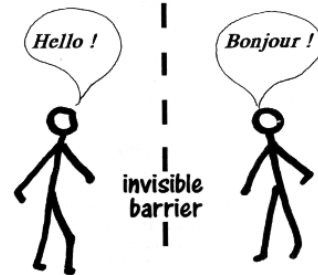
How could these bad actions been avoided?

God is Love Week 5: Barriers

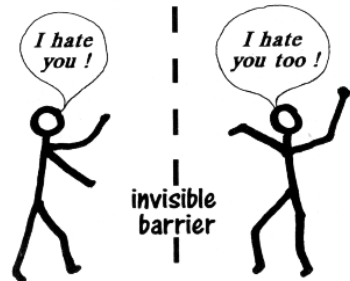
A barrier is something that blocks you from getting through.

A road block is a barrier.

A language barrier stops people's words from getting through to each other.



When people have a fight they might decide not to speak to one another.

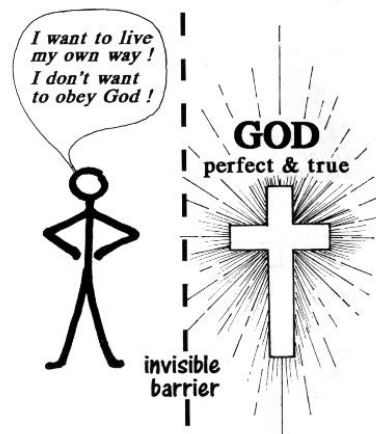


How can this type of barrier be broken down?

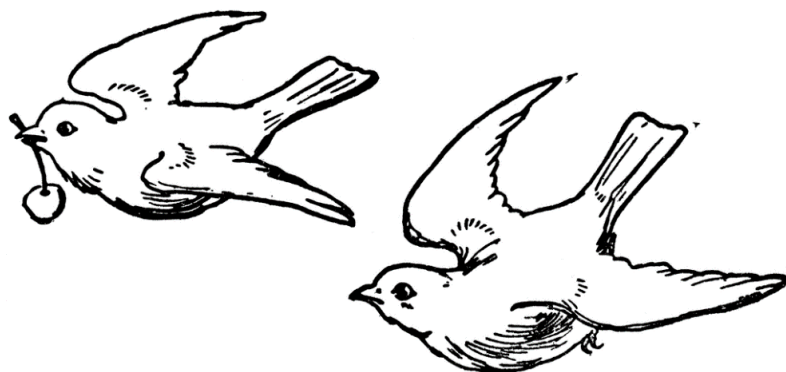
What is the barrier between God and people?

Find out how this type of barrier can be broken down. Write out this Bible verse: Romans 5:8

What do we have to do if we want this barrier to be broken down? Find out from 1 John 1:9.

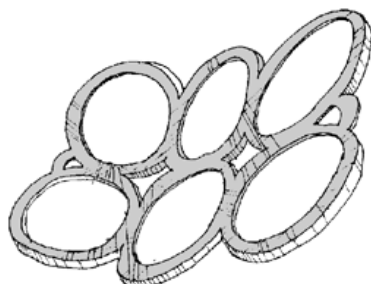


God is Provider Week 1: Taking care of God's provision



Matthew 10:29 Not one sparrow will fall to the ground without your Father knowing it.

Be a good steward of God's creation!



How could this plastic rubbish be a danger to sea animals?

Be a good steward of your things!

Make a list of the things God has given you to look after.

Be a good steward of the people that are precious to you!

Make a list of those you care for.

God is Provider Week 2: Quarrelling over possessions



True or false

1. Abram and his family were travelling to a new land that God had promised to give them.
2. Lot was Abram's cousin.
3. Lot's servants and Abram's servants quarrelled over the best land with the best grass for their sheep.
4. Abram told Lot that he could not have the best land.
5. God changed Abram's name to Abraham.

When we want everything for ourselves it is called being "selfish".

What is the opposite of being "selfish"? _____

Because Abraham was unselfish, God could trust him to be the father of a great nation. What is that nation?

God is Provider Week 3: Sharing our possessions



1. What did Abraham share with the three visitors?

2. What message from God did the visitors bring?

3. Why did Sarah laugh?

4. What did God say?

Hebrews 13:2 says, "Remember to welcome strangers in your homes. There were some who did that and welcomed angels without knowing it."

5. Could the three visitors have been angels? _____

6. Abraham was generous. How can you show generosity?

a) at home? _____

b) at school? _____

God is Provider Week 4: Making possessions a god



Cross out the words that are wrong. Leave the correct option.

A man came running / walking to Jesus.

The man asked what he must say / do to have a home in heaven.

Jesus said, "Do what people want / God wants you to do."

The man said, "I am doing / looking at that now."

Jesus said, "You must do two / one thing."

Jesus wanted him to give away / buy all that he had.

Jesus wanted the man to give money to people who had money / the poor.

This made the man glad / sad.

He did not want to give up his friends / money.

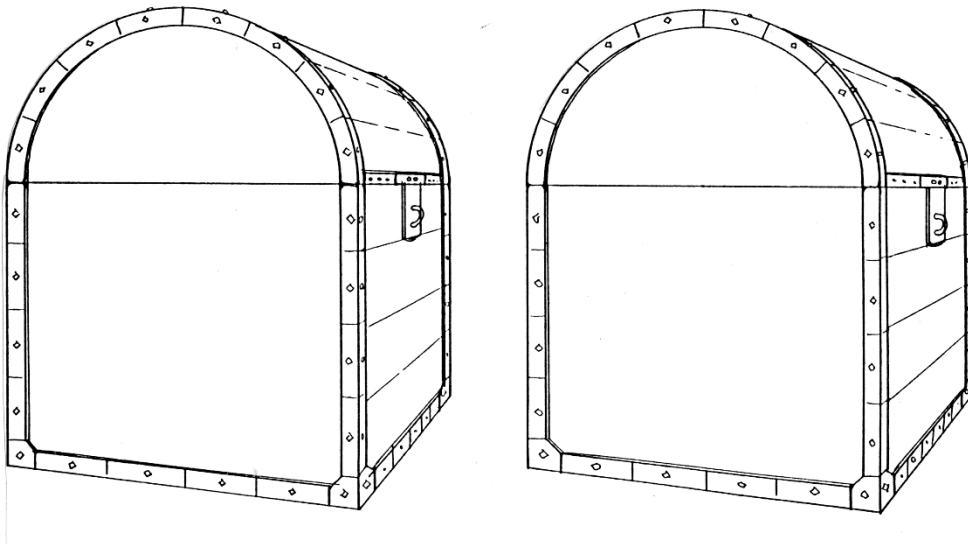
So the man chose to follow Jesus / walk away.

God is Provider Week 5: The greatest treasure

Jesus said, "Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moths and vermin and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where moths and vermin and rust do not destroy, and where thieves do not break in and steal." (Matthew 6:19-20)

Draw some treasure in the first treasure chest. The treasure can be things that people like to own.

Draw the same treasure in the second treasure chest, but this time, draw what might happen to it.



Puzzle

What is the best kind of treasure?



1.
2.

God is our Saviour Week 1: The betrayal



1. Who is the man grabbing the money?

2. Why are the three men giving him the money?

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The trials

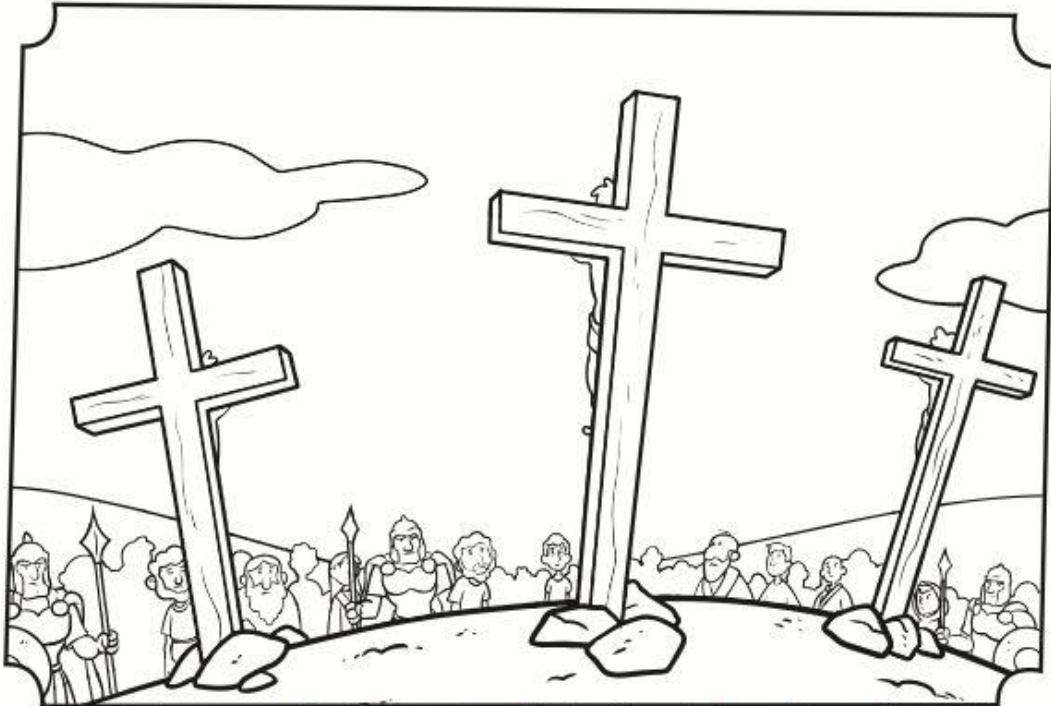


1. Jesus is being blamed for saying that He was

2. What will happen next?

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God is our Saviour Week 2: Jesus died for us



Jesus died to save a world that was covered in sin - He took the punishment for the sin of the world, so that we could all be a part of the Kingdom of God. Mark 15:33-39

1. Jesus died for our sin. He took our p _____.

2. Who are the people standing by?

.....

3. What did Jesus say about His enemies? He said,
"Father, f _____ them!"

4. What strange things happened on that day?

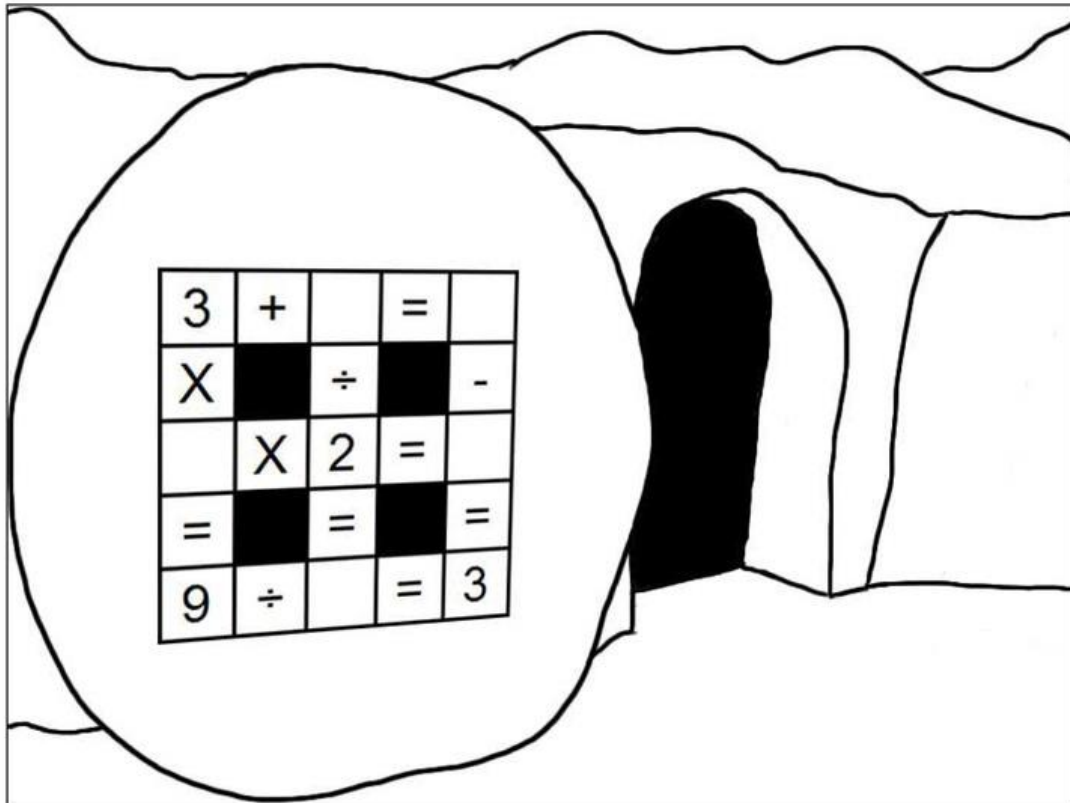
The veil in the temple was t ____ in two.

There was d _____ at midday.

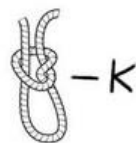
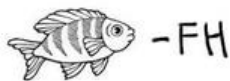
God is our Saviour Week 3: Jesus is alive!

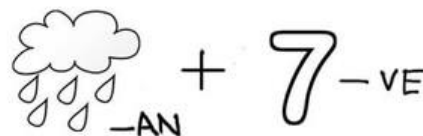
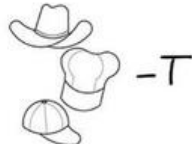
Jesus is Risen!

Complete the sums on the tomb stone...



... then find the hidden message from Luke 24 v 6





God is Pure and Holy Week 1:

God's laws

Fill in the missing words from Exodus 20.



1. Have no other _____.
2. Do not worship _____.
3. Do not s _____.
4. Keep ___ day especially for God.
5. Honour your _____ and _____.
6. Do not m _____.
7. Love the person you _____ and do not take someone else's _____.
8. Do not _____.
9. Do not _____.
10. Do not be _____ of things other people have.

Complete the following from Mark 12:30-31

11. Love the Lord your God with all your _____, _____, _____, and _____.
12. Love your _____ as _____.

Romans 3:23 says, "All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God." All have broken God's laws. This means that no one can be good enough to get to Heaven.

What did God do to make it possible for us to live with Him in Heaven?
John 3:16 _____

God is Pure and Holy Week 2:

Jesus broke down the barrier

The only person who was ever born perfect was _____.

There is no way we can pay the consequence for our sins because it is just too much! But Jesus has paid the price already! Jesus made it so that we don't have to pay for our own sins. He took all our punishment on himself.



Colossians 1:20 God made peace through His Son's death on the

_____.

Ephesians 2:14 With His own body He broke down the _____.

Romans 5:1 We have been put right with God through _____. We have _____ with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.



God is Pure and Holy Week 3: When we do wrong

What is the feeling we have when we do wrong? _____

How can God help us when we feel like this?

1 John 1:9 If we confess our sins to God He will f_____ us our sins.

We can say sorry to God and to o_____.

King David

Who did King David rule over? _____.

God required him to be a good and righteous king, because the Israelites were God's special people.

King David sinned by taking Uriah's w_____.

King David tried to cover his sin by putting Uriah in the front line of the battle so that he would be k_____.

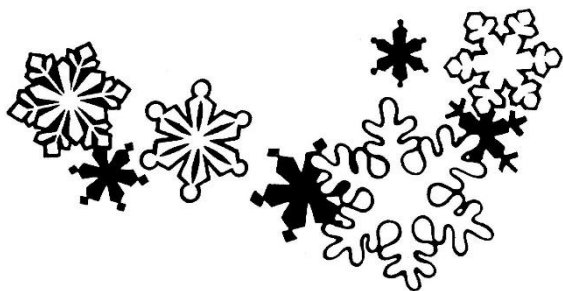
How did David feel about his sins? David was _____. (Psalm 32:3)

When David confessed his sins to God he was f_____. (Psalm 32:5)

Week 4: Confession

The Bible compares a pure heart with snow. Did you know that snowflakes have many different geometric shapes, but these can only be seen under a microscope? Snow is white and clean. That is how clean our hearts become when we ask Jesus to forgive our sins.

Write out Psalm 51:7b



God is Creator Week 5:

After their own kind

On which of the days of creation did God make man and land animals?

Why did God make animals?

The animals were made 'after their own kind'. What does this mean?

Human beings are more special than the animals. Give three reasons why.

1. The Holy Spirit can I ___ in us.
2. We can I ___ and worship God.
3. More is expected from us. We have a conscience to know right from wrong and God expects us to make right ch_____.

How was God's creation of man and woman an example of marriage between a man and woman?

Why did God say that His creation was 'very good'?



God is Creator Week 1:

No sickness or suffering

What were some effects of the Fall upon the creation?

Make a list of the features of the world *before the Fall* and *after the Fall*. Use drawings and words.

Before the Fall	After the Fall

Some people say that if God is a God of love then He shouldn't allow sickness and suffering in the world. Now that you understand Genesis 1-3, what would you say to this?

List some similarities between Heaven and the original, perfect Creation.

Week 2: The Bible is history

The Bible is 'God breathed'. What does this mean?

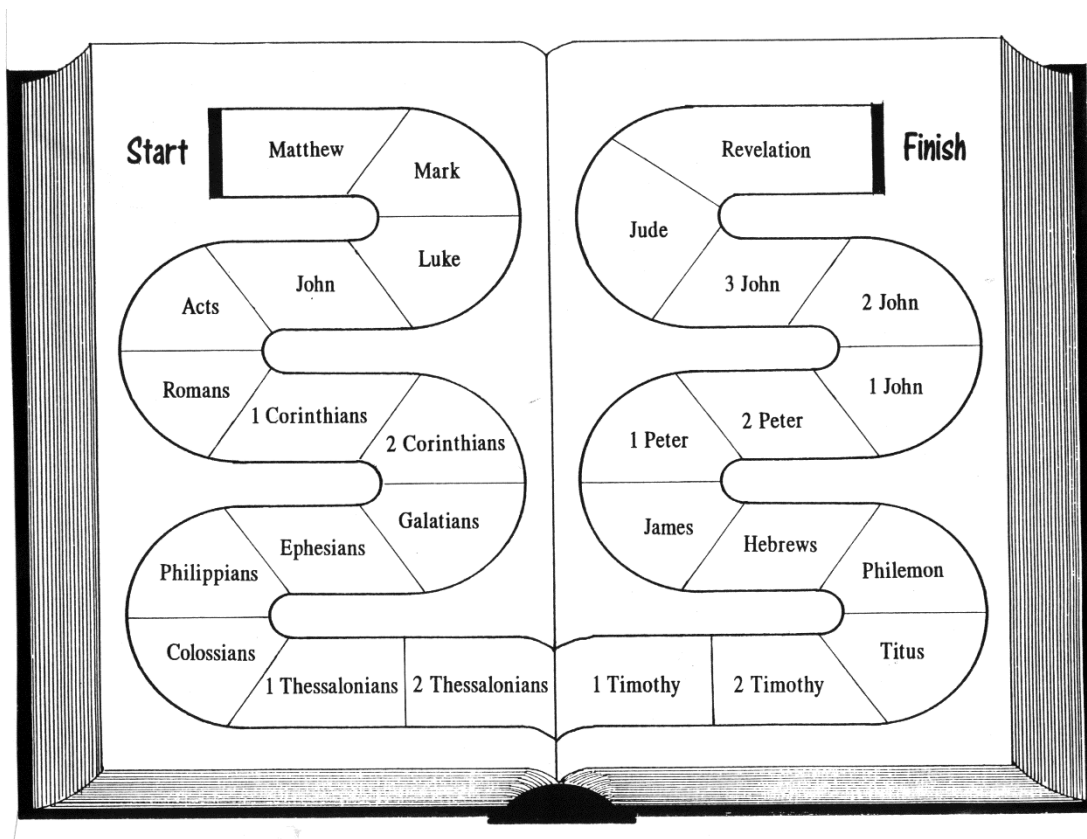
Old Testament	
Creation and the Law:	Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy
History of Israel:	Joshua, Judges, Ruth, 1 Samuel, 2 Samuel, 1 Kings, 2 Kings, 1 Chronicles, 2 Chronicles, Ezra, Nehemiah, Esther
Poetry:	Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Solomon
Prophets:	Isaiah, Jeremiah, Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel, Hosea, Joel, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah, Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi

New Testament	
The Gospels:	Matthew, Mark, Luke, John
Acts	Acts
The Letters:	Romans, 1 Corinthians, 2 Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians, 1 Thessalonians, 2 Thessalonians, 1 Timothy, 2 Timothy, Titus, Philemon, Hebrews, James, 1 Peter, 2 Peter, 1 John, 2 John, 3 John, Jude
Revelation:	Revelation

God is Creator Week 3:

Books of the New Testament

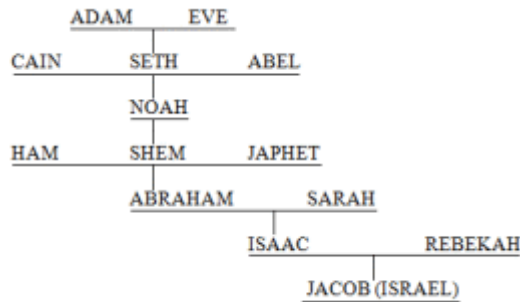
This is a game to play with a partner. Take turns in throwing a dice and make your way around the books of the New Testament.



God is Creator Week 4:

History of the Old Testament

This is a simplified family tree of people in Bible history. There are extra generations not shown. These can be found in Genesis 5:1-32 and Genesis 11:10-27.

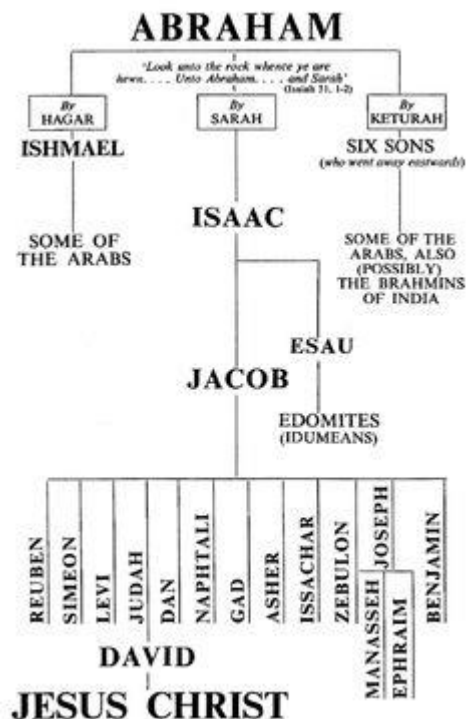


The following family tree, starting from Abraham, shows us that Jesus Christ came from Abraham's family.

How many sons did Jacob have? _____

Which son is a direct descendent of Jesus? _____

Note that there are extra generations between Judah and Jesus that are not shown on the diagram. You can find the additional ancestors in Matthew chapter 1. Study verse 17. How many generations from Abraham to David? ____; from David to the exile in Babylon? ____; from then to the birth of Christ? ____



God is Creator Week 5:

The nation of Israel

What was God's promise to Abraham? (Genesis 22:7)

Who are the children that God was going to give Abraham? (Two answers required.)

1) _____

2) _____

Did the promise happen right away? _____

What did Abraham do when he heard this promise?

Name three countries that surround Israel.

Why is Israel so important in world history?

Israel / Middle East



God is Wise Week 1: Listening to God



Where did Samuel live? _____

Why did God call Samuel?

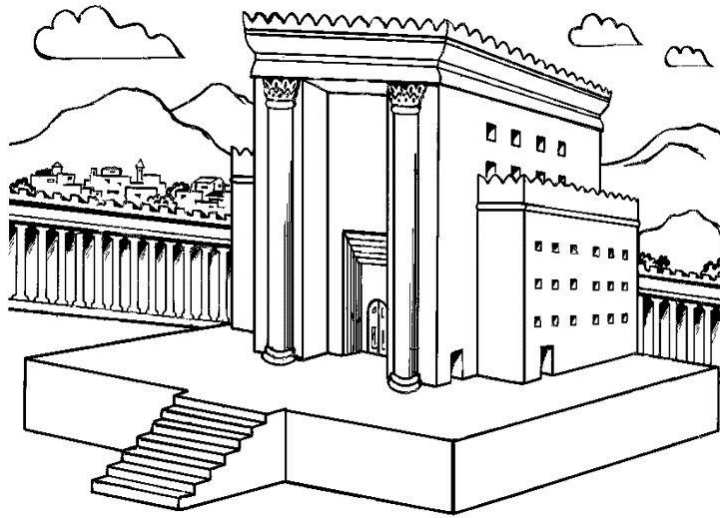
Samuel heard God in an audible voice. In what other ways does God speak to people?

How can we get to know the voice of Jesus, the Good Shepherd?

Write this Bible verse: John 10:27

What might God call us to do for Him?

God is Wise Week 2: Wise choices



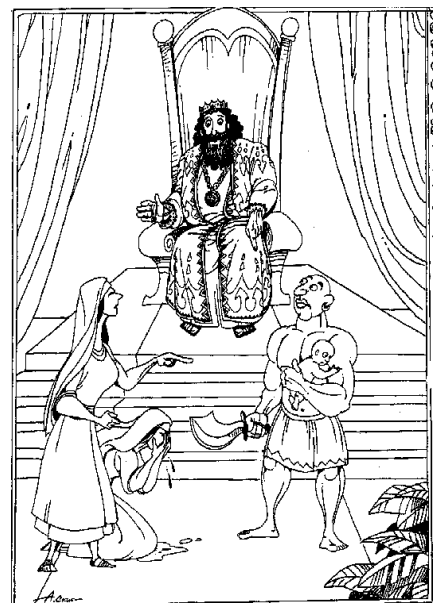
What is wisdom?

Why did Solomon need wisdom?

Why is it important to have wisdom?

How can we become wise?

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God is Wise Week 3: Wise actions

Read Proverbs 3:5-7

What is the problem with acting on what YOU think, without asking for God's help in making decisions?

What is the result of asking God for help? (verse 6)

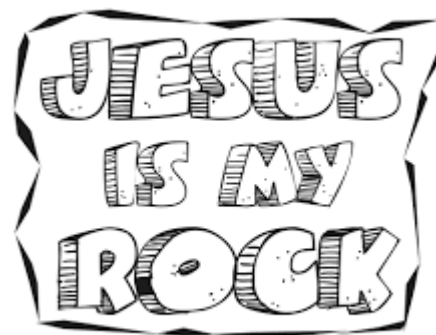
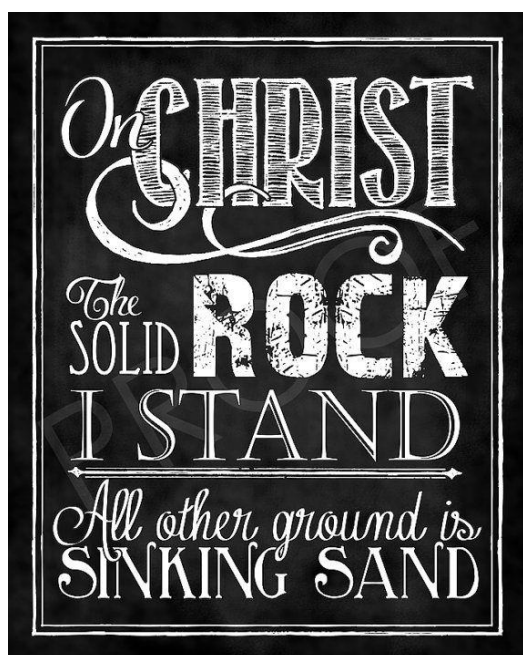
To have wisdom, it is not enough just to KNOW what God is telling us to do. What else must we do?

Read 1 Corinthians 3:11

Who is the only solid and true foundation of a person's life? _____

The Bible tells us that all other foundations are like sinking _____.
(Matthew 7:26)

What are some other foundations that people choose?

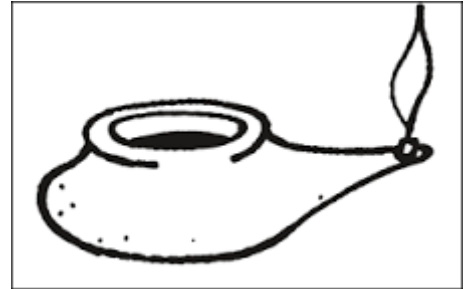


God is Wise Week 4: It is wise to be prepared

How many girls had enough oil in their lamps?

How many girls ran out of oil? _____

What is oil a symbol of? _____



What does the Bible mean when it tells us to “have oil in our lamps”?

How does an astronaut prepare for going into space?

How does a Christian prepare for doing the work of God?

Write this Bible verse: Revelation 3:20

How can we prepare our hearts for the coming of the Lord Jesus?



God is a Servant Week 1: Being a servant



Why did the disciples need their feet washed?

What feast were the disciples about to participate in?

What did Jesus know about the near future? (John 13:3)

Why do you think Peter did not want Jesus to wash his feet?

Why did Jesus wash the disciple's feet? (verse 14)

Is it hard for proud people to serve others? _____

How can we guard ourselves against pride?

Name two acts of service you can do for others.

God is a Servant Week 2: Being faithful

*A friend
loves
at all times...*

Proverbs 17:17

1. What does it mean to 'love' your friend in this Bible verse? Explain how you should treat your best friend.

2. When might it be difficult to love your friend?

3. What would you do if you had a disagreement with your friend?

4. What if your friend was going through a difficult time. What would you do?

5. What is the meaning of 'faithful'?

6. List three ways in which Jesus was faithful to His friends.

7. Who is the faithful friend the Bible tells us about in Proverbs 18:24?

God is a Servant Week 3: Serving with humility



What was the Pharisee's prayer?

What was the tax collector's prayer?

Why was the tax collector's prayer more acceptable to God?

If	you	want	to
be	great	in	
God's	kingdom		
then	you	must	be
a	servant	of	all

God is a Servant Week 4:

Serving through giving



Matthew 25:14-30

A master gave three servants some money called 'talents'.

When the master returned he asked the servants to report to him.

How do you think two of the servants were able to double their money?

What did he say to these two servants?

One servant was given one talent. What did he do with his money?

Why do you think he did this?

What did the master say to the servant who had been given one talent?

Who is our Master? _____

What talents has God given you?

How would you feel if the Lord said to you, "Well done, good and faithful servant"?

God is Protector Week 1:

God is a strong tower



The Israelites were about to enter the land that God had promised them, but there were some problems. Look at the problems on the left hand side of the table. On the right hand side you will find God's answers to the problems. But the events on the right hand side are not in the right order. Draw lines from the problems on the left to God's answer on the right.

The problems	God's answers
The city of Jericho was occupied by enemies.	God gave Joshua's men protection in Rahab's house.
The king found out that Joshua's men had entered the city of Jericho.	God made a path through the river and the Israelites walked through the dry river bed.
The river was in full flood and the current was strong.	The walls of Jericho fell down, destroying the city.

What did God say to Joshua before going to claim the Promised Land?
(Joshua 1:9)

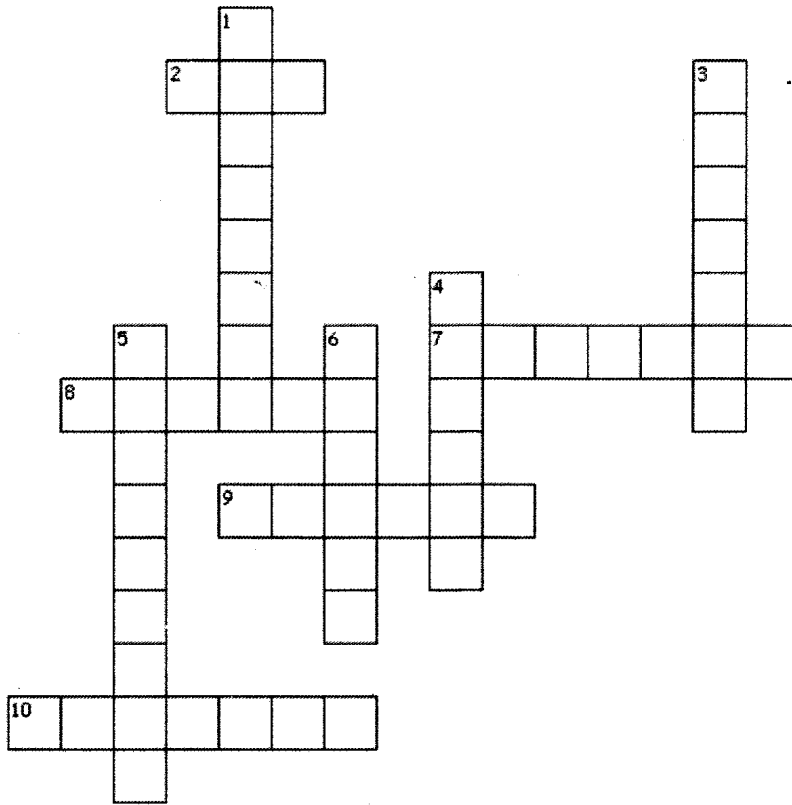
Proverbs 18:10

The name of the Lord is a strong _____.

The righteous run into it and are _____.

God is Protector Week 2:

God protects His people



Across

2. Mordecai refused to _____ to Haman, so Haman decided to get rid of all the Jews.
7. Esther could not approach the king unless he _____ her first.
8. Esther prayed and _____ for three days before she went to the king.
10. Esther had great _____. She wanted to do the right thing.

Down

1. The name of Esther's cousin
3. Mordecai was _____ by the king because he saved his life.
4. Esther could have been _____ for going to the king without permission.
5. Young Esther won the king's heart because she was so _____.
6. God made Esther queen because she was _____ to save the Jews.

Key words

Across: (Jumbled order)

fasted, Jewish, courage, bow, invited

Down: (Jumbled order)

beautiful, Mordecai, honoured, killed, chosen

God is Protector Week 3:

Miracles of protection

Each of the Bible characters on the left experienced God's miraculous protection. Draw a line to the event on the right, where God protected.

Bible character	God protected
Noah	Led the Israelites into the Promised Land
Joseph	Saved from the belly of a whale
Moses	Protected from a world-wide flood
Joshua	An angel told Joseph to flee to Egypt
David	Protected from the flames in the furnace
Esther	Protected from the lions
Daniel	Sold as a slave by his brothers
Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego	Protected from shipwreck and snake bite
Jonah	Saved her people from being killed
Jesus	Protected from the giant
Paul	Led the Israelites through the Red Sea



God is Truth Week 1:

Facts about the Bible

True or false? (T or F)

1. The New Testament was written before the Old Testament.
2. The Old Testament is mainly about the Israelites, also called Jews.
3. The first five books of the Bible are called God's law.
4. The first 5 book of the Bible were written by Moses.
5. The New Testament starts from the birth of Jesus.
6. The Scriptures in Jesus' time were written in books.

Psalm 19:7-8

God's word is:

p_____, t_____ and r_____.

2 Timothy 3:16

All Scripture is:

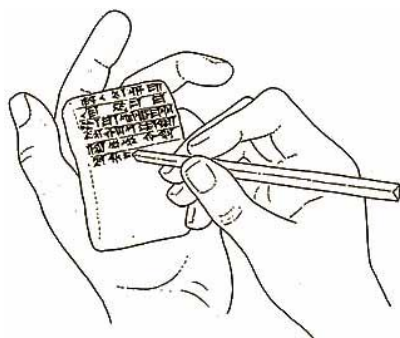
God – b_____.

Hebrews 4:12

The word of God is:

a_____ and _____.

Early writings



Clay tablet



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God is Truth Week 2:

The Word of God in our hearts



<p>The Path</p>	<p>The shallow ground</p>
<p>The thorn bush ground</p>	<p>The good soil</p>

God is Truth Week 3:

Telling the truth; living truthfully

I am truthful when I:

- speak the truth
- see and understand truth
- do not always try to impress others or exaggerate
- am content to be my true self

A prayer to say:

Lord Jesus, help me to be completely
honest
in the things I say,
trustworthy
in the tasks I am given,
loyal
in my relationships with others.
Help me to honour your name in everything I do.

Decorate the prayer with colour, patterns and symbols.

When we live truthfully we are a light in a dark place. (Matthew 5:14-16)




God is Lord and King Week 1: The world waited for His coming


The events in the following story appear in jumbled order. Write numbers down the left hand side to give the correct sequence of events:

- Zechariah did not believe the angel so the Lord sealed his lips.
- Zechariah wrote the baby's name: "His name shall be John".
- The baby was born.
- The angel brought the news to Zechariah that his wife would have a son.

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What was the special message that John the Baptist preached?

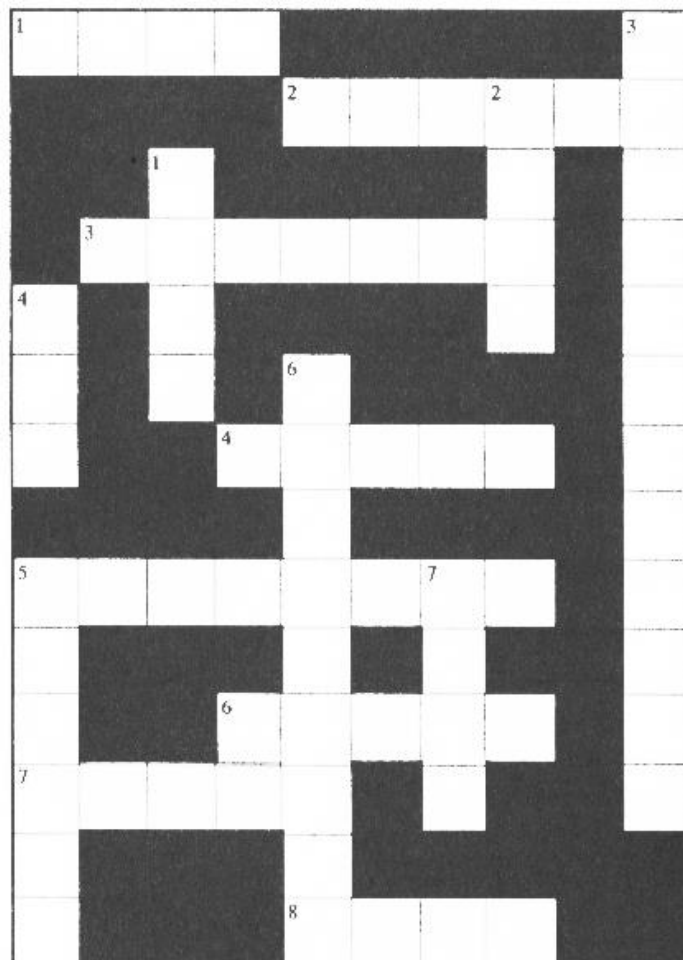
God is Lord and King Week 2: The birth of Jesus

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1. Direction from which the wise men came.
2. A feeding trough for animals.
3. The name of an angel.
4. _____ is the 'Light of the World'.
5. An angel appeared to them.
6. The name of a jealous king.
7. Mary gave _____ to Jesus in a stable.
8. The mother of Jesus

DOWN

1. The wise men are also known as the _____
2. The gift brought by the wise men.
3. All the rooms were full in this place.
4. A shed for animals.
5. The birthplace of Jesus.
6. There was no _____ in the inn.



God is Lord and King Week 3: God's love for the world

Draw a picture of John the Baptist and show some information about him in your drawing. You will find the information in Matthew 3:1-6. Use these questions to help you in your drawing.

What were John's clothes made from?

What did he wear around his waist?

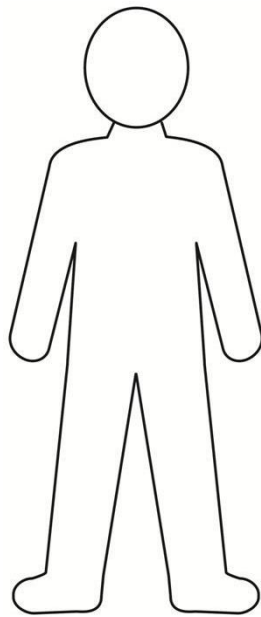
What do you think his hair would have looked like?

Do you think he would have had a beard?

Where was he preaching? (Draw the background).

What did he eat for food? (Draw bees and locusts).

Was there a river nearby?



What was John's message?

"Get ready for _____."

Why did God send Jesus?

John 3:16 God _____ the world so much that He sent His only Son.

