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Workbook for Kid's Church



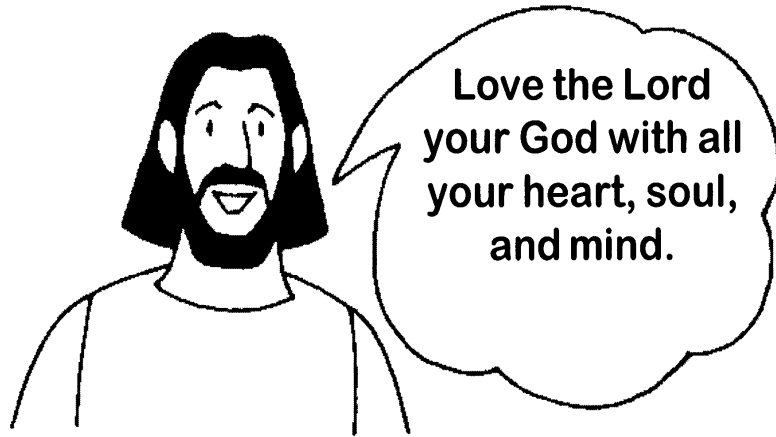
The Twenty-Second Sunday
after Pentecost
29 October, 2023

Matthew 22:19-21

Jesus said: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul and mind, and love others as much as you love yourself."

Help us, Lord, to keep your law, loving you with all we are, loving other people too. That's what we will try to do. **Amen.**

Jesus said:



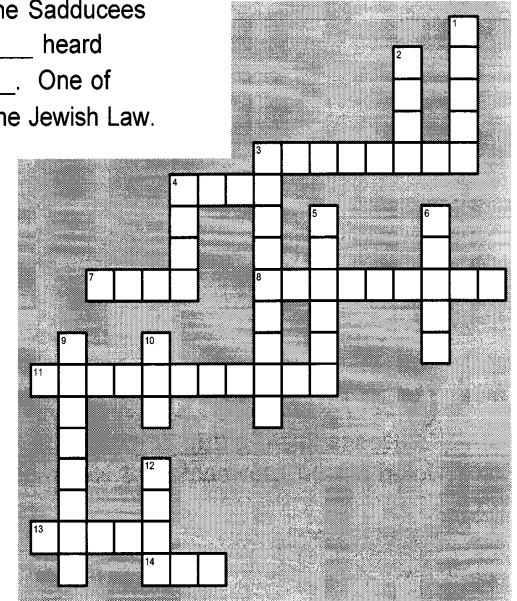
We show how much we love God when we remember to say our prayers each day:



Crossword: Matthew 22:34-40 (CEV)

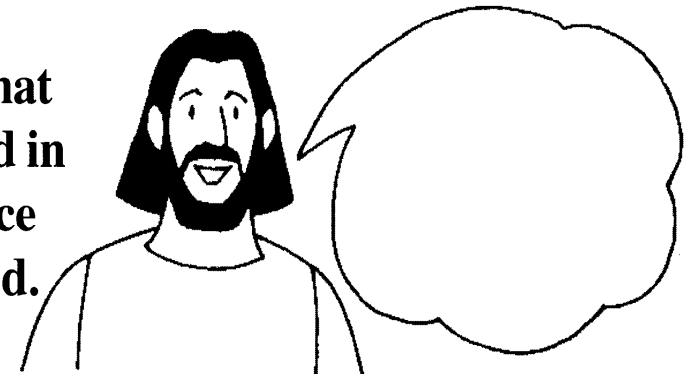
Listen CAREFULLY to the Reading and fill in the blank spaces.
Afterwards you will be able to complete the crossword puzzle below.

- 13 across) After _____ had made the Sadducees
- 3 down) look foolish, the _____ heard
- 9 down) about it and got _____. One of
- 5 down) them was an _____ in the Jewish Law.
- 12 down) So he tried to _____ Jesus by asking,
- 10 down) "Teacher, what is the most important commandment in the _____?"
- 7 across) Jesus answered: "Love the _____ your
- 6 down) God with all your _____, soul, and
- 4 down) _____. This is the first and most
- 8 across) _____ commandment. The second
- 11 across) most _____ important _____ is like
- 2 down) this one. And it is, "_____ others
- 4 across) as _____ as you love yourself."
- 1 down) All the Law of _____ and the Books
- 3 across) of the _____ are based on
- 14 across) these _____ commandments.



CHALLENGE:
Can you memorize Jesus' answer?

Write what Jesus said in the space provided.



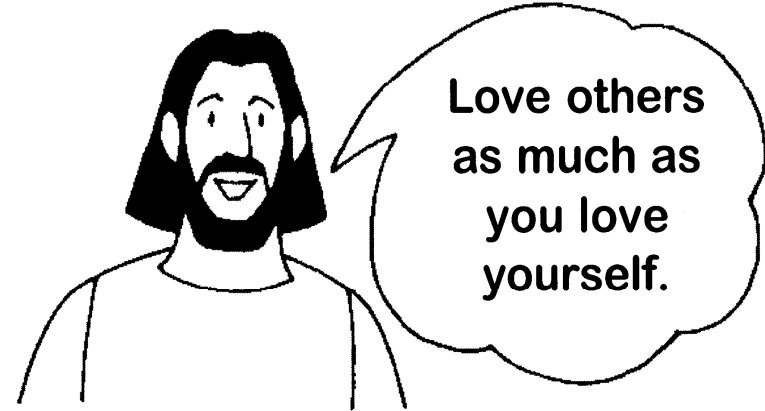


Word Search: Matthew 22:34-40 (CEV)



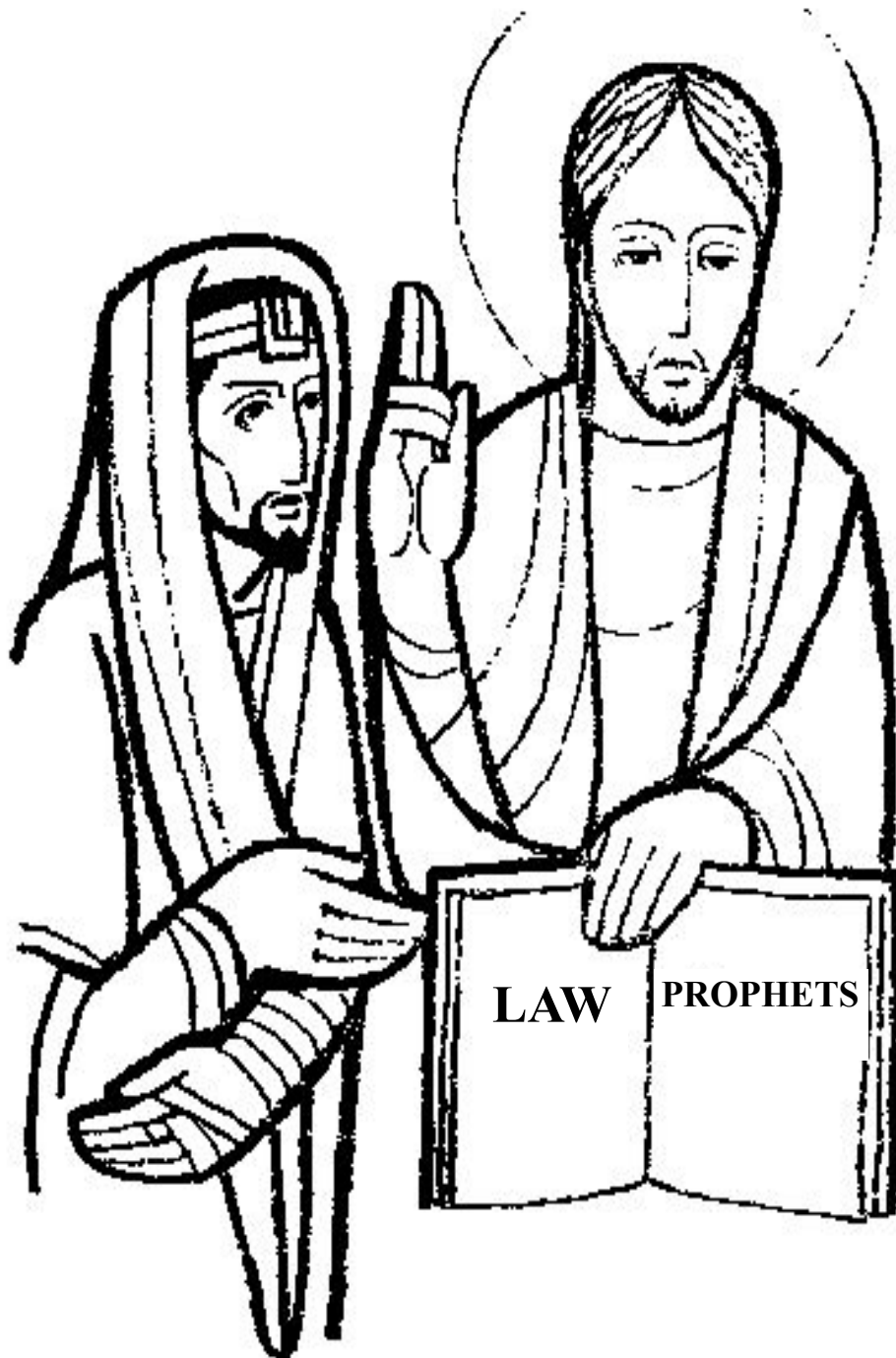
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| JESUS | PHARISEES | TOGETHER |
| EXPERT | TEST | LAW |
| LORD | HEART | MIND |
| IMPORTANT | COMMANDMENT | LOVE |
| MUCH | MOSES | PROPHETS |
| TWO | | |

Jesus said:



We show how much we love others when we are kind and helpful:





BRAIN WAKE UP, SWEAT GLANDS, THIS BODY'S HEATING US FAST! GET INTO ACTION BEFORE IT OVERHEATS!

SWEAT GLANDS OK, I'M GETTING IN GEAR NOW. I'VE BEEN WORKING OVERTIME SINCE HE STARTED JOGGING EVERY MORNING.

BRAIN HE NEEDS TO SCRATCH HIS NOSE; GET MOVING, ARM. USE THE FRAYED BITS AT THE END OF YOU AND START SCRATCHING.

ARM RIGHT YOU ARE, BOSS.

FINGERS WE'VE GOT A NAME, IF YOU DON'T MIND! 'FRAYED BITS', INDEED!

BRAIN HEART AND LUNGS, YOU'LL NEED TO SPEED UP A BIT, NOW HE IS.

HEART YEAH, I'LL KEEP HIM GOING.

EYES HE'S JUST SEEN ALICE. I THINK THE HEART'S GOING TO NEED SPEEDING UP AGAIN!

BRAIN YOU'RE RIGHT! QUICKEN UP, HEART - HE'S SEEN ALICE AND HE LOVES HER!

HEART OH NO, CAN I STAND THE PACE!

LORD, HAVE MERCY UPON US AND INCLINE OUR HEARTS TO KEEP THIS LAW.

JESUS' SUMMARY OF THE LAW

WHAT DID HE SUMMARISE?

The ten commandments. But he said that everything in the whole Law and all the prophets came from this.

WHAT?

Love the Lord your God, with your whole being, and love your neighbour as yourself.

THAT'S NOT MANY RULES.

No, but if you live by those you will be living the best way possible. It's clear, and simple to remember.

THE 10 COMMANDMENTS

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| ① I am the Lord - no other gods | ① LOVE GOD! |
| ② Don't worship idols | ② LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOUR AS YOURSELF! |
| ③ Don't misuse the Lord's name | |
| ④ Keep the Sabbath holy | |
| ⑤ Honour your father and mother | |
| ⑥ Do not murder | |
| ⑦ Do not commit adultery | |
| ⑧ Do not steal | |
| ⑨ Do not tell lies or give false testimony | |
| ⑩ Do not want what others have | |

THE ADVANTAGES OF THE SUMMARY