

Pre-Lesson Downloads

#28 The Good Samaritan

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Dear Families: I pray you and your loved ones are faring well through the challenges of this time! The scripture from 2 Chronicles 7:14 comes to my mind when I think about the Lenten time. . .“If My people who are called by My Name humble themselves, pray, seek My face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land.” It sounds like what we are called to do during Lent. I grew up in a protestant church where we frequently had ‘Revivals’ where different preachers would come to help ‘revive’ our faith. I wonder if Lenten activities inspired them to this same type of looking inward to renew ourselves. God Bless you!

Bible Text: Luke 10:25-37

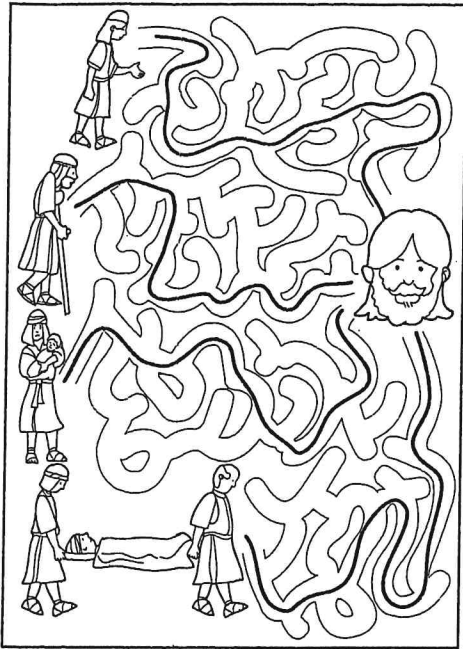
Note: The Jews and Samaritans were neighbors who hated each other. Some think they were genetically related while others think the Samaritans had some Jewish blood but were “contaminated” by the blood and religions from mixed marriages with non-Jews. Whatever the truth of their actual heritage, the groups did not like each other, making this parable, a short story that teaches a moral or spiritual lesson, of The Good Samaritan hold more meaning. Jesus used many parables to teach the apostles and those who followed Him. The people of that time would have understood this parable in a deeper way. Also, there were many who tested Jesus to see if He spoke against the Law and Prophets. In Matthew 5:17-18 Jesus said very specifically, “Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished.”

“Just then a lawyer stood up to test Jesus, ‘Teacher,’ he said, ‘what must I do to inherit eternal life?’ He said to him, ‘What is written in the law? What do you read there?’ He answered, ‘You should love the Lord with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself.’ And He said to him, ‘You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.’ But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, ‘And who is my neighbor?’ Jesus replied, ‘A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while traveling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, ‘Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend.’ Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?’ He said, ‘The one who showed mercy.’ Jesus said to him, ‘Go and do likewise.’”

Bible Verse: Please choose a verse from your list of verses to read each day in the Ash Wednesday and Lent lesson. I found 4 that would be perfect. Here’s 2: Ephesians 4:32 - Be kind to one another. 1 John 3:23 – Love one another. Draw your own picture of the verse you choose or just decorate the page with stickers or a design that shows the meaning of the verse.

Materials: *Maze page and references to find more about Jesus’ healing *Coloring page
*Anagram puzzle *Easier crossword *More difficult crossword *Find the path page

Answers to puzzles:



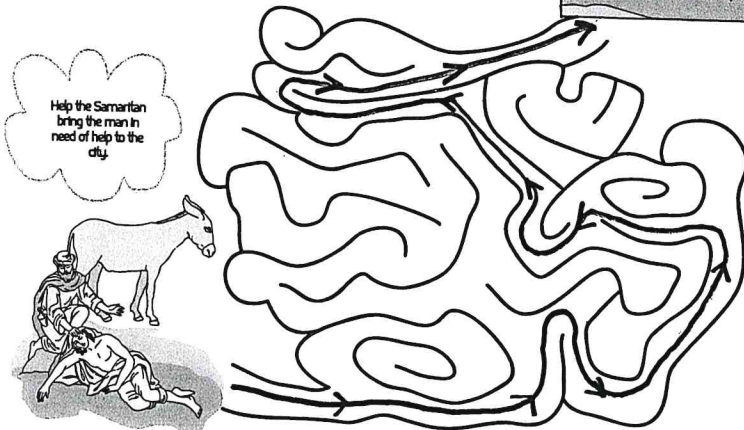
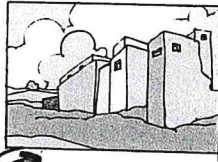
Good Samaritan Crossword



Word List:
 compassion inn
 neighbor live
 Samaritan love
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 Jews three

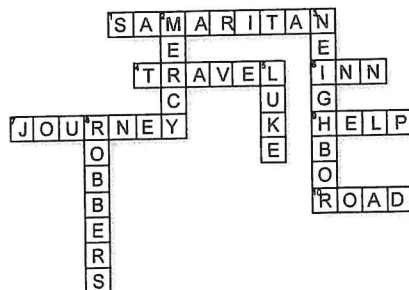
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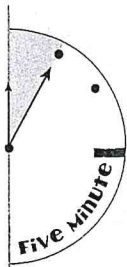
In the chapter of Luke, Jesus tells us to, "Love your neighbor as yourself" and gives us the story of the Good Samaritan as an example. Not only does the Samaritan bandage the stranger's wounds, he feeds and pays for the stranger's lodging until he is well again.



Help the Samaritan bring the man in need of help to the city.

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 deehlp helped
 emnoy money
 acimnoopss compassion
 abeent beaten
 eehrt three





Help the sick people find Jesus
so they may be healed.

Other Miracles of Jesus – Help them find their way to Jesus, then read about them.

The solution is on page 95.

Jesus heals a blind man

Mark 8:22-25



Jesus heals a lame man

John 5:2-12



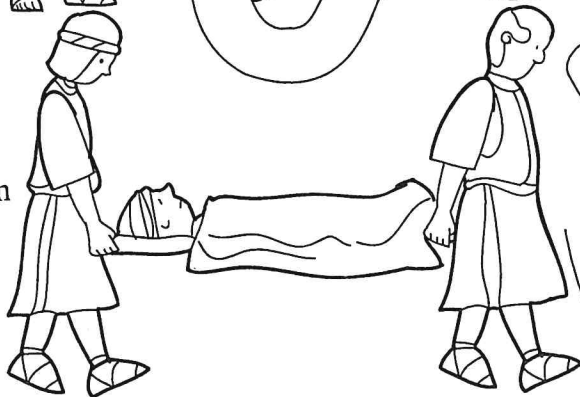
Jesus blesses children

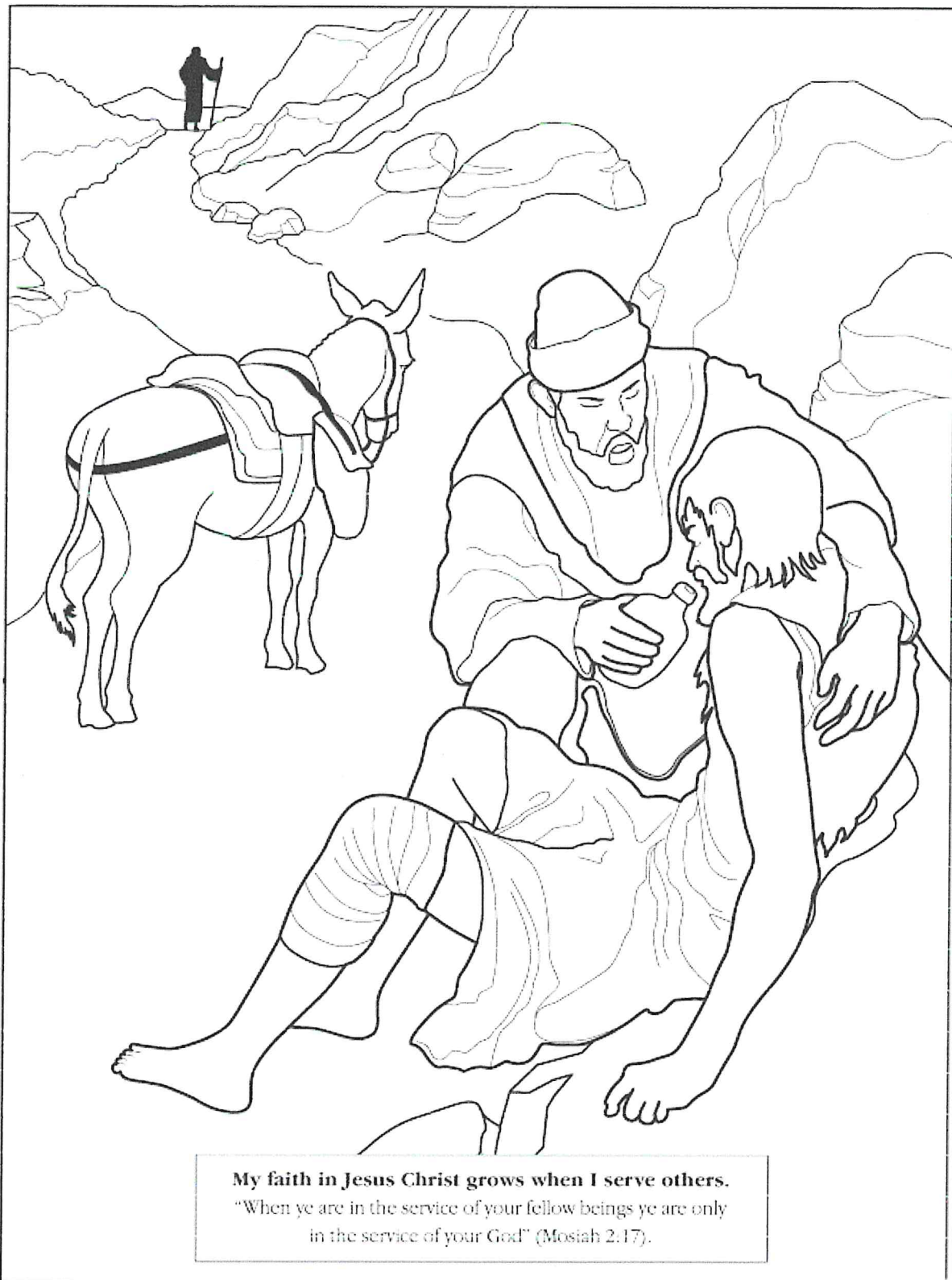
Mark 10:13-16



Jesus heals
a paralyzed man

Luke 5:17-26



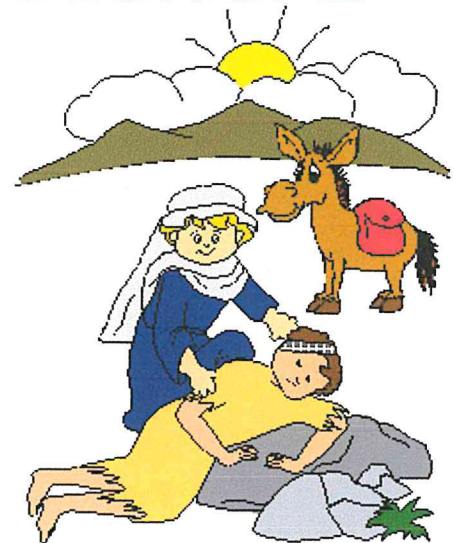
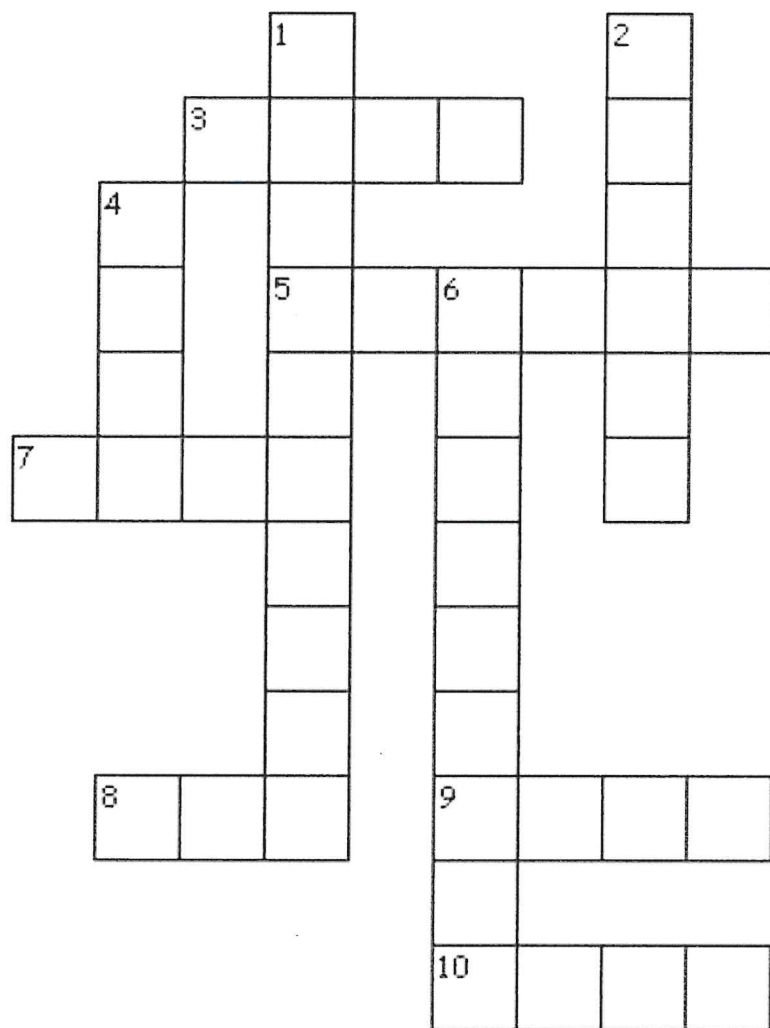


My faith in Jesus Christ grows when I serve others.

"When ye are in the service of your fellow beings ye are only
in the service of your God" (Mosiah 2:17).

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Across

3. We are to ____ God with all our heart, soul, strength and mind.
5. The man was beaten, yet people ____ the man without helping him.
7. These people did not get along with the Samaritans.
8. The Samaritan took the man to an ____ while he was getting better.
9. The number of thieves that robbed the man.
10. Jesus told this parable to answer the question, "Who is my ____?"

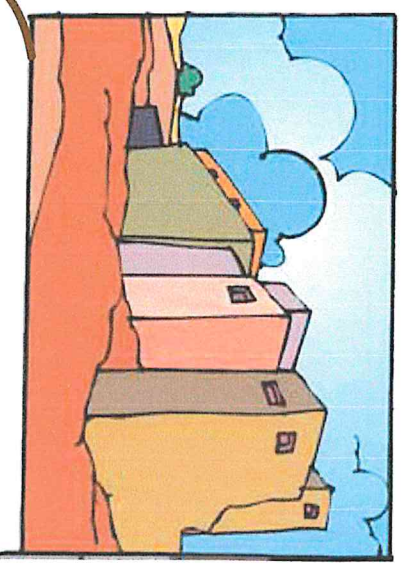
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1. We all should have this just like the Samaritan did.
2. This was the first person to pass by and not help.
4. Love God and your neighbor and Jesus said you will do this.
6. This was the only person to help the Jew who was hurt.

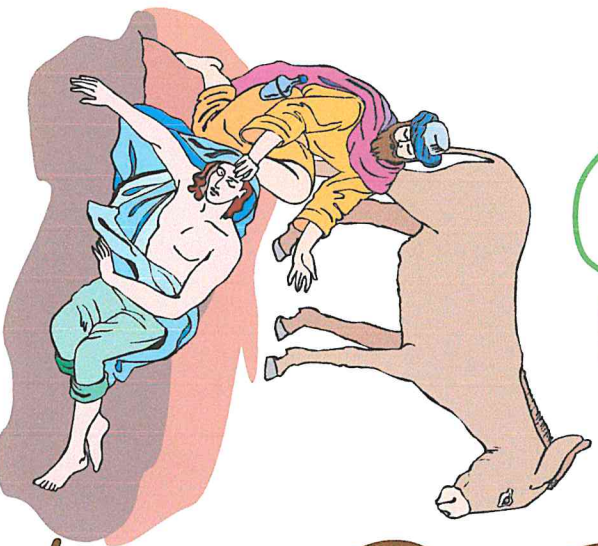
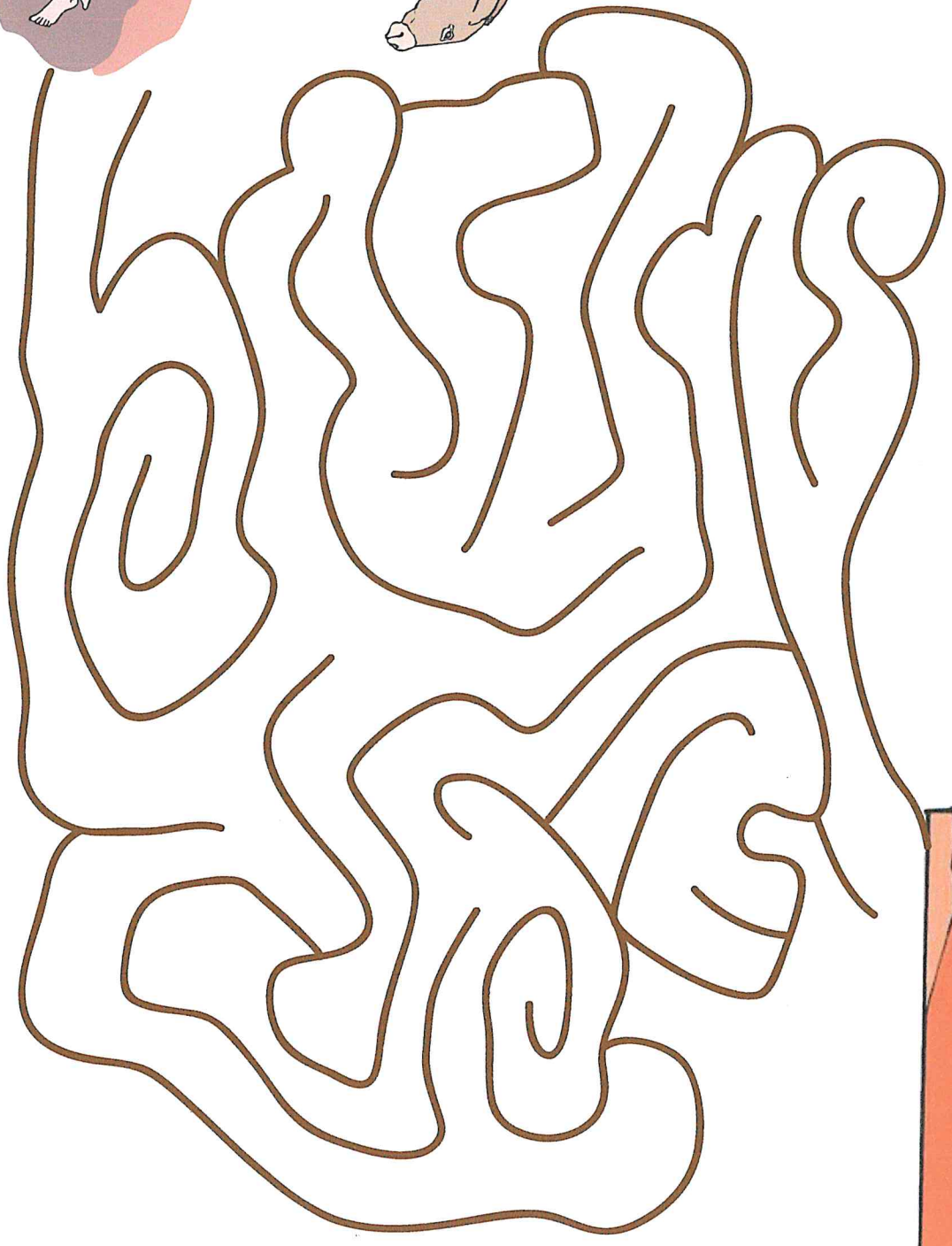
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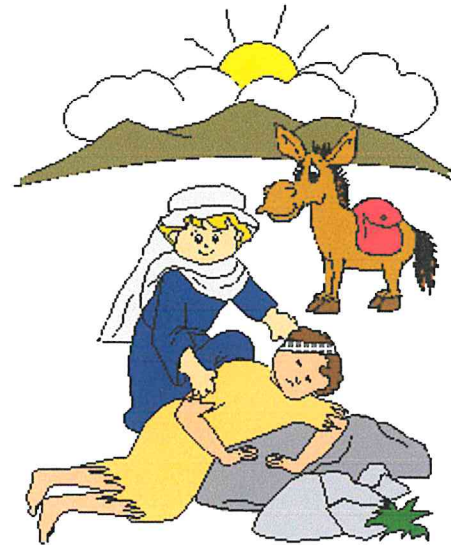


Unscramble the letters to find the words in our

Good Samaritan Anagram

Word List:

beaten, compassion, helped, ignored,
journey, money, neighbor, robbery,
Samaritan, three



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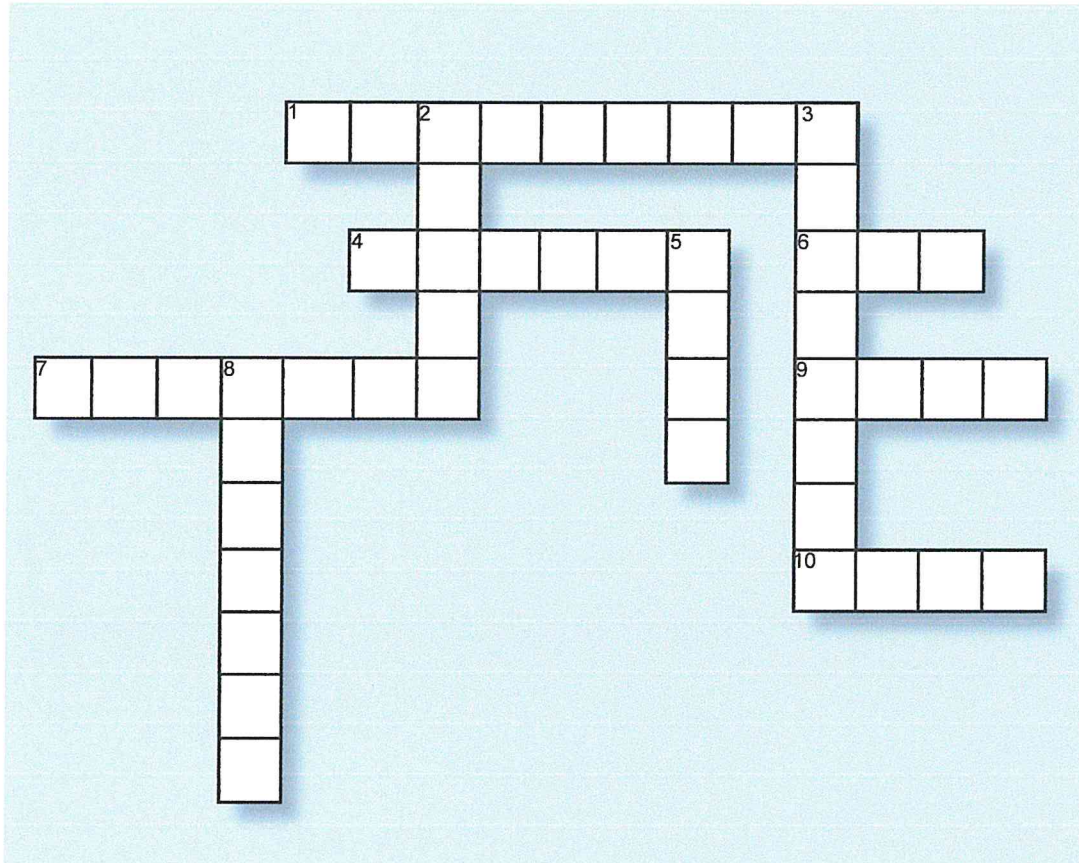
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The Good Samaritan Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

1. The Good _____
4. Go from one place to another
6. Another name for hotel
7. A trip
9. Give assistance or aid
10. Path, street, or highway

DOWN

2. Kindness or forgiveness
3. We should love our _____.
5. Book of the Bible
8. Thieves or bandits