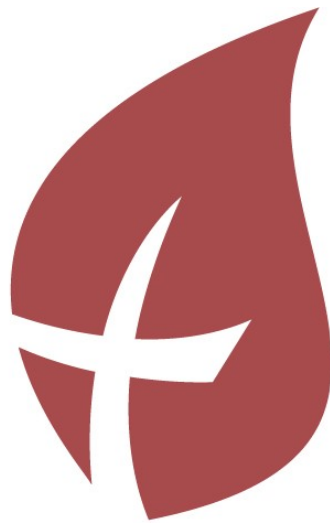


Sunday Morning Worship

May 24, 2020



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Scripture Readings

2 Timothy 2:1-13

¹You then, my child, be strengthened by the grace that is in Christ Jesus, ²and what you have heard from me in the presence of many witnesses entrust to faithful men, who will be able to teach others also. ³Share in suffering as a good soldier of Christ Jesus. ⁴No soldier gets entangled in civilian pursuits, since his aim is to please the one who enlisted him. ⁵An athlete is not crowned unless he competes according to the rules. ⁶It is the hard-working farmer who ought to have the first share of the crops. ⁷Think over what I say, for the Lord will give you understanding in everything.

⁸Remember Jesus Christ, risen from the dead, the offspring of David, as preached in my gospel, ⁹for which I am suffering, bound with chains as a criminal. But the word of God is not bound! ¹⁰Therefore I endure everything for the sake of the elect, that they also may obtain the salvation that is in Christ Jesus with eternal glory. ¹¹The saying is trustworthy, for:

If we have died with him, we will also live with him;

¹²if we endure, we will also reign with him;

if we deny him, he also will deny us;

¹³if we are faithless, he remains faithful—

for he cannot deny himself.

Romans 8:18-39

¹⁸For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us. ¹⁹For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the sons of God. ²⁰For the creation was subjected to futility, not willingly, but because of him who subjected it, in hope ²¹that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to corruption and obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. ²²For we know that the whole creation has been groaning together in the pains of childbirth until now. ²³And not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the firstfruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly as we wait eagerly for adoption as sons, the redemption of our bodies. ²⁴For in this hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what he sees? ²⁵But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

²⁶Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness. For we do not know what to pray for as we ought, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groanings too deep for words. ²⁷And he who searches hearts knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints according to the will of God. ²⁸And we know that for those who love God all things work together for good, for those who are called according to his purpose. ²⁹For those whom he foreknew he also predestined to be conformed to the image of his Son, in order that he might be the firstborn among many brothers. ³⁰And those whom he predestined he also called, and those whom he called he also justified, and those whom he justified he also glorified.

³¹What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? ³²He who did not spare his own Son but gave him up for us all, how will he not also with him graciously give us all things? ³³Who shall bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. ³⁴Who is to condemn? Christ Jesus is the one who died—more than that, who was raised—who is at the right hand of God, who indeed is interceding for us. ³⁵Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or danger, or sword? ³⁶As it is written,

“For your sake we are being killed all the day long;
we are regarded as sheep to be slaughtered.”

³⁷No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. ³⁸For I am sure that neither death nor life, nor angels nor rulers, nor things present nor things to come, nor powers, ³⁹nor height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Song Lyrics

God Moves

William Cowper | Bob Kauflin

Verse 1:

God moves in a mysterious way
His wonders to perform
He plants His footsteps in the sea
And rides upon the storm
Deep in His dark and hidden mines
With never failing skill
He fashions all His bright designs
And works His sovereign will

Chorus:

So God we trust in You
O God we trust in You
So God we trust in You
O God we trust in You
When tears are great
And comforts few
We hope in mercies ever new
We trust in You

Verse 2:

Oh fearful saints new courage take
The clouds that you now dread
Are big with mercy and will break
In blessings on your head
Judge not the Lord by feeble sense
But trust Him for His grace
Behind a frowning providence
He hides a smiling face

Verse 3:

God's purposes will ripen fast
Unfolding every hour
The bud may have a bitter taste
But sweet will be the flower
Blind unbelief is sure to err
And scan His work in vain
God is His own interpreter
And He will make it plain

Jesus, I Come

William T Sleeper | Jason Brown | Mike Rogers

Verse 1:

Out of my bondage sorrow and night
Jesus I come
Into Thy freedom gladness and light
Jesus I come to Thee
Out of my sickness and into Thy health
Out of my want and into Thy wealth
Out of my sin and into thyself
Jesus I come to Thee
Jesus I come to Thee

Verse 2:

Out of my shameful failure and loss
Jesus I come
Into the glorious gain of Thy cross
Jesus I come to Thee
Out of earth's sorrows into Thy balm
Out of life's storms and into Thy calm
Out of distress to jubilant psalm
Jesus I come to Thee
Jesus I come to Thee

Verse 3:

Out of unrest and arrogant pride
Jesus I come
Into Thy blessed will to abide
Jesus I come to Thee
Out of myself to dwell in Thy love
Out of despair to glories above
Upward for e're on wings like a dove
Jesus I come to Thee
Jesus I come to Thee

Verse 4:

Out of the fear and dread of the tomb
Jesus I come
Into the joy and light of Thy home
Jesus I come to Thee
Out of the depths of ruin untold
Into Your peace, Your sheltering hold
Ever Thy glorious face to behold
Jesus I come to Thee
Jesus I come to Thee

It Is Well

Horatio Spafford | Phillip Bliss

Verse 1:

When peace like a river attendeth my way
When sorrows like sea billows roll
Whatever my lot, Thou hast taught me to say
It is well, it is well with my soul

Chorus:

It is well (It is well)
With my soul (with my soul)
It is well, It is well with my soul

Verse 2:

Tho' Satan should buffet, Tho' trials should come
Let this blest assurance control
That Christ hath regarded my helpless estate
And hath shed His own blood for my soul

Verse 3:

My sin, O the bliss of this glorious tho't
My sin, not in part but the whole
Is nailed to the cross and I bear it no more
Praise the Lord! Praise the Lord, O my soul!

Verse 4:

And Lord haste the day when the faith shall be sight
The clouds be rolled back as a scroll
The trump shall resound and the Lord shall descend
Even so, it is well with my soul

King Forevermore

Aaron Keyes | Pete James | Jason Brown

Verse 1:

God the uncreated One, the Author of salvation
Who wrote the laws of space and time
Who fashioned worlds to His design
The One whom angel hosts revere
Hung the stars like chandeliers
Numbered every grain of sand
Knows the heart of every man
He is King forever, He is King forever
He is King forevermore

Verse 2:

God our fortress and our strength
The Rock on which we can depend
Matchless in His majesty
His power and authority
Unshaken by the schemes of man
Never changing Great I am
Kingdoms rise and kingdoms fall
He is faithful through it all
Crown Him King forever, Crown Him King forever
Crown Him King forevermore

Verse 3:

Mighty God in mortal flesh
Forsaken by a traitor's kiss
The curse of sin and centuries
Did pierce the lowly Prince of Peace
Lifted high the sinless man
Crucified the spotless Lamb
Buried by the sons of man
Rescued by the Father's hand
Reign as King forever, Reign as King forever
Reign as King forevermore

Verse 4:

King eternal God of grace
We crown You with the highest praise
Heaven shouts and saints adore
You're holy, holy, holy Lord
What joy in everlasting life
All is love and faith is sight
Justice rolls and praises rise
At the name of Jesus Christ
King of kings forever, King of kings forever
King of kings forevermore

Sermon Notes
“God Our Deliverer” :: Psalm 77

Praying with First Baptist Church

A Prayer Guide for the week of May 24

Prayer of the week:

One of the ways we learn to pray is by using the Scripture as a springboard and inspiration for our own prayer life. This week, consider using the words from the Apostle Paul in Romans 12:1-2. If you're praying through the church directory, consider asking God to do these things in those you're praying for each day:

*"[may you] present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your spiritual worship.
Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you
may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect."*

We recognize our need for God's help in all the areas of our lives. The categories and requests listed below are intentional ways to pray for each other as a church family. For help in knowing how and what to pray for, look up the Scripture included with each item.

Ongoing prayer items in the life of our church:

- Pray for opportunities and boldness to share the gospel with friends, family, co-workers (Matt. 28:19)
- Pray for conversions (John 3:3, Acts 16:14)
- Pray for the preaching of God's word – for faithfulness, fruitfulness, and God's glory (2 Tim. 4:2, 1 Cor. 2:4-5, Isa. 55:10-11)
- Pray for the children of our church to hear and understand the gospel and be saved (Luke 8:8)
- Pray for increased one to one discipleship relationships in our church family (Matt. 28:19-20)
- Pray for unity in our diversity both on Sunday and through the week (Rom. 15:13, Eph. 4:2-3)
- Pray for continued growth and joy in the gospel (1 Cor. 15:1-5, 2 Pet. 1:12)
- Pray for growth in holiness, hatred of sin and growth in humility (Prov. 8:13, 1 Pet. 1:14-16)
- Pray for honest, loving relationships in our church (Col. 3:12-13, James 5:16)
- Pray for families: marriages to thrive, parents to teach/love/discipline carefully, and children to obey (Eph. 5:22-6:4)
- Pray that giving would be faithful, joyful, consistent, and sacrificial (2 Cor. 8:9)

Prayer items outside our church:

- Pray for wisdom for local, state, and federal leaders to do what's best for the common good as they navigate the complexities of this pandemic (1 Tim. 2:1-2, Rom. 13:1-7)

- Pray for the safety and good health of medical personnel, first responders, and those working on the front lines of contact with those who are suffering with coronavirus.
- Pray that God would provide relief for those suffering from the effects of the virus throughout the world, and that He would draw people to His Word and to salvation. (Ps. 139:23-24)
- Pray for fruitful ministry in other gospel-proclaiming churches in our area even as we are unable to gather together for public worship. (Rom. 15:20, 1 Cor. 16:1-3, Matt. 28:19-20)
- Pray for our missionary partners around the world and especially those we are directly involved with: Mack and LeAnn Stiles (Central Asia), Daniel and Brandi Spandler-Davison (East Asia), and Dave and JoAnn Brown (Guatemala). Pray that the gospel would flourish and churches would be planted and strengthened through their work. Pray God would strengthen their faith and supply their needs. (Ps 93:4, Col. 1:5-6, 1 Pet. 4:12-17)
- As our nation celebrates Memorial Day this week, pray that God would comfort the families and friends of brave men and women killed in military service of our country (Psalm 34:18)
- Pray for our Southern Baptist Convention Military Chaplains serving around the world. Pray for God's strength to remain steadfast in their proclamation and teaching of the gospel. Pray for God's grace and help to serve all of the military personnel God has entrusted to their care. (Psalm 93:4, Col. 1:5-6, 1 Pet. 4:12-17)

Particular prayer items in the life of our church:

- Pray that God would grant us wisdom to know how best to glorify Him and to love our neighbor well during this global pandemic. (Mt. 22:36-40)
- Pray that God would guard our church from fear, anxiety, and disunity. Pray that we would trust that God is good and be assured that He is in control. (Mt. 14:22-36)
- Pray that God would stir our hearts to hope in His glorious return and our place with Him in the New Heaven and New Earth where sickness shall be no more. (Rev. 21:1-4)
- Pray for teachers and students in our church family who are completing their final weeks of classes for the school year. Even amidst the irregularity of the past several weeks, pray that God would help them to finish well and give them physical and spiritual strength to endure. See a list of our college students in the church directory on pp. 22-23.
- The following individuals have expressed particular prayer concerns:

Carla Davis, Walt De Marr, Michelle Drysgola, Joyce Evans, Molly Fitzmaurice, Cathy Freeland, Tory Galeano, Mykal Haynes, Edith Hutchins, Cleda Lawson, Bill & Rachael Lederer, Derrick Randall, Karin Simmons, Lewis Swartzbaugh and Debbie West (loss of mother), Harold Sye, Bonnie Trott, Glenn Walker, Ron Whitely

Announcements

1. DiscipleLIFE Material. If you didn't get to place your order to pick up new DiscipleLIFE material last week but would still like a copy, please email Pam Jensen at pmjensen@comcast.net to arrange to have it mailed.

2. FBCUM Playlist. Check out the playlist on the resources section of our church's website. We've collected all the songs we've recorded during the last two months for our edification and encouragement: <https://fbcum.org/media-library/>

3. Sunday Worship at Home. Remember to join us each Sunday for Worship. Check your email each Sunday for links and information to Sunday's sermon, Scripture reading, pastoral prayer, and songs for our edification. Not gathering together on Sunday as we normally do is not only hard *relationally*, but it can be hard to *listen* in a new environment. Take a moment to [check out these suggestions](#) to better prepare your heart and mind on Sunday mornings.

4. Giving. We encourage you to continue to faithfully give as a way to sustain the gospel ministry at FBCUM and as a means for us to care for those in need as a church family. You can **give** [online](#) or mail in your offering to the church office. To guide and help us consider the New Testament's teaching on giving, we've included a quick **read** [here](#). *Church members who have a benevolence request, please contact the church office at fbcum@firstbaptistum.com.*

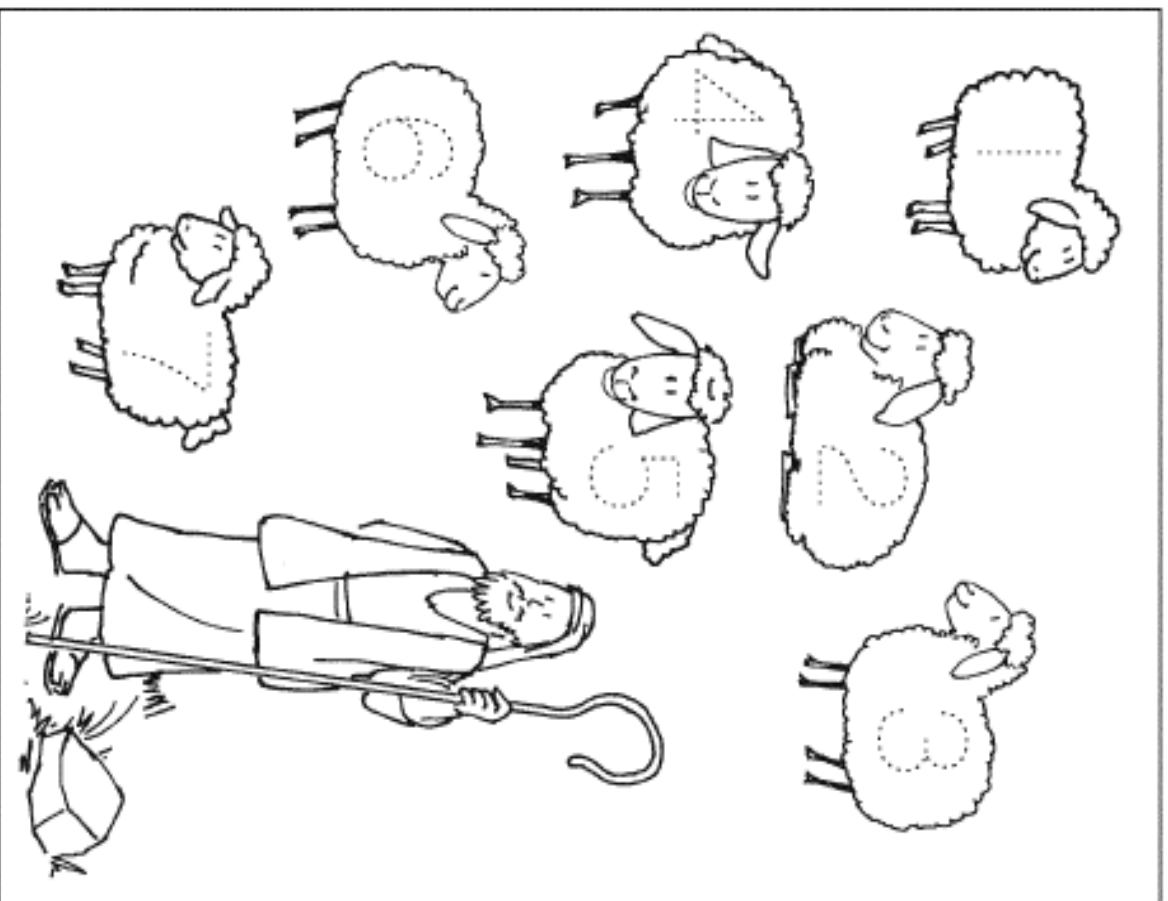
5. Testimonies of God's Grace. As you see God's grace in the midst of the Coronavirus crisis; opportunities to share the gospel, ways you've been encouraged by other members, ideas you have for caring for others, etc. let us know. **We want to hear your stories! Please jot them down and email them - along with pictures if you have them - to fbcum@firstbaptistum.com.**

6. Pastor's Weekly Devotional. A video from Pastor Zach and a devotional from one of the Elders will be available online each Wednesday evening. Click [here](#) for this week's devotional.

If you have any questions,
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God leads His people like a flock.

Count the sheep in the flock. Trace the numbers.



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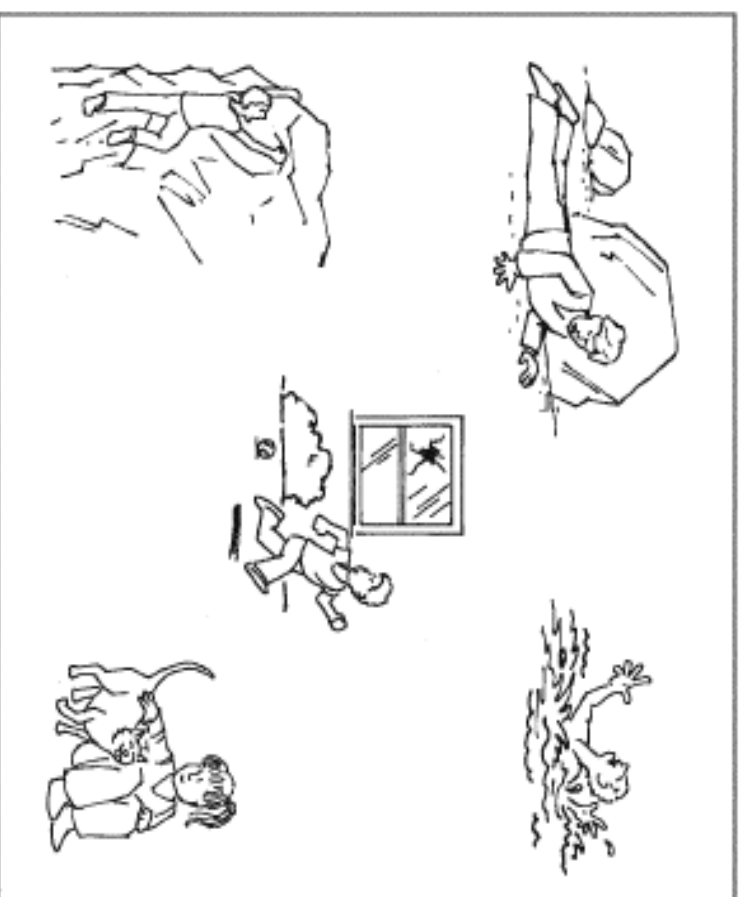
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The God Who Performs Miracles






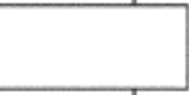

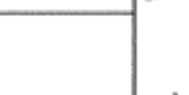
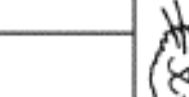
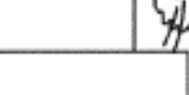
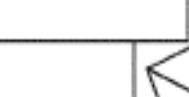




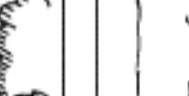
When I was in distress, I sought God.

Circle the people who are in trouble.



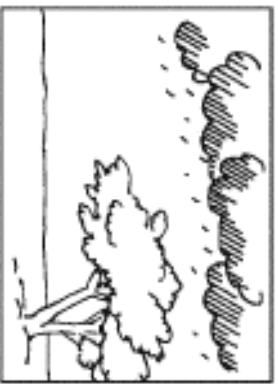
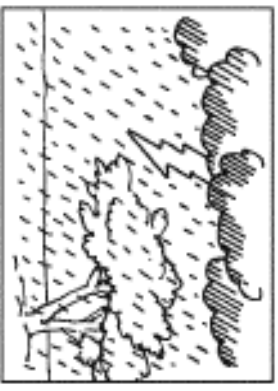
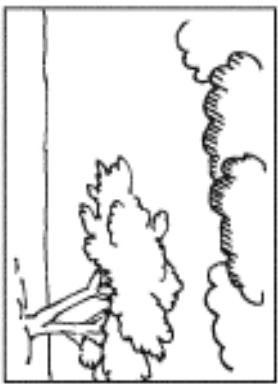
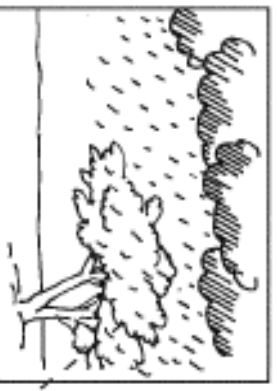
I will remember the deeds of the LORD;
 yes, I will remember
 Your miracles of long ago.

Write the beginning letter of each picture
 to form a word.



The waters saw You, O God.
 The clouds poured down water.
 Put the pictures of the growing rainstorm in the correct
 order by matching the number to the picture.

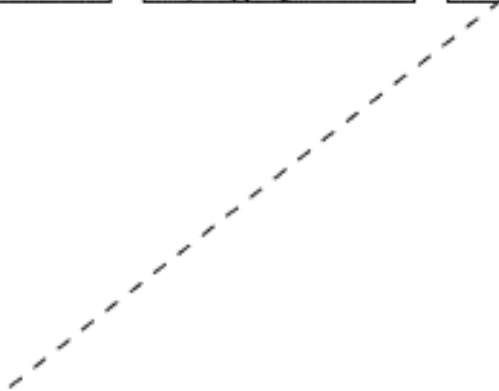


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What else does this psalm say about God?

Use the picture clues to fill in the correct words from the box below to finish the verses.

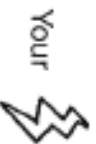
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earth lightning people whirlwind



"The _____ poured down water..."



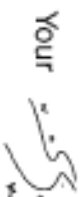
Your thunder was heard in the _____



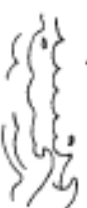
Your _____ lit up the world;



the _____ trembled and quaked.



Your _____ led through the _____



Your way through the mighty waters, though



Your _____ were not seen.



You led Your _____ like a flock."



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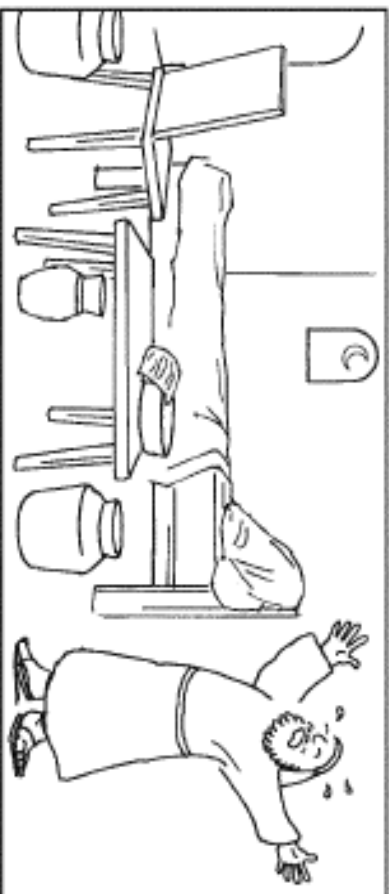
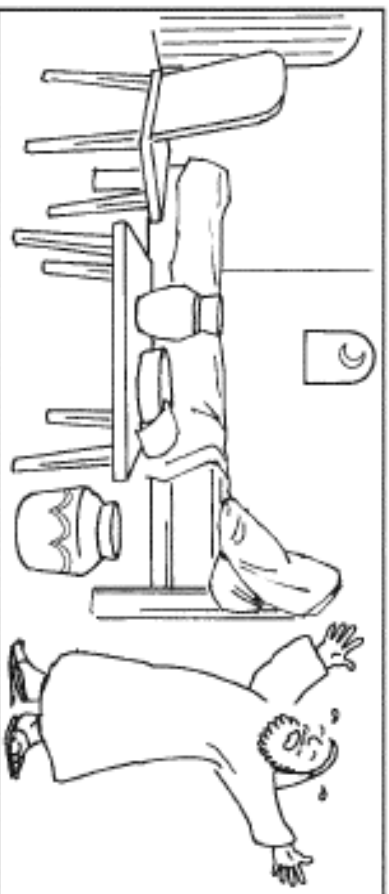
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The God Who Performs Miracles

The psalmist wrote, "When I was in distress, I sought the Lord; at night I stretched out untiring hands."

Find 10 differences between the two pictures below.



"You are the God who performs miracles," the psalmist prayed. What else did he say about God?



Solve the math problems to put the words in order.

$2 + 4$

$10 - 6$

You
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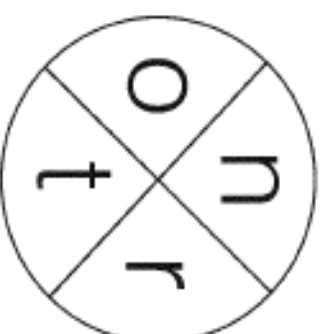
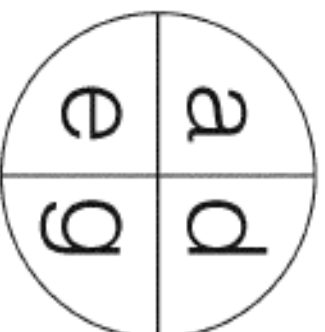
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"Your ways, O God, are holy," says the psalmist. What does he say next?

Match the shapes to find the missing words.



"What

is so

as our God?"

