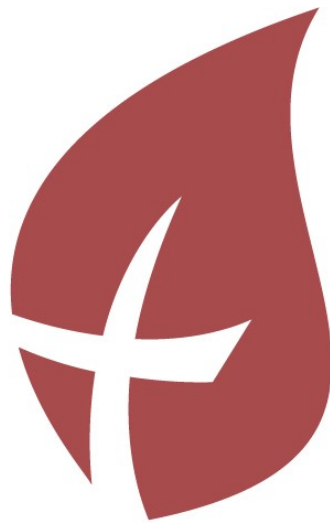


Sunday Morning Worship

November 29, 2020



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Scripture Readings

Psalm 100:1-5

¹ Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth!

² Serve the LORD with gladness!
Come into his presence with singing!

³ Know that the LORD, he is God!
It is he who made us, and we are his;
we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture

⁴ Enter his gates with thanksgiving,
and his courts with praise!
Give thanks to him; bless his name!

⁵ For the LORD is good;
his steadfast love endures forever,
and his faithfulness to all generations.

Deuteronomy 8:11-18

¹¹ "Take care lest you forget the LORD your God by not keeping his commandments and his rules and his statutes, which I command you today, ¹² lest, when you have eaten and are full and have built good houses and live in them, ¹³ and when your herds and flocks multiply and your silver and gold is multiplied and all that you have is multiplied, ¹⁴ then your heart be lifted up, and you forget the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery, ¹⁵ who led you through the great and terrifying wilderness, with its fiery serpents and scorpions and thirsty ground where there was no water, who brought you water out of the flinty rock, ¹⁶ who fed you in the wilderness with manna that your fathers did not know, that he might humble you and test you, to do you good in the end. ¹⁷ Beware lest you say in your heart, 'My power and the might of my hand have gotten me this wealth.' ¹⁸ You shall remember the LORD your God, for it is he who gives you power to get wealth, that he may confirm his covenant that he swore to your fathers, as it is this day.

Song Lyrics

O Give Thanks

Judith McAllister

Oh give thanks unto the Lord
For He is good!
Yes, He is good!

For He is worthy, worthy!
For He is good!
Yes, He is good!

My Heart Is Filled With Thankfulness

Keith Getty | Stuart Townend

Verse 1:

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who bore my pain;
Who plumbd the depths of my disgrace
And gave me life again;
Who crushed my curse of sinfulness
And clothed me in His light
And wrote His law of righteousness
With pow'r upon my heart.

Verse 2:

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who walks beside;
Who floods my weaknesses with strength
And causes fears to fly;
Whose ev'ry promise is enough
For ev'ry step I take,
Sustaining me with arms of love
And crowning me with grace.

Verse 3:

My heart is filled with thankfulness
To Him who reigns above,
Whose wisdom is my perfect peace,
Whose ev'ry thought is love.
For ev'ry day I have on earth
Is given by the King;
So I will give my life, my all,
To love and follow Him.

Lamb of God

Bob Kauflin | David LaChance Jr.

Verse 1:

O Lamb of God all worlds obeyed Your will
From dark and void their being came
O Lamb of God, Your glories echo still
Creation sings its Maker's praise
Eternal God, One with the Father
Before all time You dwelt in love
Eternal God, unlike all others
Yet You descended unto us

Verse 2:

O Lamb of God, in filthy manger lay
In humble dress You entered earth
O Lamb of God, Creator bows to save
The needy ones helpless from birth
Incarnate Word, Gift of the Father
To take our place and bear our sin
Incarnate Word, Led to the slaughter
You conquered death and rose again

Verse 3:

O Lamb of God, Now reigning on the throne
The Judge of all faithful and true
O Lamb of God, You'll make Your power known
When all Your foes receive their due
Victorious King, When history's fading
You'll call Your Bride To take her place
Victorious King, Creation's waiting
For Your redeemed to see Your face

Sermon Notes

Shining In A Dark World :: Philippians 2:12-18

Praying with First Baptist Church

A Prayer Guide for the week of November 29

Prayer of the week:

One of the ways we learn to pray is by using the examples in Scripture as an inspiration for our own prayer life. This week, we encourage you to use the prayer of the Apostle Paul from the book of Colossians 1:9a-10:

“ 9 And so, from the day we heard, we have not ceased to pray for you... 10 to walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him: bearing fruit in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God;

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 unity and peace in our nation as the transition of the presidential office takes place over the next two months, and for wisdom for leaders and those in authority in our government. (John 14:7)
- Pray that those effected by natural disasters in our country (wildfires, Hurricanes) would feel God’s hope, peace, and help. Pray for safety and strength for relief workers and emergency response personnel serving on the front lines. (Ps 34:18, Ps 72:12)

- Pray for hope and healing in our nation as we lament and grieve over recent effects of injustice and racism. (Prov. 6:16-19; Ps 77:1-3)
- Pray that God would help government leaders locally and nationally to make wise decisions going forward that will help protect all people from evil and unjust suffering. (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 many are still 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)

Particular prayer items in the life of our church:

- Pray that God would provide opportunity for gospel conversations with family and friends during the holiday season (Matt. 28:19).
- Pray for those in our church family struggling with the loss of a loved one during this holiday season. Pray for the Grief and Bereavement Ministry Team who seek to serve them. (Galatians 6:2)
- Pray that our church family would strive for unity following the recent presidential election.
- Pray for our ministry leaders and elders during this budget season as they pray and prepare a budget to present to the church. Pray for wisdom and a God-centered vision for how to use the resources that God has given our church. (James 1:5)
- 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)
- The following individuals have expressed particular prayer concerns:

Ralph Austin, Bob and Alice Copeland, Jodi Cross, Carla Davis, Della Davis, Walt De Marr, Molly Fitzmaurice, George Griffin, Phil Jensen (loss of mother), Ernestine Jones, Charles Lyons, Derrick Randall, Karin Simmons, Marty and Bonnie Trott, Glenn Walker, Ron Whitely

(Click the link to submit a prayer request via our [Digital Communication Card](#))

Announcements

1. FBCUM Virtual Prayer Meeting on Wed., Dec. 2nd at 6:30 PM (ZOOM only). Lord willing, we plan to meet online as a church family for a prayer meeting. Please check your email at morning for the ZOOM information to join us.

2. Sunday Worship Gatherings. Lord willing, we will continue to meet indoors for the duration of the winter season. If you plan to attend in person, please take a moment to read this [Frequently Asked Questions](#) sheet to make sure you have all the relevant details about how we intend to gather so we can remain as safe as possible during our time together. For the duration of COVID, the worship service will continue to be livestreamed online to watch from home as well as broadcast to FM radio (87.9) in the church parking lot for those who would like to listen from their cars. We strongly encourage anyone who is considered “high risk” to not attend in person during this season where virus cases are especially high. Also, if you are exhibiting any symptoms (i.e. fever, cough, difficulty breathing, achiness, etc.) or have been in contact with someone who has tested positive, please do not attend in person. Feel free to contact any of the elders or the church office with any questions or concerns.

3. Disaster Relief Volunteer Opportunity in Prince George’s County. In September, there was a severe rainstorm that caused widespread flooding in a number of homes in Prince George’s County. Our Disaster Relief team is helping out these families with flood recovery (removing damaged dry-wall, cleaning, etc.) in an effort to help them get back up on their feet and share the love of Christ. For those interested in helping out you can find out more information and sign up here: [DC Suburb Disaster Relief](#). Contact the church office if you have questions.

4. Pastor's Weekly Devotional. We’re continuing our study of “The Attributes of God” in our weekly audio devotional. Look for a new installment each Wednesday evening from one of the Pastors, as well as the weekly video update from Pastor Zach. [Click here](#) for the latest devo and updates.

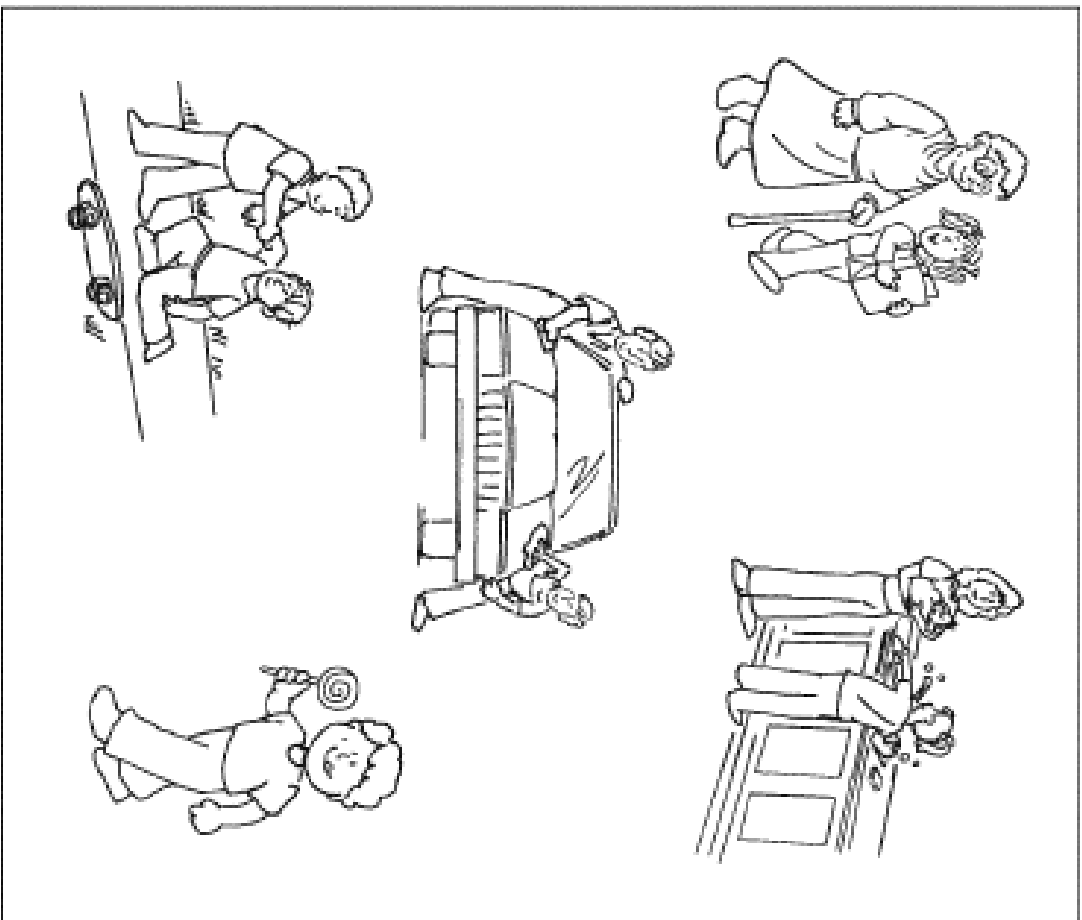
5. Giving. We encourage you to continue to faithfully give as a way to sustain the gospel ministry at FBCUM and as a means for us to care for those in need as a church family. You can **give** [online](#) or mail in your offering to the church office. To guide and help us consider the New Testament’s 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.*

6. NEW—Digital Communication Card. Are you visiting with us today? Do you have a prayer request or other need? Are you interested in church membership? If so, we’d love to hear from you! The best way to communicate with our church staff is using our new [Digital Communication Card](#). Simply click the link and fill in the information. We’ll get back to you as soon as possible.

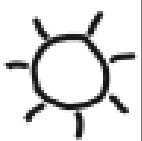
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please contact the church office at info@firstbaptistum.com

Jesus also said, "Let your light shine so others may see your good deeds and give glory to God."

Circle the children who are doing good deeds.



Children's Worship Bulletin™



Ages 3+

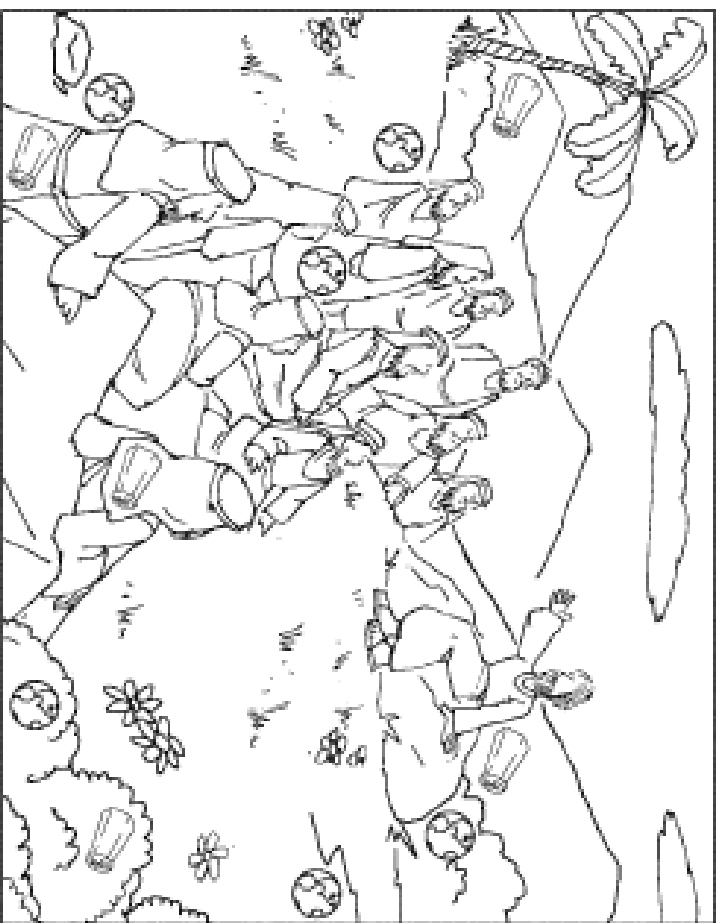
November 29, 2020 • Matthew 5:13-18

Salt and Light

On a mountain, Jesus taught His disciples. Jesus said, "You are the salt of the earth."

Find and count how many.

4 or 5 ? 6 or 7 ?



Jesus asked them, "If salt loses its saltiness, can it be made salty again?"

Use the code below to fill in the missing letters.

△ = T □ = N ○ = U ◇ = B ☾ = R



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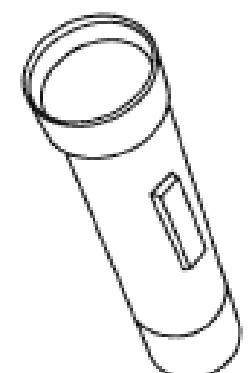
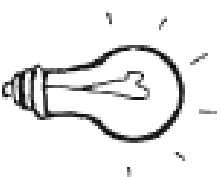
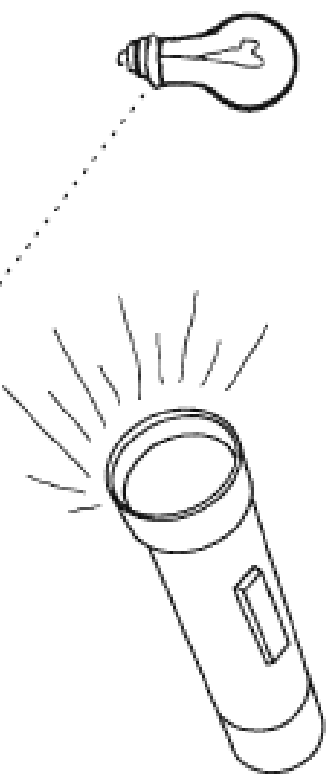


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Jesus said,
"You are the light of the world."

Match the lights that are on and off.





Jesus teaches that those who follow His laws will be rewarded. What did He say?

Use this Morse Code to fill in the blanks.

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



Jesus said, "Whoever

_____ these _____ will be _____ called _____ in the _____ of _____."

Children's Worship Bulletin™

Ages 7+

November 29, 2020 • Matthew 5:13-20

Jesus Speaks of Salt, Light and Law

Jesus went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to Him, and He began to teach them. What did He say?

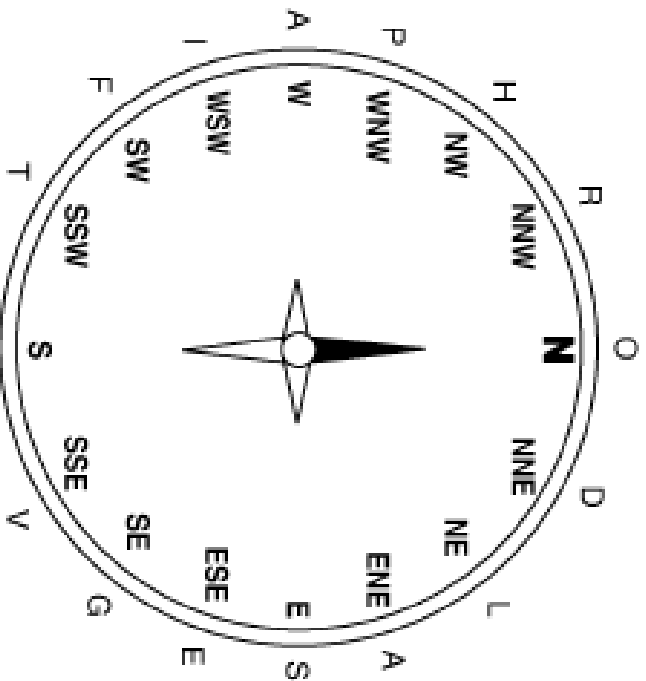
Find the underlined letters in the picture below.

"You are the salt of the earth ... You are the light of the world."



What else did Jesus say?

Use this compass code to fill in the blanks.



Jesus said:

"Let your _____ NE _____ WSW _____ SE _____ NW _____ SSW _____ N _____ NW _____ WSW _____ S _____ ESE _____"

before others, that they may see your

_____ SE _____ N _____ N _____ NNE _____ NNE _____ ESE _____ ESE _____ NNE _____ E _____"

and _____ WNW _____ NW _____ ENE _____ WSW _____ E _____ ESE _____ your _____"

_____ SW _____ W _____ SSW _____ NW _____ ESE _____ NNW _____ in _____ NW _____ ESE _____ W _____ SSE _____ ESE _____ S _____"

Jesus said He came to fulfill the Law and the Prophets. What did He say about those who do not follow the commandments?

Solve the math problems to fill in the blanks.

"Anyone who _____ 9 _____ 15 _____ 3 _____ 5 _____ 10 _____ 16 _____ one of the least of

these _____ 12 _____ 14 _____ 4 _____ 4 _____ 5 _____ 1 _____ 7 _____ 4 _____ 3 _____ 1 _____ 8 _____ 16 _____"

and _____ 8 _____ 3 _____ 5 _____ 12 _____ 13 _____ 3 _____ 16 _____"

others to do the same will be called least in the

_____ 10 _____ 11 _____ 1 _____ 2 _____ 7 _____ 14 _____ 4 _____ of _____ 13 _____ 3 _____ 5 _____ 6 _____ 3 _____ 1 _____"

