



## Bulletin Board Ideas & Activity Sheets for Recruitment

The materials on the following pages may be used as shown or adapted and modified in any way you see fit. If you have additional recruitment related bulletin board and activity ideas to share, please send them to the recruitment office of one of our WELS schools so that they may be shared with others.

### Bulletin Board Ideas

#### Lower Grades:

“Beautiful are the Feet of Those Who Bring Good News”  
“We Are All Gifts of Christ to His Church”

#### Middle Grades:

“Working Together to Build the Lord’s Church”  
“In Christ’s Love, Everyone is Someone”

#### Upper Grades:

“For We Are All Laborers Together with God”  
“Starting Future Outreach Today: Let It Begin with You!”

### Activity Sheets

#### Lower Grades:

“How Beautiful Are the Feet” - Maze  
“Beautiful Foot” - Visual Aid  
“We Are the Clay” - Coloring Page  
“Light of the World” - Fill-In  
“We’ve Got Good News” - Color Blocks

#### Middle Grades:

“Isaiah 60:2-3” - Letter Code Puzzle  
“Build the Lord’s Church” - Word Search

#### Upper Grades:

“John 15:16” - Crossword  
“2 Corinthians 5:19-20” - Word Search

## Bulletin Board - Lower Grades



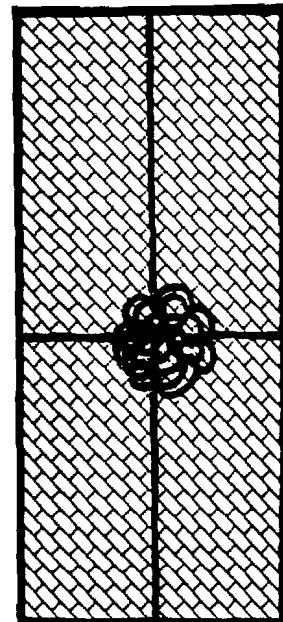
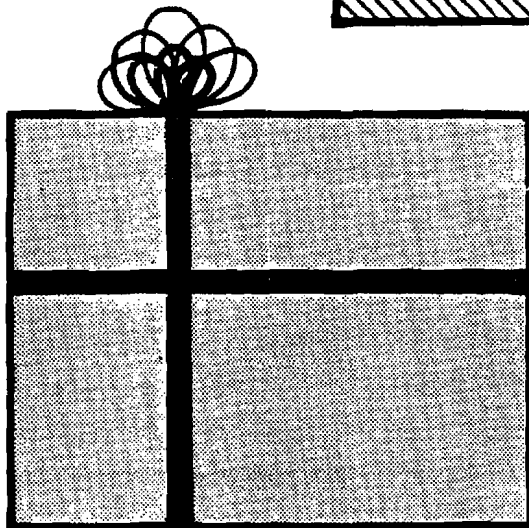
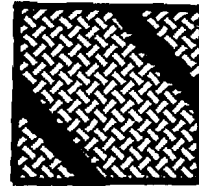
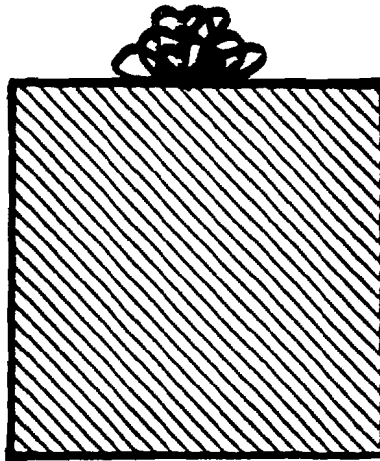
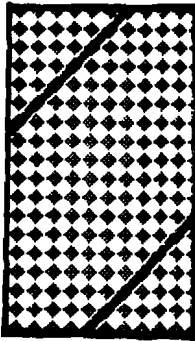
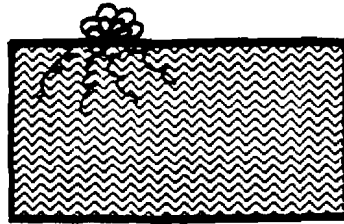
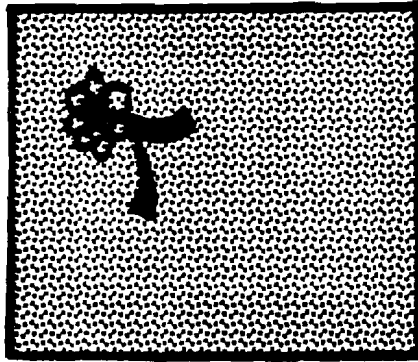
### How to make it:

**If you don't mind a mess, have children put their feet in paint and make footprints around the edge of the paper. Otherwise, trace their feet and cut them out. Write each child's name by his or her foot.**

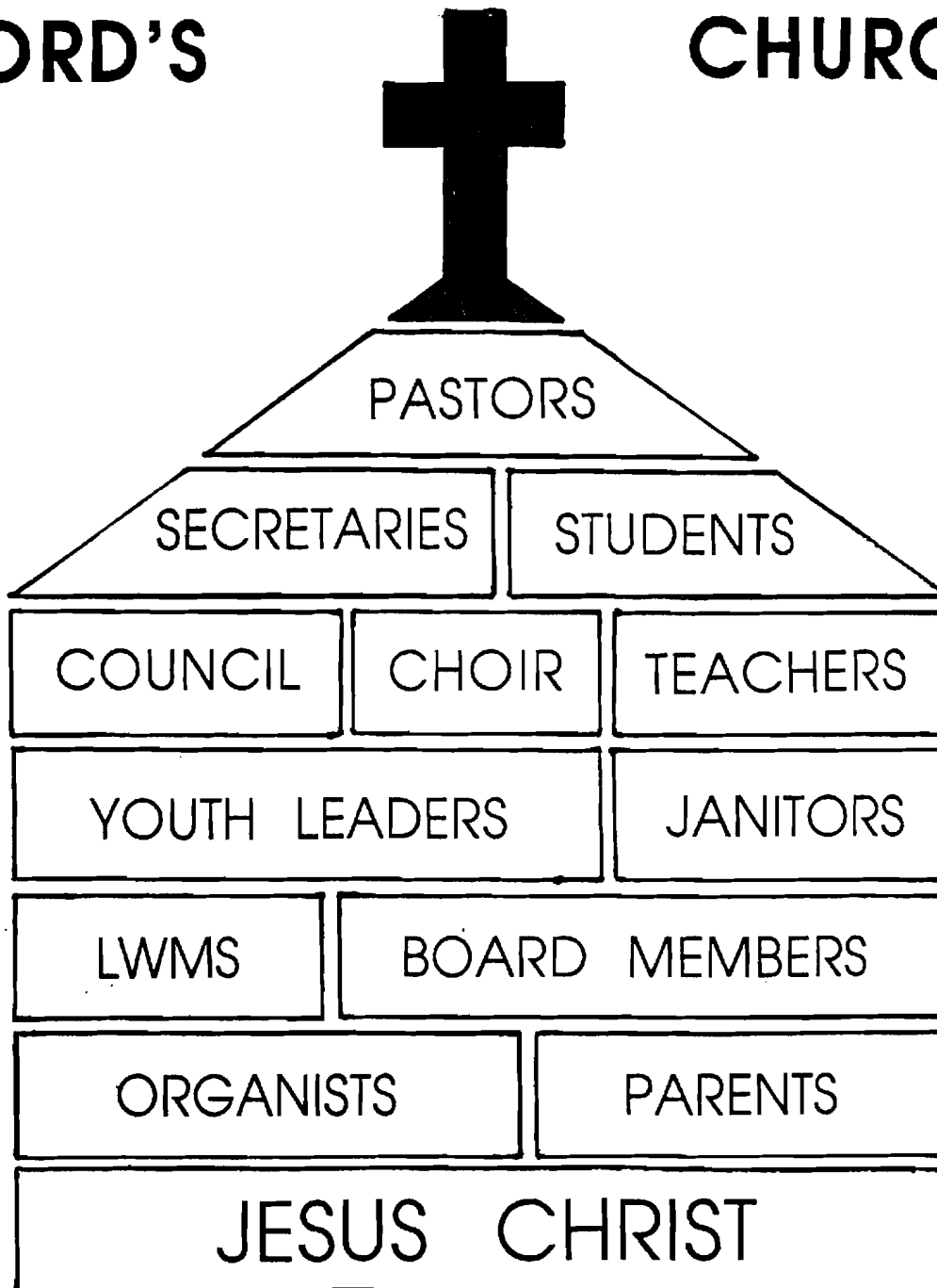
**Discuss how wonderful it is that each of us has the opportunity to bring the Good News, the Gospel, to others. One way we can do this is by becoming a pastor or teacher.**

**Bulletin Board - Lower Grades**

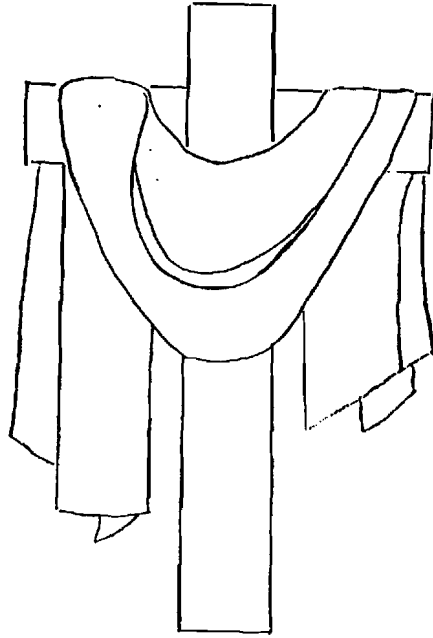
*WE ARE ALL GIFTS OF CHRIST  
TO HIS CHURCH*



**WORKING TOGETHER  
TO BUILD THE  
LORD'S CHURCH**



**Bulletin Board - Middle Grades**



*sample of cross pattern*

**Suggestions:**

*Background - white paper or beige colored material or pale colored wallpaper*

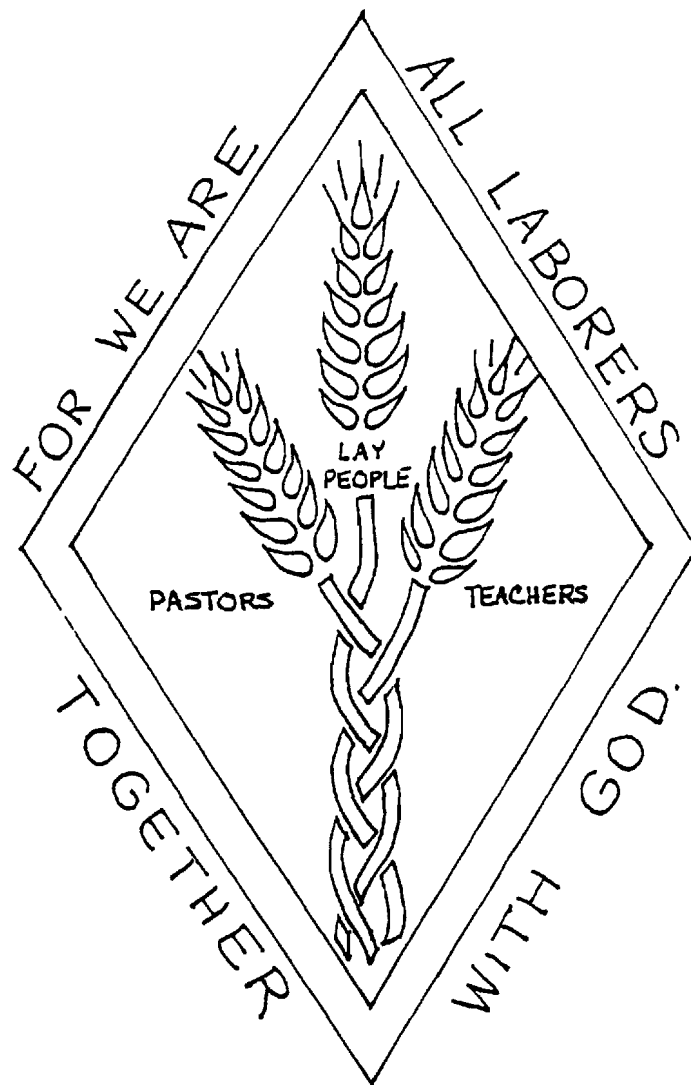
*Cross - wood or brown paper or brown vinyl*

*Drape - purple or black or white material*

*Border - red or brown paper made into a cross paper chain (sample of cross is above)*

**In CHRIST's Love**  
**Everyone Is Someone**  
**Show Your Love**  
**Share CHRIST'S Love**

**Bulletin Board - Upper Grades**



WHICH LABORER WILL YOU BE?

**Suggestions:**

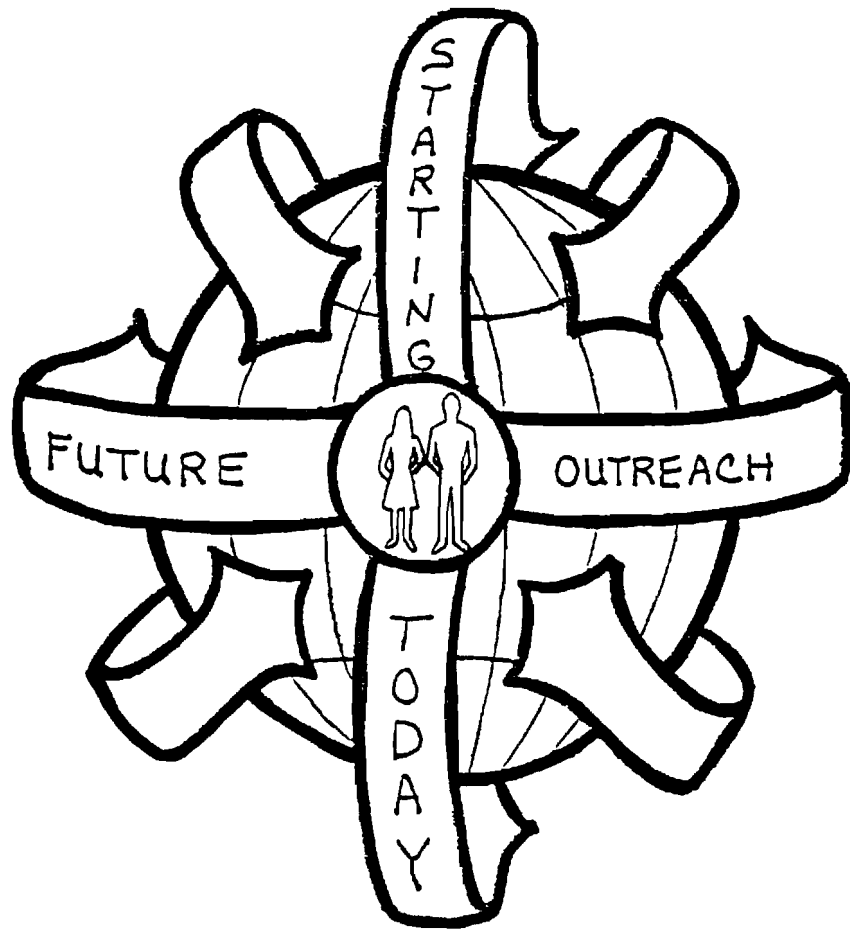
**Background - brown**

**Diamond - gold foil covered tagboard or gold colored tagboard**

**Wheat and outside lettering - parchment or off-white lettering any 4" style**

**Inside lettering - tan any 1" or 2" style**

## Bulletin Board - Upper Grades



### **Suggestions:**

LET IT BEGIN WITH YOU!

**Background - red**

**World - blue with blue marker lines**

**Arrows - bright yellow**

**Circle - green**

**Male silhouette - white**

**Female silhouette - black**

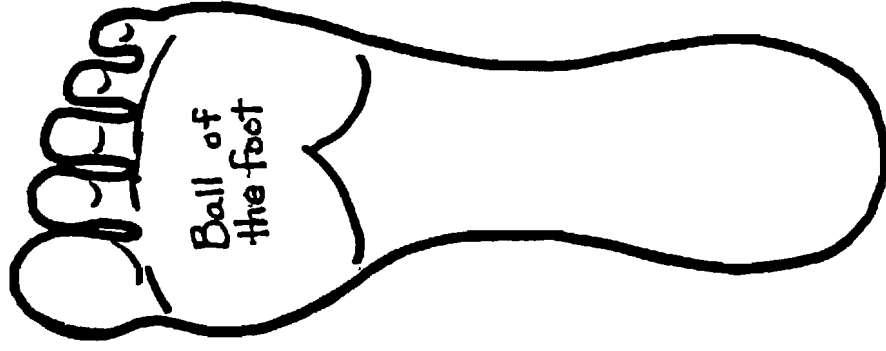
**Lettering on arrows - black, 2" any style**

**Lettering at bottom - white, 4" any style**

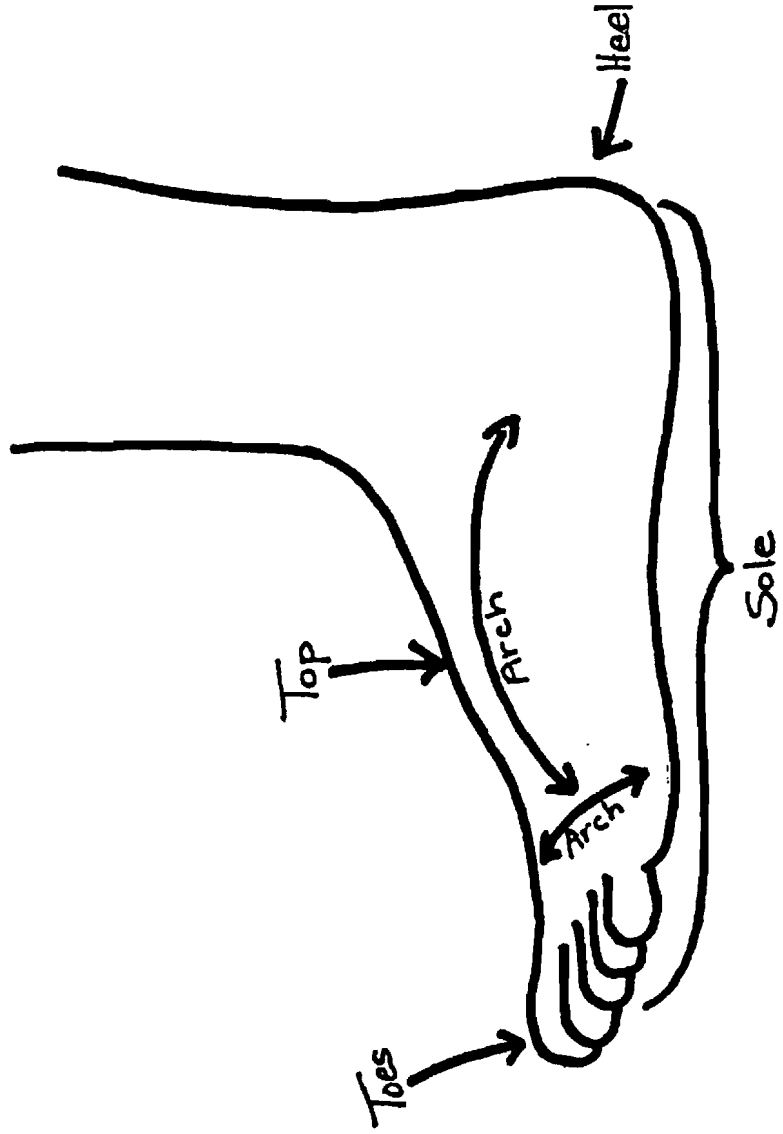




Visual Aid  
Kindergarten Devotion  
Romans 10:15



Bottom view of foot

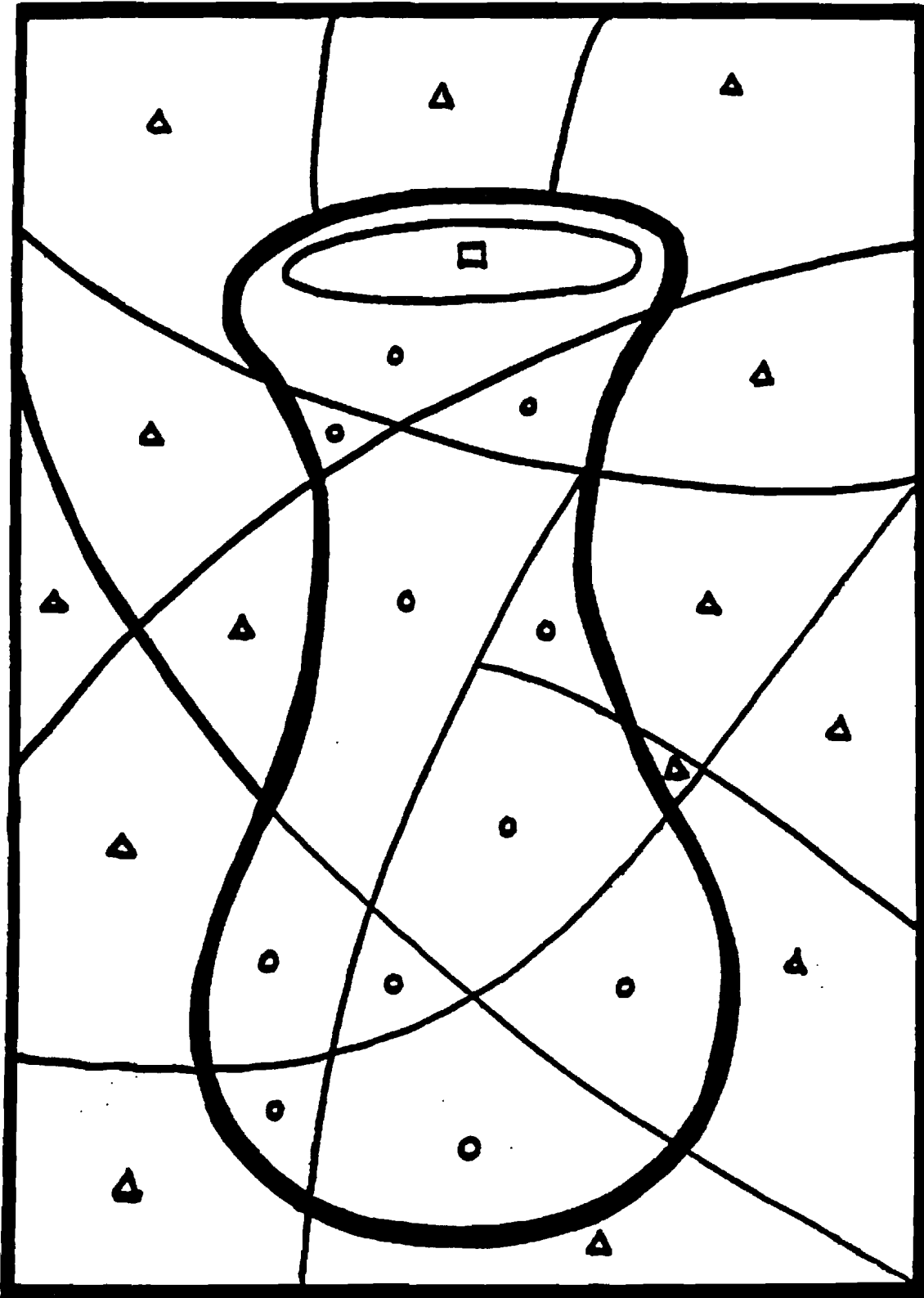


Side view of foot

# Kindergarten Activity Sheet

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Color ○ areas yellow, △ areas green, and the □ area brown.

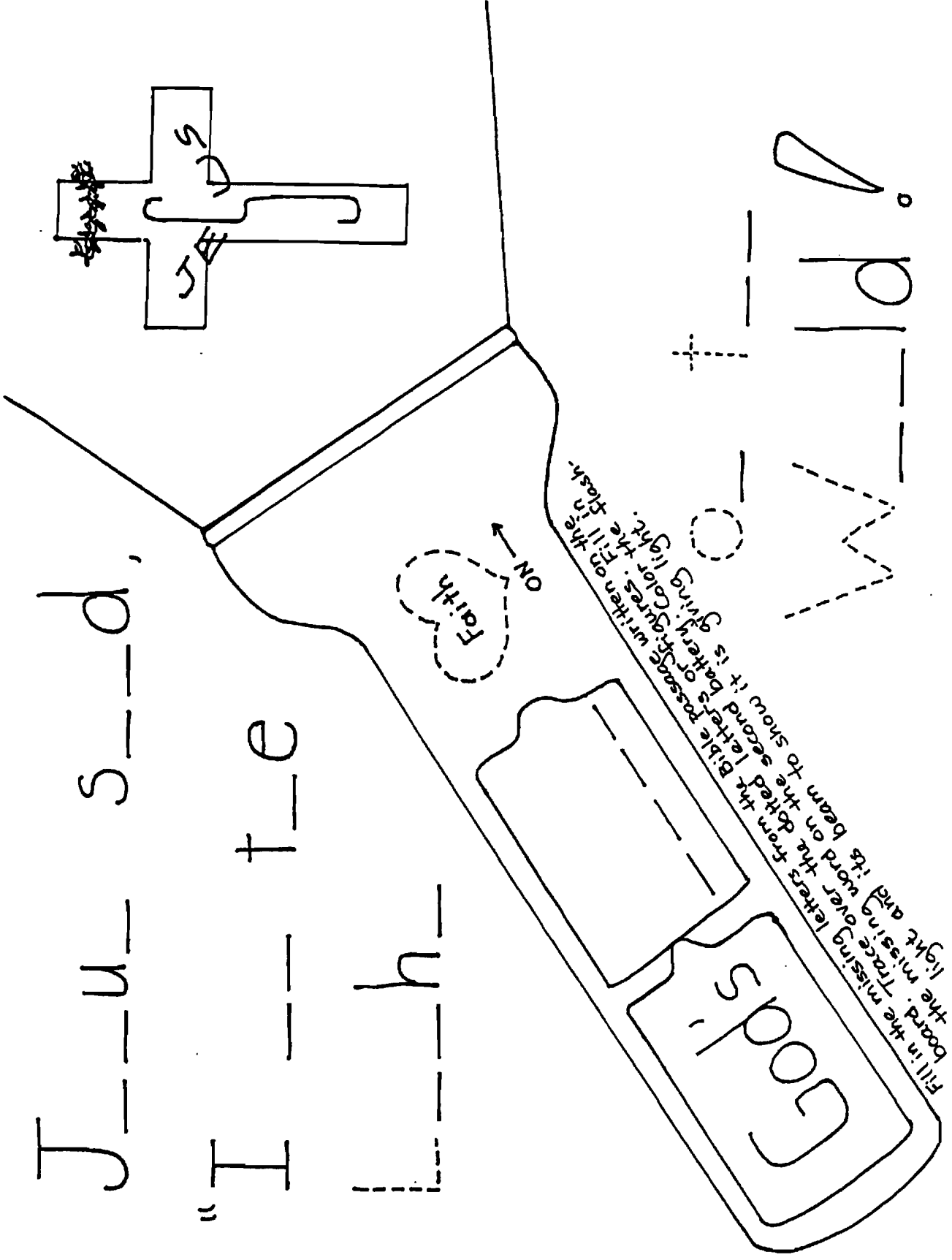
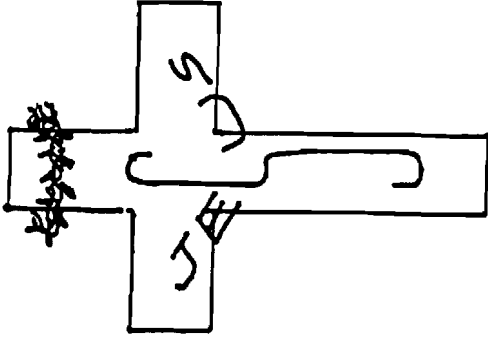


Isaiah 64:8 Yet, O Lord, you are our Father. We are the clay, you are the potter; we are all the work of your hand.

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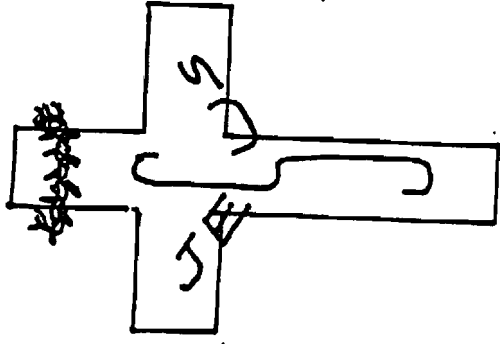


Fill in the missing letters from the Bible passage written on the board. Trace over the dotted letters or figures. Fill in the light and its beam to show it is giving light. Fill in the missing word on the second battery. Color the flash-

o - t - d !  
N - P

Jesus said,

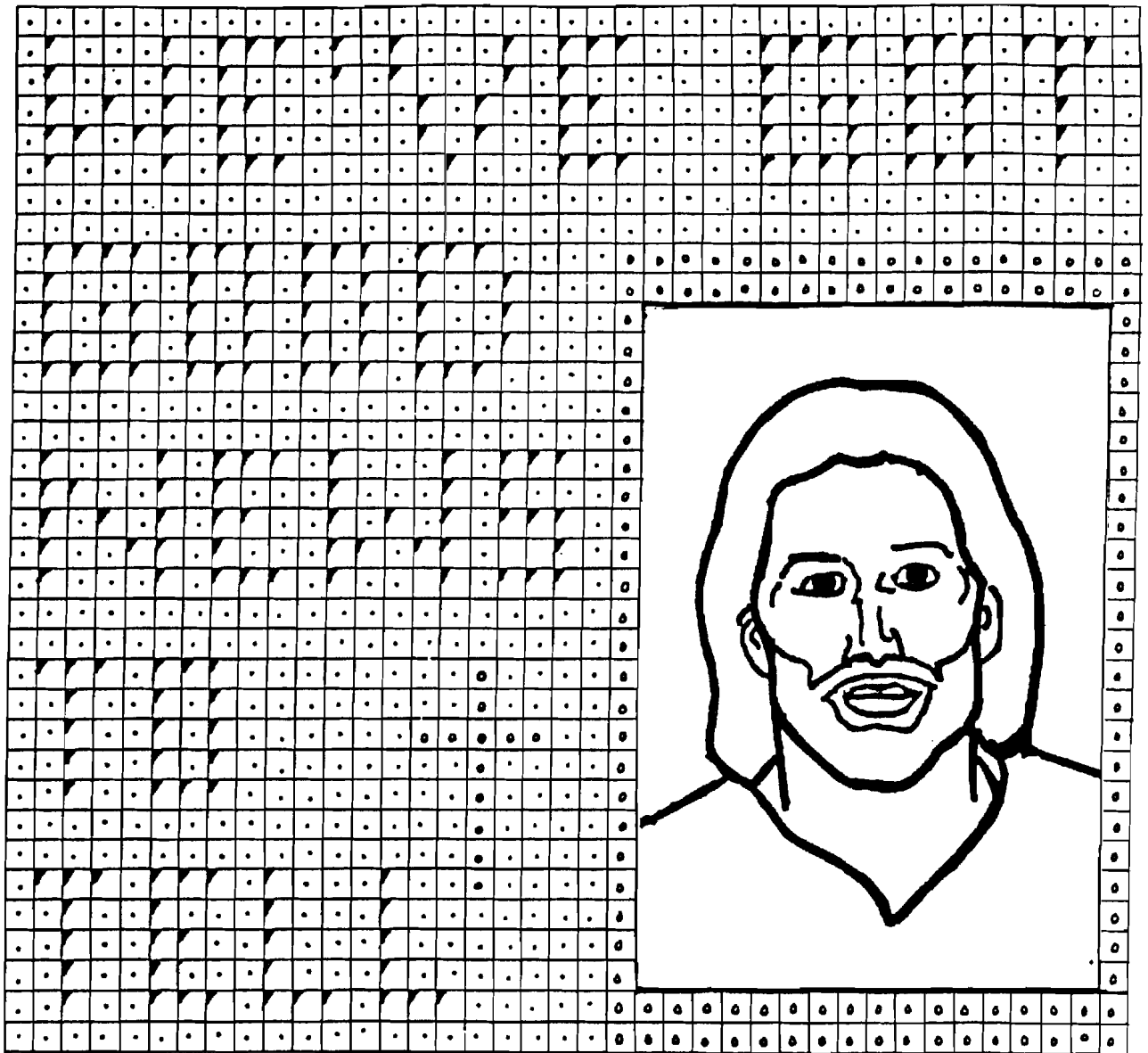
"I am the  
Light



Gods, World

Fill in the missing letters from the Bible passage written on the board. Trace over the dotted letters or battery or tag. Fill in the light and its beam to show its giving light. Fill in the light and its beam to show its giving light.

Of the  
World!



Color the squares by these directions:

first -  are to be colored yellow

second -  are to be colored red

third -  are to be colored blue

Then print the hidden message on the blanks below.

\_\_\_\_\_

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Name \_\_\_\_\_

Primary John 1:41-42a



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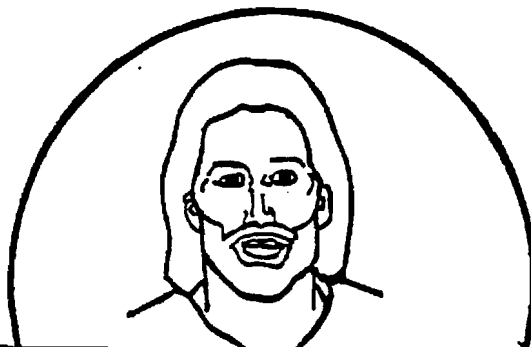
WE'VE    GOT    GOOD    NEWS  
IO    TELL

Name Answer Key

John 1:41-42a  
 Primary

Directions: Fill in the blanks with the words or expressions described by the following phrases. Then find the appropriate letters needed to decode the message at the bottom.

- A -                          What the sun gives us  
1 2 3 4 5
- B -                          The person who is God and man  
1 2 3 4 5
- C -                                    One thing you might train to be at MLC  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7
- D -                                         What the Bible is (two words)  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
- E -                The part of God's Word which shows our need for Jesus  
1 2 3
- F -                               The part of God's Word which tells of Jesus' Work for us  
1 2 3 4 5 6
- G -                                              Jesus' work of (?) for us  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
- H -                                         A day without orange juice is like a day without ?  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
- I -                                         A day without Jesus is like a day without ?  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
- J -                     What the Son of God gives us  
1 2 3 4
- K -                                                                            Life without Jesus  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 (two words)

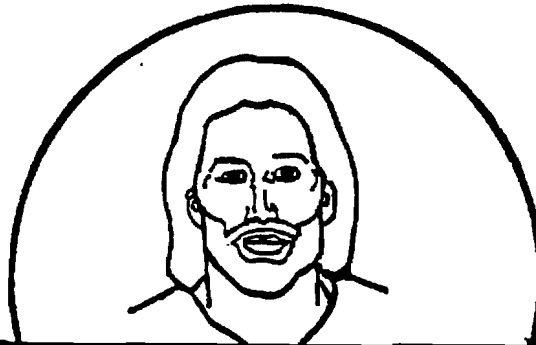


Find the letters to complete the following phrase. Example H4 means the 4th letter in row H.

B1 F5 K12 H2 G1 A2 H4 C1 A4 B2  
K6 C3 E3 I3 D2 J3 I2 K1 D7  
F3 G5 E1 G4 K7 A5 J2 D6 H7!

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1 2 3 4
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D A W N                      O F                      O U R  
 K6    C3    E3    I3                      D2    J3                      I2    K1    D7  
S A L V A T I O N!  
 F3    G5    E1    G4    K7    A5    J2    D6    H7



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

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 CHRIST  
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**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
 Middle Grades Ephesians 2:21-22

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 T R P U A O K D F S D R A U G E F A S N H Q O  
 G E B F R R D V B E L I E V E R S I H L Q B U  
 V T X X T C N F J T X J I B P P Y K D Q F Q J  
 F A B E H Z J E K R F E D M A R E H C A E T J  
 B R Z X Q D N T C E T I H C R A K X R M C Q M  
 K I Z I U T S I R H C K Z T L I U B J P Q Q R  
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 H E N O T S R E N R O C L E C H U R C H N S T  
 B K K C D Z I P Z W Y J E S W G N O M N G T B  
 N U F G H F V T V N N E G U M E Z D E D D E M  
 P Y A O B A M R O T S A P S X M K H U G O H L  
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 D L T O K Z S K G N H M I S S I O N A R Y M T  
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 V S R E Y A L K C I R B N G K Y M V L O W Q O  
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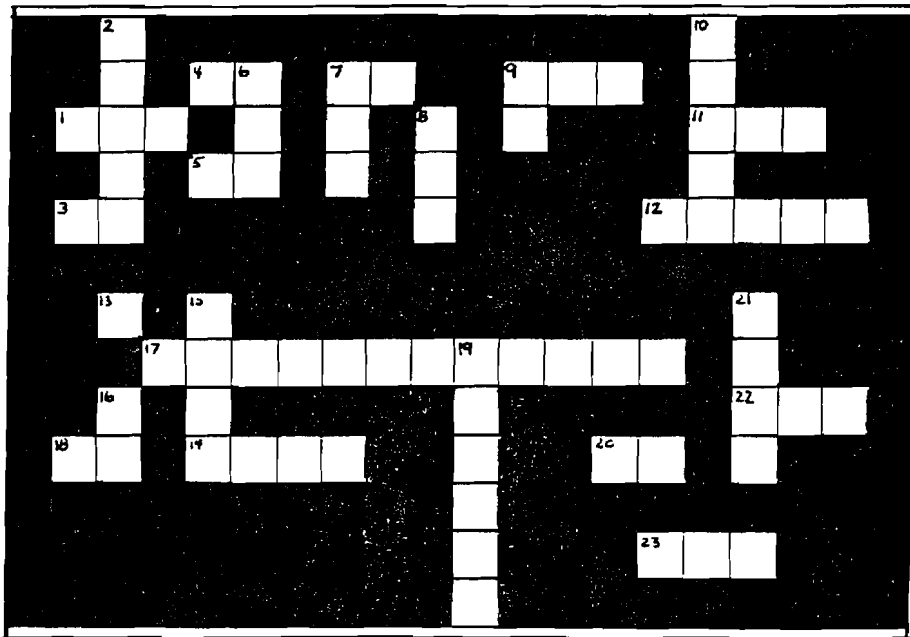
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 Middle Grades Ephesians 2:21-22

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Upper Grades John 15:16



Across

- 1 Genesis 1:1 word 4
- 3 Psalm 23:3 word 7
- 4 Hebrews 13:2 word 4
- 5 Philippians 3:9 word 2
- 7A 2 Peter 3:18 word 8
- 9A Psalm 130:1 word 1
- 11 Isaiah 53:4 word 7
- 12 Romans 15:9 word 10
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- 17 Leviticus 7:12 word 9
- 18 Matthew 11:27 word 8
- 22 Lamentations 3:64 word 9
- 23 Matthew 28:17 word 4

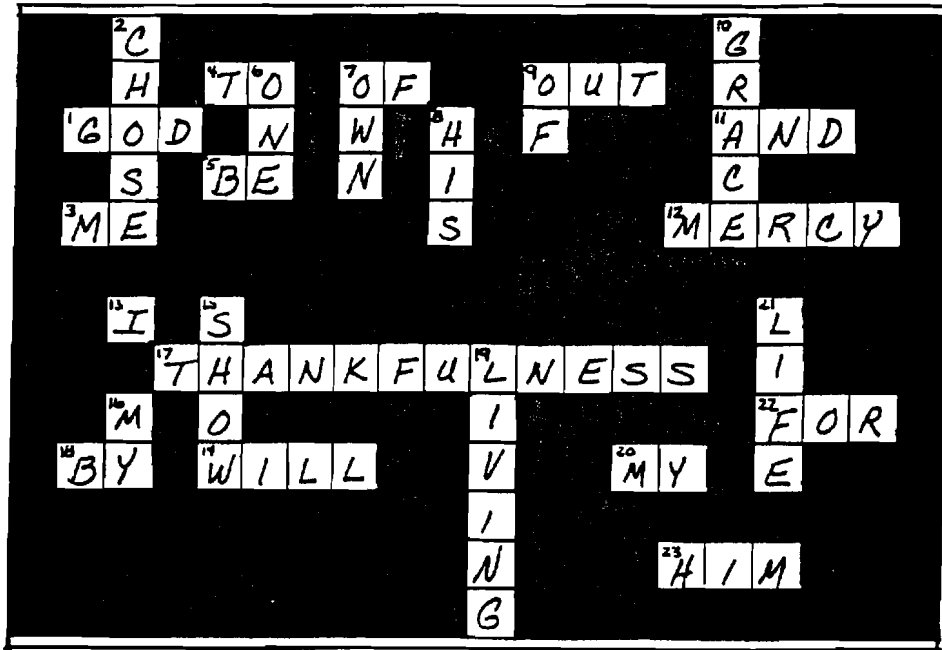
Down

- 2 I Corinthians 1:28 word 2
- 6 I Corinthians 12:8 word 2
- 7B Obadiah verse 15 word 27
- 8 Job 42:10 word 6
- 9D Psalm 130:1 word 2
- 10 Philemon verse 3 word 1
- 13 Isaiah 43:11 word 3
- 15 Genesis 20:13 word 20
- 16 Matthew 11:29 word 2
- 19 I Kings 3:25 word 8
- 20 Psalm 22:1 word 1
- 21 Revelation 22:19 word 24

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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
1	2	3	4	5
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
6	7A	8	7D	9A
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
9D	10	11	12	13
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
14	15	16	17	18
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
19	20	21	22	23

Name Answer Key  
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<u>one</u> 6	<u>of</u> 7A	<u>His</u> 8	<u>own</u> 9	<u>out</u> 9A
<u>of</u> 9B	<u>grace</u> 10	<u>and</u> 11	<u>mercy</u> 12	<u>✓</u> 13
<u>will</u> 14	<u>show</u> 15	<u>my</u> 16	<u>Thankfulness</u> 17	<u>by</u> 18
<u>living</u> 19	<u>my</u> 20	<u>life</u> 21	<u>for</u> 22	<u>him</u> 23

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2 Corinthians 5:19-20  
Upper Grades

Find the words printed at the bottom of this page in the diagram. Circle the words as you find them. The words are formed in the diagram forwards, backwards, up, down, or diagonally, but they are always in a straight line and never formed by skipping over any letters.

T I O N A R S E R V E A M G O D B A S B T O G  
G O S F E L O R E I G N C I L I A T I O N O C  
P R A Y E R A L S S I A N D S A B A T I S R H  
W G E O D M E S M M I T T S I G H R F P A I T  
E V A C R O S S E H R C O T A S A S E A P L H  
N T H A O K U N S A O L V T A L R L T I O A N  
I C S S I N S T E M A C E H E O V O R G R W N  
H O C N O I C T M A E A V L D A N A T S E C A  
R M I S N I A I T E C S R A V E E C T S N T I  
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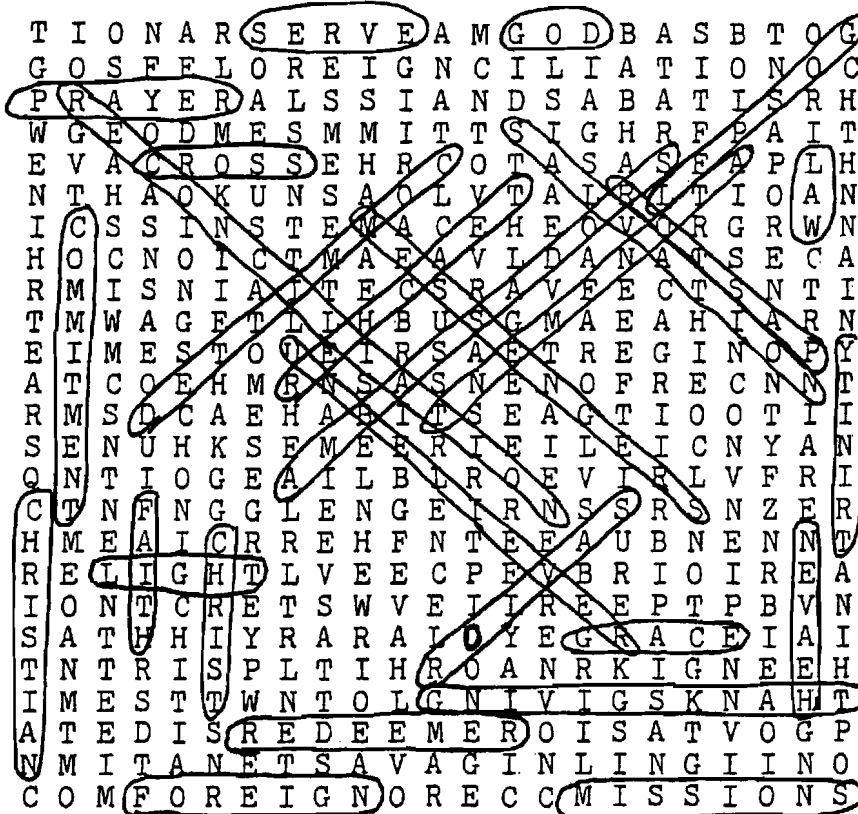
God  
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Foreign  
Reconciliation  
Christ  
Ambassadors  
Messengers  
Committed  
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Serve  
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Atonement

Faith  
Grace  
Heaven  
Pastor  
Teacher  
Prayer  
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Thanksgiving  
Trinity  
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Name: ANSWER KEY

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| ✓Gospel                            | ✓Heaven       |
| ✓Foreign                           | ✓Pastor       |
| ✓Reconciliation                    | ✓Teacher      |
| ✓Christ not included in Christian! | ✓Prayer       |
| ✓Ambassadors                       | ✓Redeemer     |
| ✓Messengers                        | ✓Salvation    |
| ✓Committed                         | ✓Savior       |
| ✓Commitment                        | ✓Thanksgiving |
| ✓Serve                             | ✓Trinity      |
| ✓Light                             | ✓Unbeliever   |
| ✓Christian                         | ✓Missions     |
| ✓Cross                             |               |
| ✓Atonement                         |               |