

October 15, 2023
Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Watchword for the Week – O Lord, You are my God; I will exalt You. I will praise Your name; for You have done wonderful things. Isaiah 25:1

Welcome to our service of worship for this twentieth Sunday after Pentecost - the season of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit was sent by the Risen Lord, Jesus Christ, to supply the church with everything needed to serve Him faithfully until the day of His return. As we worship today, let us pray for a fresh outpouring of the Spirit upon ourselves, our church, our community, nation and world. May more and more people everywhere hear and respond to the Good News - that Jesus is the Way; the Truth; the Life; the only source of salvation.

If you are visiting with us today we are especially glad you are here. Please take a moment to add your name, address and phone number to the blue Friendship Register as it is passed down the pew. We consider you an honored guest and hope that you will return and worship with us in the weeks to come. If you are looking for a church home, we would love to talk with you about joining the Friedberg church family.

Prelude *Bind us Together/Blest Be the Tie.* Mason

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn *Joining Our Voices* (Blue) p.535

Children's Sermon

(Afterwards, children 4-2nd grade may leave for Children's Church)

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Commissioning of Katie Hill for Honduras Mission Trip

Giving of Our Tithes and Offering

Prayer
Anthem *Calvary's Love* McDonald
Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* (Blue) p.817

Holy Scripture

Jonah 1:1-2:1
Jonah 2:10-4:11

Hymn *We've a Story to Tell to the Nations* (Blue) p.621

Sermon "Fisher of Men or Man in Fish?"

Hymn *God of Grace and God of Glory* (Blue) p.751

Benediction

Postlude *We Are One in the Bond of Love* Skillings

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today in honor of Pat Johnson's birthday (which is October 15th). They are given by Julie, Chris and Chloe Williamson. Proverbs 31:30-31-*Charm is deceptive, and beauty if fleeting; but a woman who fears the LORD is to be praised. Honor her for all that her hands have done, and let her works bring her praise at the city gate.*

This week in Friedberg's History: October 19, 2014, the headstone of Johannes Walk (Born March 4, 1769, died Nov 13, 1769) was returned to Friedberg after missing for many years. When and how it went missing is not known but In December 2013 his headstone was found in a vacant lot in Culpeper, VA. Interestingly, the stone was found on land that had belonged to Johannes Walk's grandparents. The stone is now on display in the Historical Room.

On Thursday, October. 19, Senior Friends will travel to Taylorsville for lunch at Teens & Deans and for a visit to the local apple orchards. Buses will leave the lower parking lot at 10:00 a.m.

All parents who have a child in Children's Church will be required to physically come down to the AV room on the first floor of the Family Life Center and sign their child out before they are released at the end of worship.

Sunday, October 15

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary/Livestream
12:30 p.m. Blood Drive until 5:00 p.m. in Family Life Center
4:30 p.m. Youth
4:30 p.m. C.R.O.S.S. Kids
4:30 p.m. *The Chosen* Bible Study at home of Debbie James

Monday, October 16

6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts

Tuesday, October 17

7:00 p.m. Elders Meeting

Wednesday, October 18

9:00 a.m. *The Chosen* Bible Study at home of Lisa Jackson
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 19

9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study-Discovery Classroom
10:00 a.m. Senior Friends Bus Trip
7:00 p.m. Bethel Bible Study
7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball

Friday, October 20

6:00 p.m. Praise and Worship Conference

Saturday, October 21

10:00 a.m. Praise and Worship Conference

Sunday, October 22

9:15 a.m. Band Prelude
9:25 a.m. Prayer Partners-Parlor
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FRIEDBERG MORAVIAN CHURCH PRAYER CONCERNS

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MEMBERS

Phil Carter	Larry Jarvis	Mary Lou Pitts
Sandra Chambers	Robbie Joyce	Martha Plyler
Hal Cockerham	Irv Keck	Joy Reich
Brenda Dennis	Yvonne Lemons	Betty Sink
Emily Essick	Jennifer MacLeod	Bob & Judy Smith
Jerry Evans	Rebecca Mickey	Jerry & Gail Tolley
Don Faust	Stamie Moore	Amanda Traigle
Janie Foltz	Reba Payne	Philip Whitney
J.T. Hopkins	Kolton Pennell	

Family and Friends Prayer Concerns Submitted Since Last Sunday:

Susan Black and Denise & Pat O'Hara

MEMBERS AND RELATIVES IN MILITARY

Dylan Bundy	Alex Kennedy	Jon Eric Spaar, Jr.
Dylan Coleman	Patrick Mickey	Ryan Spach
Ben Greeson	Daniel Randleman	Brandon Thompson
Jennifer Greenwood	Colton Scott	Aidan Wheeler
Dakota Holtzclaw		

**MISSIONARIES AND MINISTRIES RECEIVING
FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM FRIEDBERG**

ARMF (Armando Rusindo Mission Foundation)
Safie Braima - Sierra Leone
Charlie & Vicki Brent – CRU (Campus Crusade), Texas A & M University
Michael and Brenda Brent – CRU (Campus Crusade), Croatia
Anna Stewart Faircloth – Young Life
Keith Graham - Cookies for Christ
Dusty and Christin Harrison – Intervarsity, Clemson University
Hoof and Paw Therapeutic Riding and Activity Center
Phil III & Eunice Raiford, Commission to Every Nation (CTEN) - Mexico
Michael and Ceci Tesh, Ray of Hope Orphanage – Kenya
Friends of Moravian Prison Ministry
Joey Yokely – Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Circle 2 will have our NEW CROP PECANS available the first week of November. They are \$12.00 for a 1-pound bag of shelled halves. You can purchase from any Circle 2 member, at The Fall Supper on Nov. 4th, The Youth Bazaar on Nov. 18th or Monday-Thursday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM at Piedmont Fence on Hwy 150. For questions call Michelle Tucker at 336-408-0477.

Morning Star Sign-Ups: It's time again for your child(ren) to sign up to sing Morning Star for the Christmas lovefeasts! This is a wonderful Moravian tradition where children lead the antiphonal singing of the Christmas hymn Morning Star with the congregation. We will have two Christmas lovefeasts this year, the first on December 17 at 7:30pm and the second on December 24 at 4:30pm.

The sign-up sheet is on the piano in the choir room. Please indicate what service(s) your child can sing for. Sign-ups begin today, October 15 and end on October 29. Verses will be assigned that week and unfortunately no changes can be made. Rehearsals begin on November 5 in the choir room. Please call me if you have any questions. Thank you!

Debbie Foltz
336-971-0111

“Cookies for Christ” – What can God do when the “Body of Christ” gives from the heart for Christ? He can use the “Body of Christ” at Friedberg to reach out and share the love of Christ to encourage and build others up. From your gifts of love, we will purchase Moravian sugar cookies and attach a message of love and thanks to each bag. Each bag will be hand delivered to those serving this nation. It is amazing to see how God can take a simple bag of cookies with a message attached, and touch lives in a way we can never imagine. We will have a special collection period through **October 29**. Checks should be made please payable to Friedberg Moravian Church and reference “Cookies for Christ” or indicate on your offering envelope the amount you would like to give for “Cookies for Christ.”

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Bringing Desserts:

Contributing desserts to the Fall Supper which will all be shared with meals. Desserts can be brought to the church beginning on **Friday, November 3rd** and need to all be available by noon on **Saturday, November 4th**. Please complete the sign-up sheet and put in in the offering collection plate.

Helping with the Supper Event:

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Shut-in Meal Delivery:

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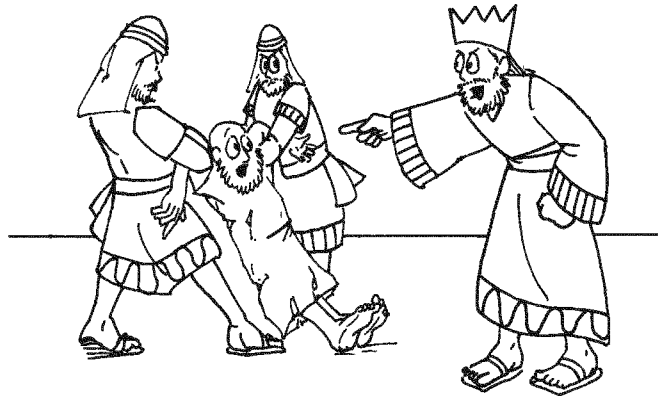
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The king noticed that one of the guests was not wearing wedding clothes. He asked why. The man didn't say anything. The king had him thrown out of the hall!



Write the letter missing from each set based on alphabetical order.
Find verse 14.

“ F
DEG NPQ QST KLN YZB MOP WXZ
ZBC PQS CDF
HJK LMO TUW HJK RSU CDF BCE
ACD TVW SUV DEG CDF UVX
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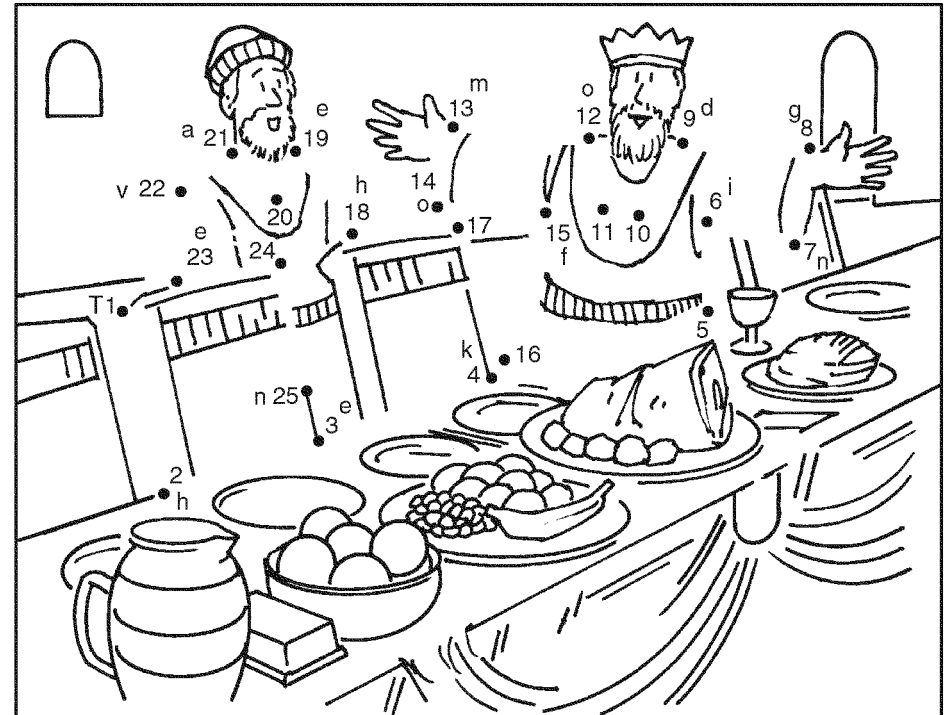
Ages 7+

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Parable of the Wedding Banquet

What is it that Jesus says is like
“a king who prepared a wedding banquet for his son”?

Connect the dots and write the letters
in the order you find them on the blanks below.

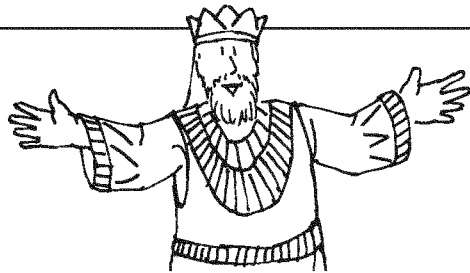
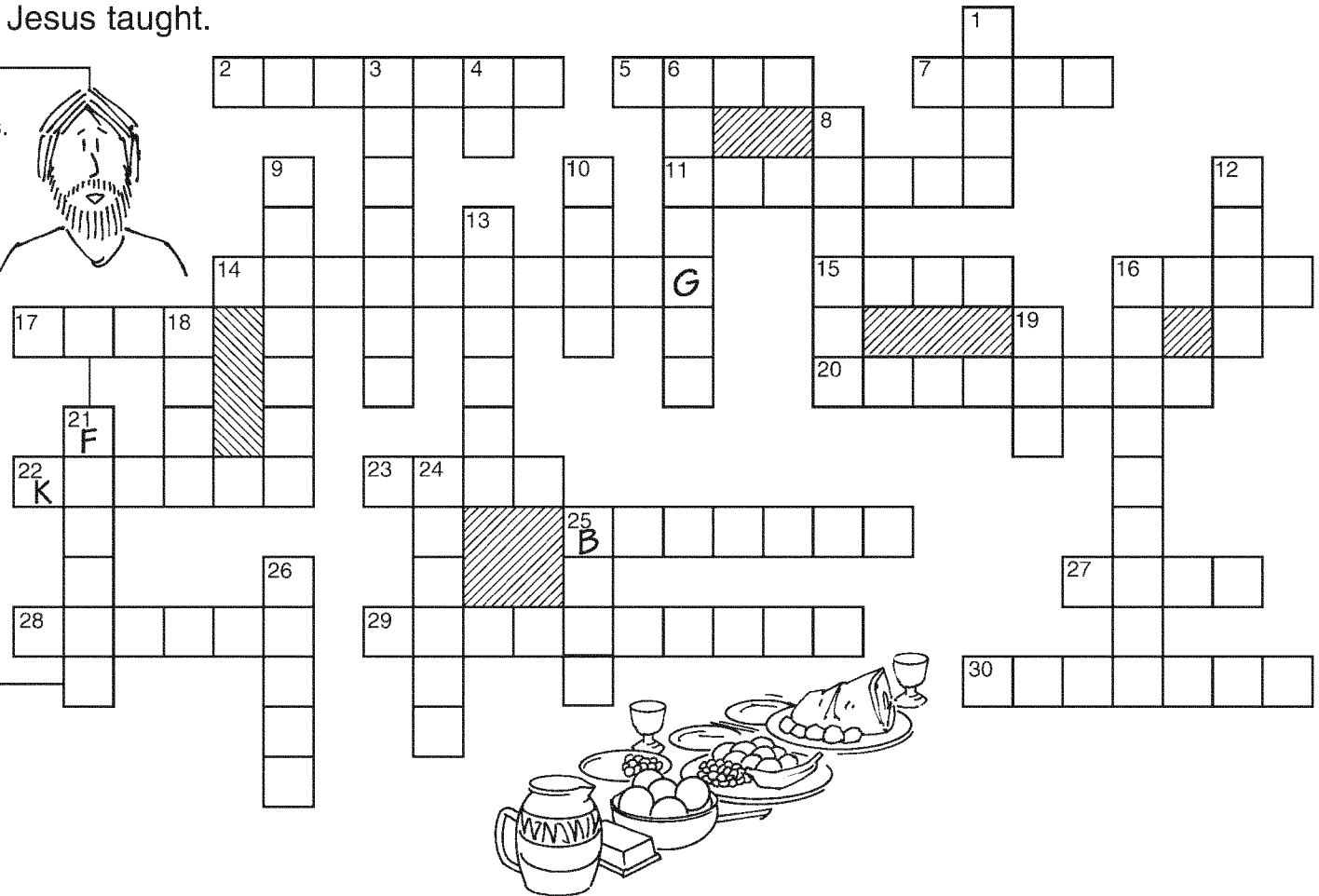
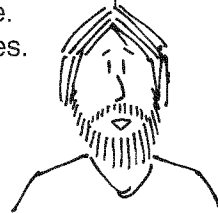


The Rev. Jim Newsome-Senior Pastor
The Rev. Dan Nelson-Assoc. Pastor
Karen Hill-Director of Youth Ministry
Heidi Everhart-Director of Children's Ministry
Debbie Foltz-Music Director
Jimmie Snyder-Band Director

Here is the parable that Jesus taught.

First, fit the words into the puzzle.
Next, transfer the words to the lines.
Then, read the parable.

no	burn	wedding
bad	city	banquet
good	both	refused
hall	ready	enraged
king	killed	destroy
sent	invite	corners
tell	people	servants
come	street	attention
more	filled	everything
paid	guests	mistreated
army	invited	



The 27) _____ 15) _____ his 20) _____ to 5) _____ those who had been 9) _____ to
12) _____ to the 2) _____ (25A) _____. They 11) _____ to 12) _____! He 15) _____
(7) _____ (20) _____ to 5) _____ them that 14) _____ was 26) _____. They 10) _____ 4) _____
(16D) _____ – and even 29) _____ and 22) _____ the servants! The 27) _____ was 6) _____.
He 15) _____ his 16A) _____ to 3) _____ them and 25D) _____ their 23) _____. Then he 15) _____ his
servants to 24) _____ (28) _____, (17) _____ (1) _____ and 19) _____, from the 13) _____ (30) _____.
They 21) _____ the 18) _____ with 8) _____!