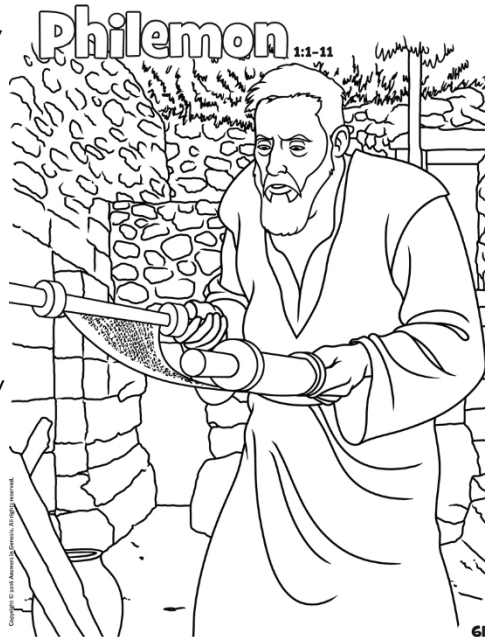


March 2, 2025

Today's Reading:
Philemon

Today, at church I learned:

Paul wrote this letter to Philemon on behalf of Philemon's runaway slave, Onesimus. Both Philemon and Onesimus were believers in the Lord Jesus Christ. Paul convinced Onesimus that he must return to Philemon. This letter was written to Philemon appealing to him to accept Onesimus back in Christian love as a brother in Christ—not merely as a slave. Paul also appealed to Philemon to forgive Onesimus and receive him graciously and without punishment because of the truth they shared in the risen Savior, Jesus Christ.



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Word Bank

ADAM

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JESUS

SACRIFICE

BAPTISM

TRANSFORMED

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GRACE

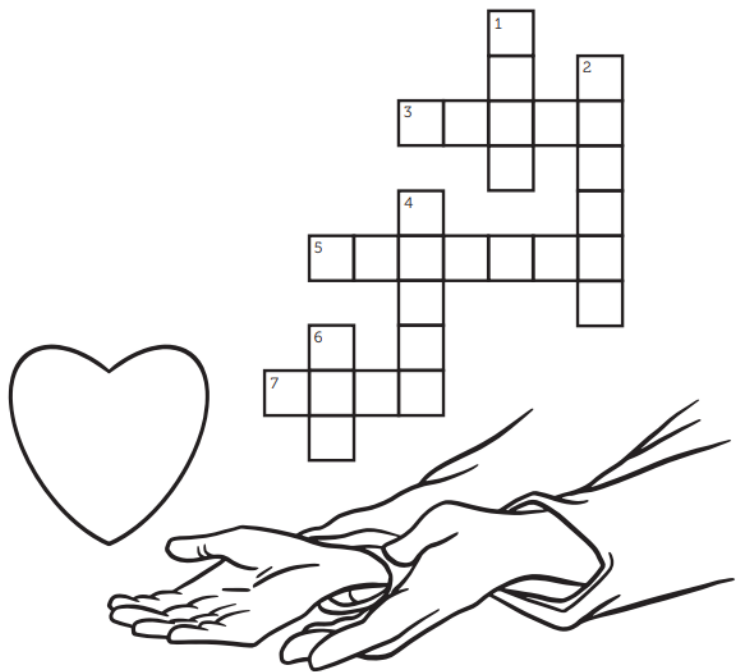
FORGIVEN

KINDNESS

SERVICE

HEAVEN





Across

3. When baptized, we emerge from the _____ cleansed and transformed.
5. _____ others is one way we can serve God.
7. Those who believe in Jesus will have eternal _____.

Down

1. The Holy Spirit helps to keep us on God's _____.
2. Jesus' sacrifice acts as a _____ that reconnects us to God.
4. Through God's _____, we are always forgiven for everything.
6. Adam and Eve's introduced _____ to the world.

Spot 7 differences between the two pictures.

