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"But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you" (Matthew 6:33)



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# YOUR PAGE



If you need help solving the puzzles in this magazine, feel free to ask your parents, an older brother or sister or anyone else. We really encourage you to try all the puzzles and hand in your magazine.

To hand in your magazine, you can:

- Give your magazine to your Sunday school teacher
- ***St. Mark's Cathedral only:*** Put it in the Contest Box, which is located right beside the Sunday school bulletin board beside the Sunday school rooms. It is black and has a picture of the front cover of this magazine on it.

**Also... Your Own Work and Comments are ALWAYS Welcome!!!**

We want you to hand in pictures, contests, or anything else you would like to share with us.

***The due date to hand in all LENT 2016 contests is:***

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## Let's Learn Coptic

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Pronounced "I air novi I air novi pachoice isous"

### *It means:*

"I have sinned, I have sinned O my Lord Jesus"  
(we must use this sentence throughout the Lent season,  
whenever we think, say or do anything wrong).

Please copy the words on the grey letters:

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## Memorization

*Psalm 50 (first part)*

Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Your great mercy; and according to the multitude of Your compassions blot out my iniquity. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin. For I am conscious of my iniquity; and my sin is at all times before me.

Against You only I have sinned, and done evil before You: that You might be just in Your sayings, and might overcome when You are judged. For, behold, I was conceived in iniquities, and in sins my mother conceived me.

*Continued in the next issue...*

**FOR SERVANT USE ONLY:**

Date memorization complete: \_\_\_\_\_

Name & Signature of Servant: \_\_\_\_\_



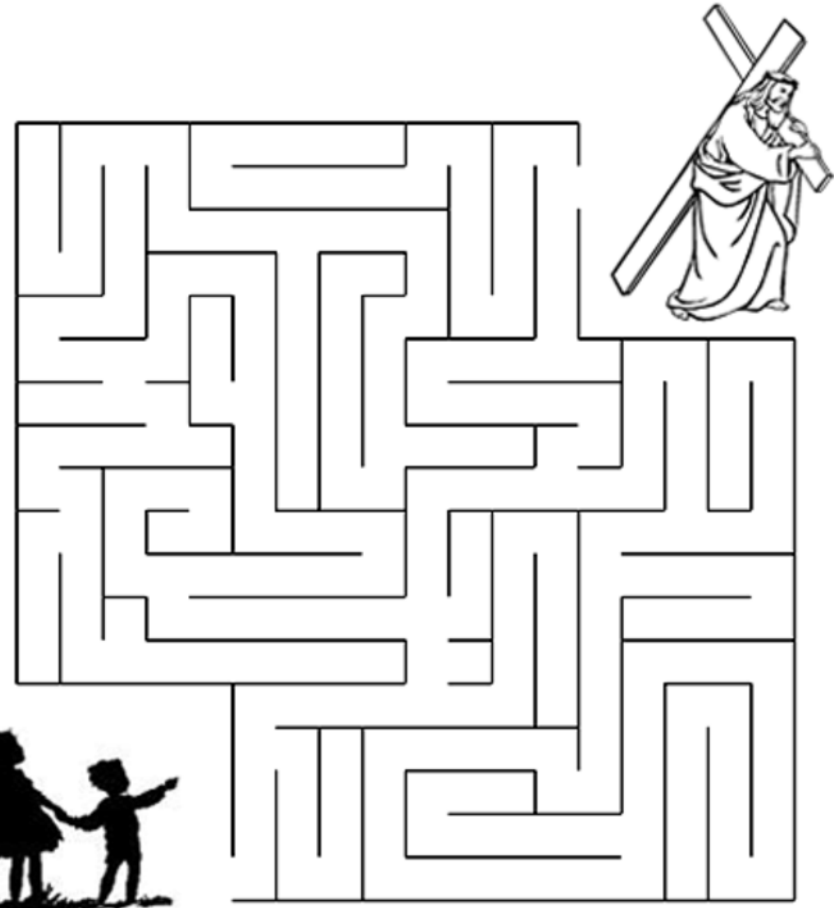
# Prodigal Son Word Unscramble

Please read Luke 15:11—32 (please use New King James Version [NKJV] of the Bible) and unscramble the following words.

- 1) oaldprgi \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) aethrf \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) tevsnar \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) newsi \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) dennis \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) vhneea \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) bore \_\_\_\_\_
- 8) Issaadn \_\_\_\_\_
- 9) scmposinoa \_\_\_\_\_
- 10) yrmer \_\_\_\_\_



# Crucifixion Maze



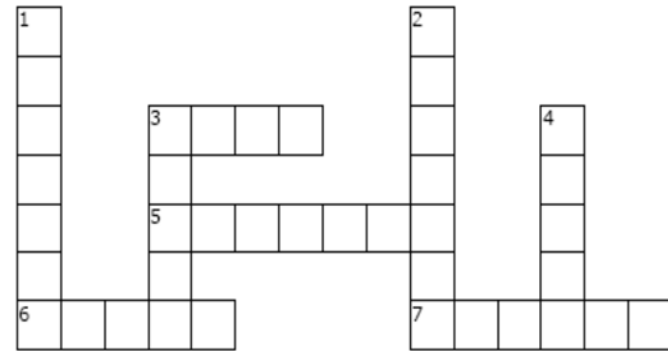


# Jesus Praying Colouring Contest



# The Woman at the Well

Jesus answered her, "If you knew the gift of God and who it is that asks you for a drink, you would have asked him and he would have given you living water." John 4:10 (NIV)



ACROSS

- 3. A deep hole in the ground from which we get water
- 5. The one expected to come and save the world
- 6. To take in liquid through the mouth
- 7. The need or desire to drink something, especially water

DOWN

- 1. The man to whom a woman is married
- 2. A person who tells what will happen in the future
- 3. An adult female
- 4. A clear, colorless liquid which is necessary for life

PROPHET	THIRST	DRINK	WELL
WOMAN	WATER	HUSBAND	MESSIAH

**Healing at the Pool of Bethesda Trivia**

Please read John 5:1-18 (please use New King James Version [NKJV] of the Bible) and answer the following questions.

- The first person to get into the water after it was stirred \_\_\_\_\_.
  - got to take a bath
  - was cured of a disease
- There was a man at the pool who had been \_\_\_\_\_ for thirty-eight years.
  - blind
  - crippled
  - deaf
- The man had not been able to get into the pool because he \_\_\_\_\_.
  - couldn't see to find his way
  - had no one to help him into the pool
- Jesus told the man to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - take up his bed and walk
  - find someone to help him into the pool
- Some of the Jewish leaders were upset because the man was \_\_\_\_\_.
  - walking on the Sabbath
  - shouting loudly
  - carrying his bed on the Sabbath
- When asked who had healed him the man said "\_\_\_\_\_."
  - It was Jesus
  - I don't know who healed me
- Later when Jesus saw him he told the man to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - stop sinning
  - go show himself to the priest
  - talk to the rulers
- Doctors are helpful when we are sick, but we also need to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - throw away the medicine they give us
  - pray to God for healing

**Jesus Heals a Blind Man**

So the man went and washed, and came home seeing. John 9:7 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on John 9:1-34 (NIV).



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BLIND	EYES	SPIT	POOL	WASH
WORLD	SINNED	SIGHT	NIGHT	BORN
HOME	MUD	LIFE	OPENED	LIGHT
SILOAM	PARENTS	RECEIVED	BIRTH	GROUND