

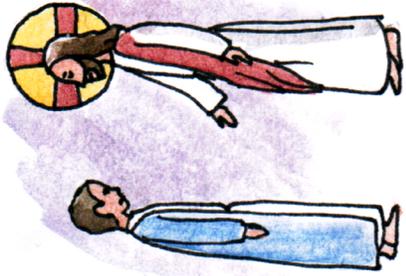
Children's Activity Worksheets

The Twenty-Eighth Sunday  
in Ordinary Time

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# Jesus and the Rich Young Man



The rich man in today's Gospel reading wanted to follow Jesus. But he was sad when Jesus told him that he should sell his things and give his money to the poor.

Do you think Jesus wants everyone to give away everything they have?

God calls some people to give up all their things so they can live a special life for Him, like religious brothers and sisters.



But God also wants people who are rich to use their money and things for Him- to help the poor and the Church.



What do you have that is really special? Would you be ready to give it up if God wanted you to?

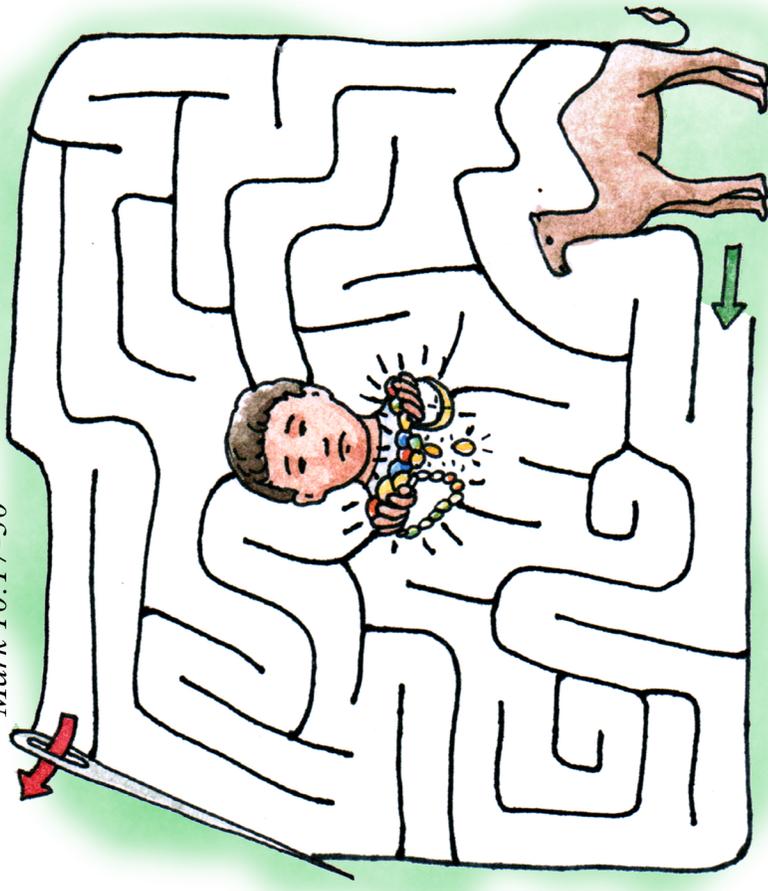
Cross-word Puzzle answers: Across: 3.light 5.silver 7.good 10.her 12.chose 13.was 14.gold 15.me 16.splendor Down: 1.things 2.wisdom 3.loved 4.the 6.riches 8.prayed 9.throne 11.hands

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# The Kids' Bulletin

28th Sunday in Ordinary Time  
October 10th, 2021

Mark 10:17-30



The rich young man in today's Gospel reading was sad because Jesus told him to sell his things and give his money to the poor.

Jesus said that it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the Kingdom of Heaven.

But all things are possible with God!

Can you find the way from the camel through the needle?

# Saint Teresa of Avila

## October 15

TERESA OF AVILA WAS BORN IN 1515 IN SPAIN TO A CATHOLIC FAMILY. WHEN SHE WAS 7 SHE AND HER BROTHER RAN AWAY, HOPING TO BECOME MARTYRS.

HER MOTHER DIED WHEN SHE WAS 14. WHEN SHE BECAME DISTRACTED BY WORLDLY THINGS HER FATHER SENT HER TO A CONVENT.

SHE WAS SENT HOME WHEN SHE BECAME ILL, BUT WENT BACK WHEN SHE WAS BETTER.

*It's so hard to leave my father... but I must go!*

Sister Anne's cousins are coming today!

Oh! They're Fun!

THE NUNS AT THIS CONVENT DID NOT PRACTICE POVERTY OR SILENCE.

FOR A LONG TIME TERESA STRUGGLED WITH PRAYER. SHE LIKED TO BE WITH HER FRIENDS.

*I don't have time to pray...*

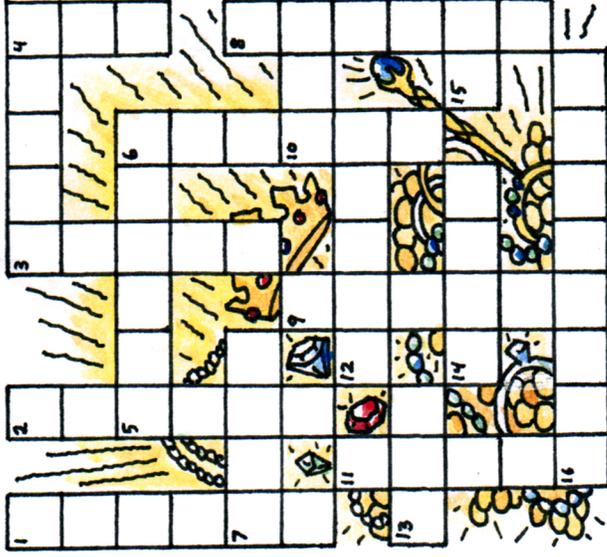
*Did you hear about Elizabeth?*

BUT GOD ASKED HER TO TALK ONLY TO HIM. TERESA BEGAN TO HAVE VISIONS AND HEAR THINGS FROM GOD.

*Speak - no more - with men...*

SOON SHE STARTED NEW CONVENTS THAT FOLLOWED THE OLD RULES. MANY PEOPLE TRIED TO STOP HER, BUT SHE OBEYED GOD. SHE WAS SICKLY ALL HER LIFE AND DIED AT AGE 67.

WHEN SHE WAS YOUNG SAINT TERESA HAD A HARD TIME KEEPING GOD FIRST IN HER LIFE. SHE WAS DISTRACTED BY FRIENDS AND NICE THINGS. BUT SHE KNEW THAT GOD WAS THE MOST IMPORTANT, SO SHE GAVE HER LIFE TO HIM. WHAT ARE YOU DISTRACTED BY? WILL YOU LET IT KEEP YOU AWAY FROM GOD?



# Wisdom Cross-Word Puzzle

Wisdom 7:7-11

Unscramble the words in **CAPITALS** and fit them into the puzzle!  
**A=Across and D=Down.**

I DEYPAR (8D), and prudence SWA (13A) given me;  
 I pleaded and HET (4D) spirit of MSODWI (2D) came to EM (15A).

I preferred her to scepter and ONTHRE (9D), and deemed ERSIHC (6D) nothing in comparison with her,

nor did I liken any priceless gem to her; because all DLGO (14A), in view of her, is a little sand, and before her, VELSIR (5A) is to be accounted mire.

Beyond health and comeliness I OELVD (3D) her, And I SECHO (12A) to have RHE (10A) rather than the HGLTI (3A),

because the DORSPLEN (16A) of her never yields to sleep.

Yet all DOOG (7A) NSGTIH (1D) together came to me in her company, and countless riches at her SDHNA (11D).

*Helping You Bring the Joy of the Faith to Your Family*



Jesus said, "You lack one thing; go, sell what you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in Heaven; and come, follow Me." (Mark 10:21)

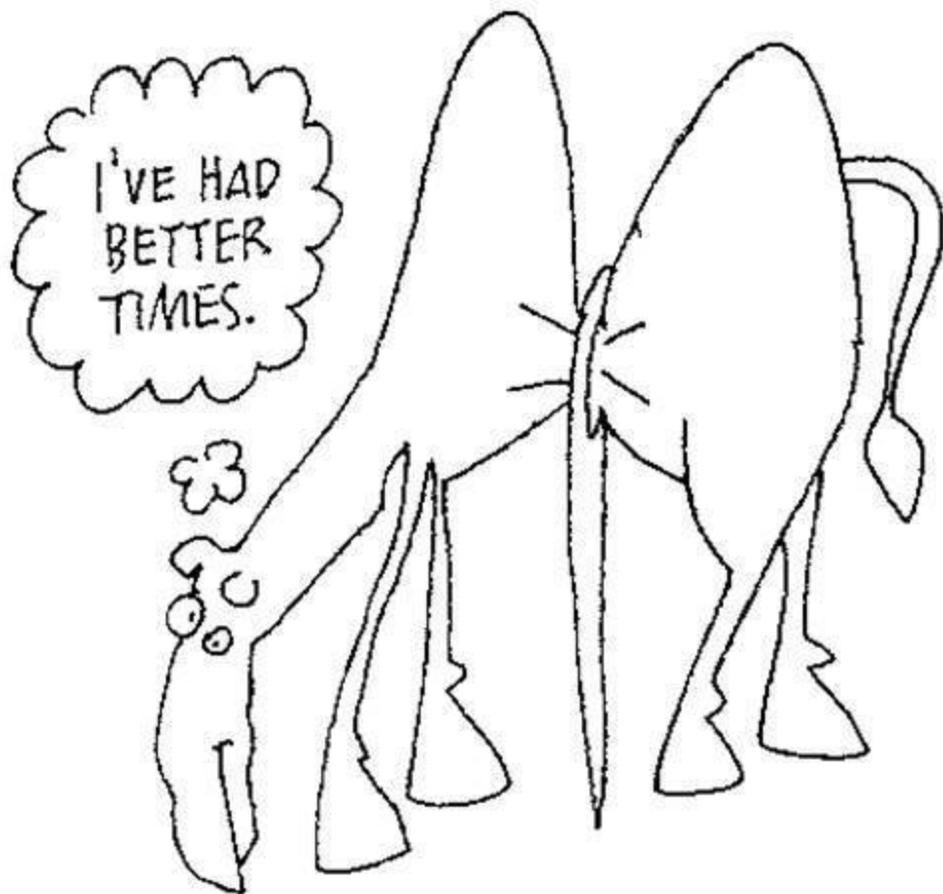
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"Parable of the camel and the needle"

Jesus said:

"It's easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for the rich to enter the kingdom of God."



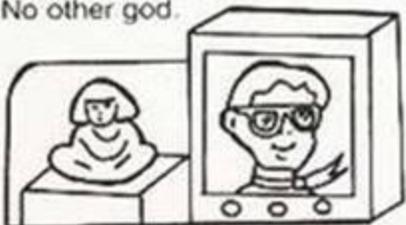
The disciples said: "Then who can be saved".  
Jesus said: "All things are possible with God."

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## The Ten Commandments

1. No other god.



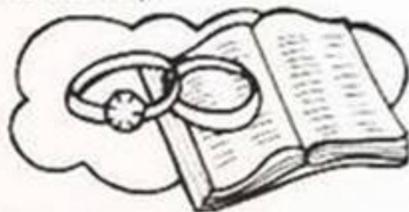
6. Don't murder.



2. No idols.



7. No adultery



3. Don't misuse God's name.



8. Don't steal.



4. Rest on the sabbath.



9. Don't lie.



5. Honor your parents.



10. Don't covet.



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and deemed riches nothing in comparison with her,  
nor did I liken any priceless gem to her;  
because all gold, in view of her, is a little sand,  
and before her, silver is to be accounted mire.  
Beyond health and comeliness I loved her,  
and I chose to have her rather than the light,  
because the splendor of her never yields to sleep.  
Yet all good things together came to me in her  
company,  
and countless riches at her hands.

**Responsorial Psalm**

**Psalm 90:12-13, 14-15, 16-17**

**R. (14) Fill us with Your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!**

Teach us to number our days aright,  
that we may gain wisdom of heart.  
Return, O LORD! How long?  
Have pity on Your servants!

**R. Fill us with Your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!**

Fill us at daybreak with Your kindness,  
that we may shout for joy and gladness all our days.  
Make us glad, for the days when You afflicted us,  
for the years when we saw evil.

**R. Fill us with Your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!**

Let Your work be seen by Your servants  
and Your glory by their children;  
and may the gracious care of the LORD our God be  
ours;

prosper the work of our hands for us!  
Prosper the work of our hands!

**R. Fill us with Your love, O Lord, and we will sing for joy!**

**Second Reading**

**Hebrews 4:12-13**

Brothers and sisters:

Indeed the word of God is living and effective,  
sharper than any two-edged sword, penetrating even  
between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able  
to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart.  
No creature is concealed from Him, but everything is  
naked and exposed to the eyes of Him to Whom we  
must render an account.

**Gospel Reading**

**Mark 10:17-30**

As Jesus was setting out on a journey, a man ran up,  
knelt down before Him, and asked Him,  
"Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal  
life?"

Jesus answered him, "Why do you call Me good? No  
one is good but God alone.

You know the commandments: You shall not kill;  
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(continued)**

He replied and said to Him,  
"Teacher, all of these I have observed from my youth."  
Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him,  
"You are lacking in one thing. Go, sell what you have, and give to the poor and you will have treasure in Heaven; then come, follow Me."  
At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions.

Jesus looked around and said to His disciples,  
"How hard it is for those who have wealth to enter the Kingdom of God!"  
The disciples were amazed at His words.  
So Jesus again said to them in reply, "Children, how hard it is to enter the Kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to pass through the eye of a needle than for one who is rich to enter the Kingdom of God."

They were exceedingly astonished and said among themselves, "Then who can be saved?"  
Jesus looked at them and said, "For human beings it is impossible, but not for God. All things are possible for God."  
Peter began to say to Him, "We have given up everything and followed You."  
Jesus said, "Amen, I say to you, there is no one who has given up house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or lands for My sake and for the sake of the gospel who will not receive a hundred times more now in this present age:  
houses and brothers and sisters and mothers and children and lands, with persecutions, and eternal life in the age to come."

OR:

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  - b. Philemon
  - c. Hebrews
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  - b. Wealthy
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10. Fill in the blank from the Gospel reading: "For human beings it is impossible, but not for \_\_\_\_\_."

ANSWER KEY - 28<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

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