



*Embodying Jesus'  
All-Encompassing  
Hospitality*

—Florida's first Presbyterians, since 1824—

*\*Please stand as you are able*

July 5, 2026

11:00 a.m.

## SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Children's bulletins are available at each door for children to take upon entering the sanctuary and use during worship. Activity bags will be available during the Children's Moment. Please leave the bags in the pews after the service.*

### GATHERING

#### TOLLING OF THE HOUR

*The prelude marks a time of preparation for worship. Please be considerate of those who seek to use this time for prayer and reflection through the gift of music.*

PRELUDE

"Faith of Our Fathers"

Michael Burkhardt

INTROIT

"Thankful"  
(APPASSIONATA)

Sager, Foster, Page

#### GREETING *(responsive)*

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us take a moment of silence to center ourselves on God.

#### \*CALL TO WORSHIP *(responsive)*

The world belongs to God,

**The earth and all its people.**

How good it is, how wonderful.

**To live together in unity.**

Love and faith come together,

**Justice and peace join hands.**

Open our lips, O God,

**And our mouths shall proclaim Your praise.**

#### \*PRAYER OF THE DAY

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

*The children of the church gather at the baptismal font*

CELEBRATION OF COMMUNITY

*Please sign and pass the Friendship Registers*

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

FIRST LESSON

Genesis 24:34-38

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The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 11:20-24

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The Gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to You, O Christ.**

SERMON

“The Danger of the Familiar”

Dr. Camp

*Silent meditation on sermon*

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*unison*)

The Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

**\*THE PEACE** *(responsive)*

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, we also ought to forgive one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**And also with you.**

*Please greet those around you with words and signs of God's reconciling peace.*

## **THE EUCHARIST**

### **OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS**

*Please use this time to reflect on how we might  
offer ourselves, and our resources, to God*



*Four ways to give: Please drop a check/cash in the offering plate as you exit the sanctuary, mail a check to the church office, text STAMPC to 73256, or use the QR code printed here to connect to the Church's secure online giving platform to make your gift.*

### **OFFERTORY SONG**

**"Climbing Up the Mountain"  
(APPASSIONATA)**

**Simms**

### **\*DOXOLOGY**

### **OLD HUNDREDTH**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*(some substitute "God" for "Him")*

### **\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION OF THE OFFERING**

### **\*INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE**

## THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (*responsive*)

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**It is right to give our thanks and praise.**

It is truly right and our greatest joy to give You thanks and praise, eternal and triune God. In Jesus Christ You spoke the word that brought the world into being. By the Holy Spirit You brought order out of chaos and breathed life into Your creatures. Therefore we praise You, joining our voices with choirs of angels and with all the faithful of every time and place, who forever sing to the glory of Your name...

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, Lord, God of power and might.

1. 2. might. Heav - en and earth are full, Bless - ed is he who comes

full of your glo - ry. Ho - san - na in the in the name of the Lord.

high - est, ho - san - na in the high - est.

Gracious God, pour out Your Holy Spirit upon us and upon these Your gifts of bread and wine, that the bread we break and the cup we bless may be the communion of the body and blood of Christ. By Your Spirit make us one with Christ that we may be one with all who share this feast, united in ministry in every place. And now, in the sacred silence of our hearts, we offer prayers to You for the Church and for the world...

As our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to pray...

## THE LORD'S PRAYER (*unison*)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name, Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

## MINUTE FOR MISSION

Habitat for Humanity

## WORDS OF INSTITUTION

## COMMUNION

*The ushers will invite each pew to come forward. Please proceed from your pew down the center aisle, and extend your palms out to receive bread. Please then gently dip your bread into the chalice, consuming the sacrament, and return to your pew using the outside aisle. As you wait to receive the sacrament, and after receiving it, please be in prayer for the world, our church, community, those in need, and yourself. Gluten free wafers are available.*

## COMMUNION MUSIC

"Untitled Hymn-Come to Jesus"  
(*APPASSIONATA*)

Rice

"Kyrie Eleison"  
(*APPASSIONATA*)

Donnelly

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

## SENDING

\*HYMN NO. 8

"Eternal Father, Strong to Save"

MELITA

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL RESPONSE

\*CLOSING SONG

"Thankful"  
(*APPASSIONATA*)

Sager, Foster, Page

\*POSTLUDE

“God of Our Fathers”

Janet Linker

*\*Please stand as you are able*

*Children’s Worship Activity Bags: Please leave activity bags  
in the pews at the conclusion of the service*

## **MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT**

Called by Jesus Christ to love God, neighbor, and self by the power of the Holy Spirit

## **VISION STATEMENT**

Embodying Jesus’ all-encompassing hospitality

## WORSHIP LEADERS

**Rev. Dr. Hunter Camp, Pastor and Head of Staff:** Greeting, Call to Worship, Prayer of the Day, Celebration of Community, Prayer for Illumination, Sermon, Invitation to the Lord's Table, Words of Institution, Charge and Benediction

**Rev. Rachael McNeal, Associate Pastor of Youth and Outreach:** Gospel Lesson, Affirmation of Faith, The Peace, Offering, Prayer of Dedication, The Great Thanksgiving, The Lord's Prayer, Words of Institution

**Ray McDonald, Director of Music Emeritus**

**Children's Moment:** Robin Pyles

**Lector:** Karen Fromhold

**Minute for Mission:** Becky Maguire

*Special thanks to APPASSIONATA quartet for today's  
Introit, Offertory, Communion, and Closing music!*

# O Christ, the Great Foundation 361



1 O Christ, the great foun-da - tion on which your peo - ple stand  
2 Bap - tized in one con - fes - sion, one church in all the earth,  
3 Where ty - rants' hold is tight-ened, where strong de - vour the weak,  
4 This is the mo - ment glo - rious when he who once was dead



to preach your true sal - va - tion in ev - ery age and land:  
we bear our Lord's im - pres - sion, the sign of sec - ond birth:  
where in - no - cents are fright-ened, the righ - teous fear to speak,  
shall lead his church vic - to - rious, their cham - pion and their head.



pour out your Ho - ly Spir - it to make us strong and pure,  
one ho - ly peo - ple gath - ered in love be - yond our own,  
there let your church a - wak - ing at - tack the powers of sin  
The Lord of all cre - a - tion his heaven - ly king - dom brings:



to keep the faith un - bro - ken as long as worlds en - dure.  
by grace we were in - vit - ed; by grace we make you known.  
and, all their ram - parts break - ing, with you the vic - tory win.  
the fi - nal con - sum - ma - tion, the glo - ry of all things.



## 8

## Eternal Father, Strong to Save

1 E - ter - nal Fa - ther, strong to save, whose arm has bound the  
 2 O Sav - ior, whose al - might - y word the winds and waves sub -  
 3 O Ho - ly Spir - it, who did brood up - on the cha - os  
 4 O Trin - i - ty of love and power, all trav - elers guard in

rest - less wave, who bade the might - y o - cean deep its  
 mis - sive heard, who walked up - on the foam - ing deep, and  
 wild and rude, and bade its an - gry tu - mult cease, and  
 dan - ger's hour; from rock and tem - pest, fire and foe, pro -

own ap - point - ed lim - its keep: O hear us when we  
 calm a - mid its rage did sleep: O hear us when we  
 gave, for fierce con - fu - sion, peace: O hear us when we  
 tect them where - so - e'er they go; thus ev - er - more shall

cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.  
 cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.  
 cry to thee for those in per - il on the sea.  
 rise to thee glad praise from air and land and sea.

## MPC SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

July 5, 2026

9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

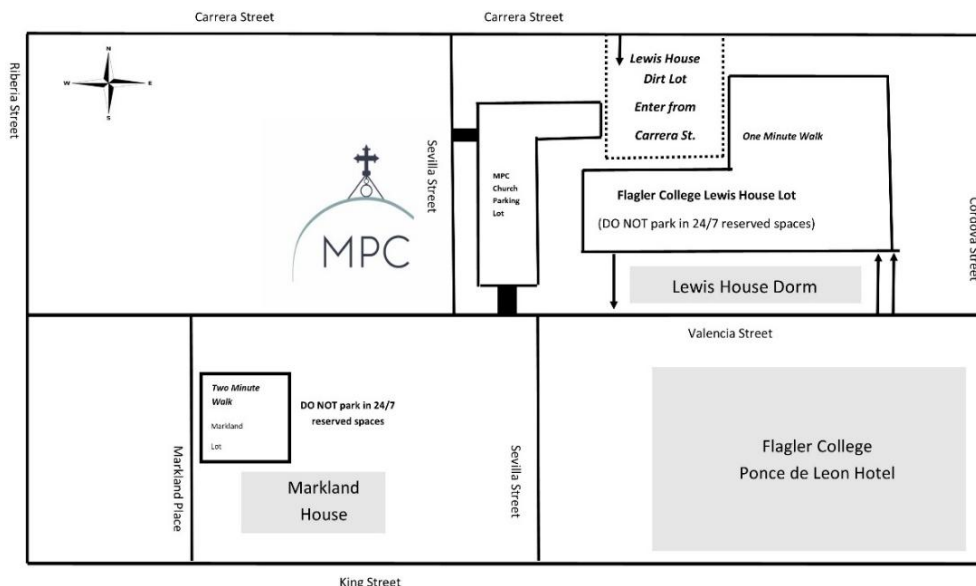
**Children, Youth, and APEX Sunday School Sabbath, May 24 through August 9:** On Sunday mornings during this time period, these classes will have a sabbath time without traditional Sunday School. Instead, all are invited to **Summer Sunday Fellowship** in Lewis Hall from 9:30-10:30 a.m. on Sunday mornings. This allows our volunteer teachers to have a time of restoration and for families to be able to connect with one another.

### Adult Sunday School:

- The Friendship Class (Dr. Proctor's Class): **Start time – 9:40 a.m.** A study of the 4<sup>th</sup> gospel, take a spiritual walk with Jesus. Welcome to the journey, Flagler-Kenan History Room
- Spiritual Formation: "Mark, the Good News of Jesus", Come join us, enjoy, learn, grow, Lewis Hall Parlor – class meets all summer
- New Perspectives: "Being Disciples", Congregational History Room
- Christian Meditation: **Start time – 9:40 a.m.** "Meditation and Contemplative Prayer", Church Office Parlor and via Zoom (hybrid format). Contact Marc Craddock for any questions at [marccraddock@mac.com](mailto:marccraddock@mac.com). Join Zoom Meeting: Meeting ID: 371 289 063; Passcode: 083593 <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/371289063?pwd=NHdCdFU2THRUbVh4ZFpWTGsyRWV5UT09>

### MPC SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE PARKING:

In addition to the MPC lot and street parking, you may park in the Flagler College Lewis House dorm and Markland House parking lots. The Lewis lots are accessed via the Valencia Street and Carrera Street entrances. These lots are only available to Memorial on Sunday mornings, until 12:15 pm. At times, Flagler is charging for public parking. Please let the attendant know you are attending Sunday Services at Memorial and they will not charge you.



## MISSION & MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS THIS WEEK 7-5-26

Dear Friends,

Our church vision statement is: "MPC will embody Jesus' all-encompassing hospitality."

One way for us to embody hospitality on Sundays is to be mindful that people coming for our 11:00 a.m. worship service will need space to park.

**If you attend 8:30 a.m. worship and/or Sunday School, please plan to depart, if possible, by 10:45 a.m. This gracious act will help other people find parking for the late service.**

Thanks for your understanding and help as we try to be hospitable to all attending worship at 11:00 a.m.

Blessings,

Pastor Hunter

**The flowers in the chancel this morning** are given by Ann Levell Junod to the glory of God and in loving memory of Olen, Martha and Bud Levell.

**Happy Birthday** to our members and friends celebrating birthdays this week, July 5 - 11:  
Jackie Ard, Beverly Blunck, Owen Broos, Cooper Causey, Cruze Collins, Natalie Cox, Owen Duncan, Joanie Forbes, Reid Givan, Teddy Gonsalves, Frank Guarino, Greg Haynes, Pat Hoffmann, Dan Hogan, Marsha Howell, Rick Hugg, Talon Kyle, Kurt McQuillen, Marie Mercready, Steve Parsons, Janine Peebles, Kaitlyn Pfuhl, Dr. Barry Schweim, Jill Sefcik, Richard Smith, Cathy Upchurch-Smith, Maddie Willets

**Supplies Needed at Wildflower Clinic:** From Sunday, July 5 through Sunday, July 12, bins will be placed on the office porch for supplies needed at the Wildflower Clinic. They provide free medical and dental care to uninsured, low-income adults in St. Johns County. Items needed are: postage stamps, Keurig coffee K-Cups (volunteers love this!), water in small individual bottles, individually wrapped candy (for volunteers, staff, outreach and medical), pens (blue, black, red), toilet paper, paper towels, printer paper, sticky notes, 33-gallon trash bags, Ziplock sandwich bags, bug spray, individually wrapped toothbrushes, emergency foil blankets, bathing wipes, hand warmers, Chapstick/lip balm. If you know of anyone over 18 without medical or dental insurance who lives in St. Johns County, have them call the clinic at 904-829-1962 to see if they qualify for free healthcare.

**Church Officers:** Are you curious about our Elders, Deacons, and Trustees---who they are and the capacities in which they serve? If so, please check out the page on our church website called "Church Officers." It can be found under the "About" tab at [memorialpcusa.org](http://memorialpcusa.org). We're thankful for all of our leaders who have been called to serve as church officers!

**Earth Care What a Wonderful World:** Everywhere you go, there are reminders of 250 years of independence! In his Juneteenth Organ Concert, Matt Daniel played a song about trees of green, red roses, blue skies, colors of the rainbow, babies crying, friends saying I love you...What a perfect time to remind ourselves of our Earth Care pledge - through worship, education, facilities, and outreach, to be stewards of God's creation. There are many ways that we can focus on our roles as stewards or caregivers of our world. For this month of July, consider raising the temperature of your home by just one degree. It won't change much in your small part of the world, but it is one way we can help to lessen the strain on our local power grid.

**Summer Sunday Fellowship:** During the summer months, all are invited to Lewis Hall between services, 9:30 to 11:00 a.m. for "Summer Sunday Fellowship." This is a casual time of intergenerational fellowship that fosters connection through the summer when some of our classes and programs don't meet. Please pop in on Sunday mornings from May 24th to August 9th. Chef Cheryl will offer complimentary continental breakfast items, juice, and coffee (additional breakfast options available to purchase) and crafts will be available for kids.

**Al-Anon at MPC:** Tuesdays 10:00 a.m. and Saturdays 9:30 a.m. in Room 205 of Lewis Hall. You will find love, understanding, and a lot of hope from the Al-Anon family groups, where we share our experience, strength and hope. This helps us focus on ourselves and our recovery from the effects of the disease of alcoholism. It's a safe place, the right place to be. Your anonymity is protected at all times.

**Stephen Ministry:** Christian caregiving is a vital part of the total healing ministry of Christ's body, the Church. Stephen Ministers are trained, confidential, supervised, and called to aid their care receivers to more effectively deal with their own situations and to grow. For more information on receiving care please email: [stephenministry@memorialpcusa.org](mailto:stephenministry@memorialpcusa.org).

**Please Remember in Prayer or Correspondence:** *Bayview:* Bill and Verna Bacon; *The Blake at St. Johns:* Betty Hinely; *Encompass Rehab:* Chris Wollny; *The Haven at Regency Point, Rainbow City, AL:* Eileen Coleman; *Health Center, Westminster:* Bill Baker; *Riverside Cottages:* Sonny Daniel, Carolyn Smith; *Silver Creek Memory Care:* Sarah Moore; *Wellington Place of Brentwood, Brentwood, TN:* Sue Holder

**Recovering at Home:** Dorothy Dornblaser, Betsy Haynes, Gail Garriott

**Seminarians and Candidates for Ministry:** Emma Livingston, Brennan Gagnon

**Our Military Personnel Serving Overseas and at Home:** Commander Adam William Broos, serving at Naval Station Mayport, FL; Air National Guardsman Medic, John David Sessums; Matthew Giles, serving at Joint Base Andrews, MD; Marsha Howell, serving in St. Augustine, FL

## CHURCH CALENDAR

|              |                            |                                                                                                     |
|--------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Sun. 7-5-26  | 8:30 am                    | Food Bank Collection<br>Worship Service with Holy Communion with Anastasia Forrest and Ray McDonald |
|              | 9:30 am                    | Summer Sunday Fellowship – Lewis Hall                                                               |
|              | 9:30 am                    | Sunday School (Friendship Class and Christian Ed start at 9:40)                                     |
|              | 11:00 am                   | Worship Service (also Live-streamed) with APPASSIONATA Quartet and Ray McDonald                     |
|              | 12:30 – 3:30 pm<br>5:30 pm | Sanctuary Open for Tours<br>Seekers Group Study – Zoom                                              |
| Mon. 7-6-26  | 3:15 pm                    | Home Again St. Johns/Dining with Dignity – 197 FL-16, St. Augustine                                 |
| Tues. 7-7-26 | 8:30 – 11:00 am            | Safe Families Staff Meeting – Room 218                                                              |
|              | 9:30 – 3:30                | Sanctuary Open for Tours                                                                            |
|              | 10:00 am                   | Tuesday Al-Anon – Room 205                                                                          |
| Wed. 7-8-26  | 9:30 – 3:30                | Sanctuary Open for Tours                                                                            |
| Thur. 7-9-26 | 9:30 – 3:30                | Sanctuary Open for Tours                                                                            |
|              | 6:00 pm                    | St. Johns Classical Guitar – Lewis Hall                                                             |
|              | 6:30 pm                    | Laurel Circle – email Paula Rives for details (pjrives@gmail.com)                                   |
| Fri. 7-10-26 | 9:30 – 3:30                | Sanctuary Open for Tours                                                                            |
| Sat. 7-11-26 | 8:30 am                    | Beginners Al-Anon – Room 205                                                                        |
|              | 9:30 am                    | Al-Anon – Room 205                                                                                  |



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# UNSCRAMBLE IT

What is the invitation Jesus gives us when we feel worn out and worried? **Unscramble the words to find out.** Challenge yourself to memorize this verse this week!

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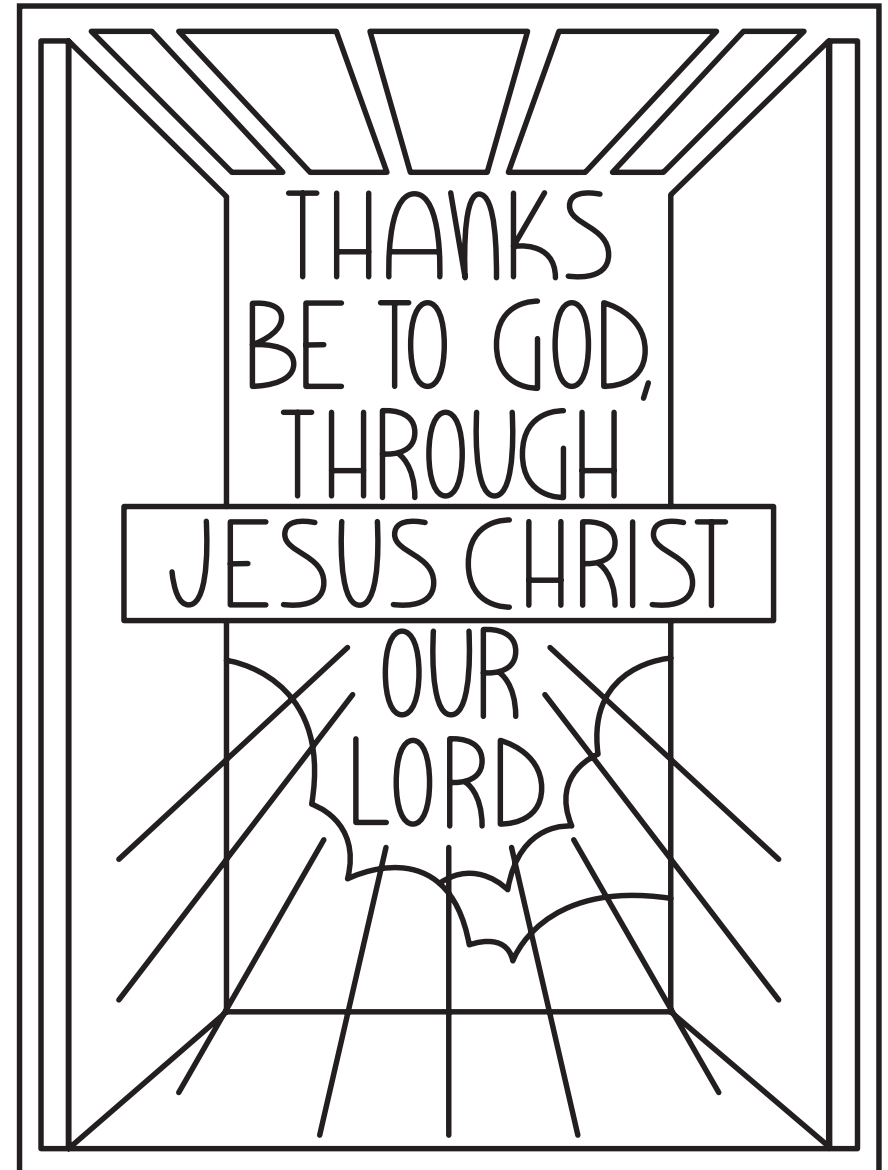
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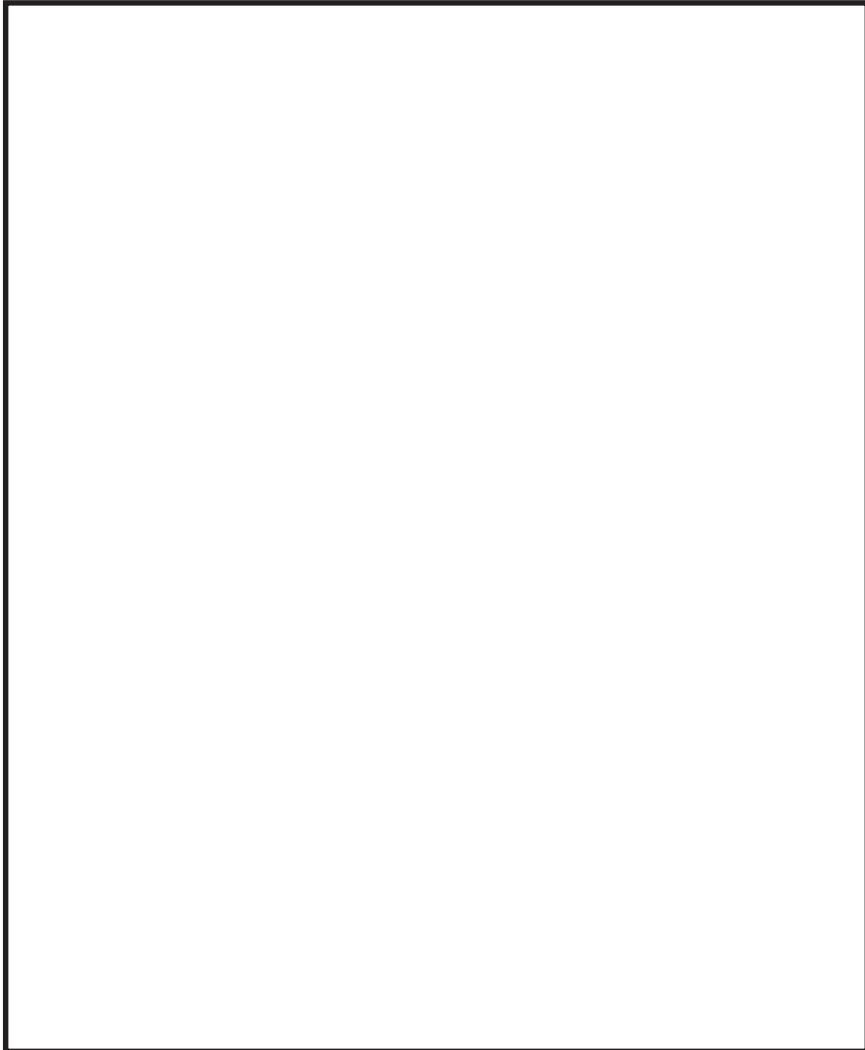
# CHILDREN'S WORSHIP • BULLETIN

Activities based on Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67, Psalm 45:10-17,  
Romans 7:15-25a, Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30.



# DRAW IT

In Matthew 11, Jesus invites us to rest! When we are sad, tired, or worn out, we can always come to Jesus for the renewal we need. What kind of rest do you find the most comforting? Draw a picture here of what true rest with Jesus looks like to you.



# WORD SEARCH

Try to find the words from Genesis 24 in the word search below. Words may go diagonal, up OR down and forward OR backward.

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ABRAHAM  
SERVANT  
SARAH  
WIFE  
SPRING  
WATER

JAR  
CAMEL  
SON  
SPEAK  
HEART  
REBEKAH

ISAAC  
DAUGHTER  
WORSHIP  
BLESS  
WALK  
FIELD