

For the young...and young at heart!

Kids Bible Wordsearch Plants of the Bible

Fit the words in the list into the diagram below reading forward, backward, up, down, diagonally, always in a straight line.

Puzzle #5

ALMOND
ALOES
APPLE
ASH
BALM
BARLEY
BEANS
CINNAMON
CUCUMBERS
DATE
FIG
FLAX



GARLIC
HYSSOP
JACINTH
LEEK
MELONS
MILLET
MINT
MULBERRY
MUSTARD
MYRTLE
RYE
SAFFRON
THISTLE

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Today's Sermon.....	To Be Clean
Next Week's Sermon...	Wanted: Dead or Alive
Wednesday Night	7 Churches of Asia
Wednesday Ladies' Class	ABCs of a Godly Heart
Sun. Adult Bible Class...	Attitude Series
Sun. Night.....	Ben S.

Service Times - Sunday: Bible Class.....10:00 a.m.
Worship.....11:00 a.m.
Evening.....6:00 p.m.
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

Coldwater Church of Christ

Welcome to our Services..... January 31, 2016

Tim was able to go to The Laurels on Thursday. He was only there a few days and was taken to the ER in Coldwater yesterday with a high fever. It's been determined that infection has settled into his back. Prayers are certainly needed.

Beth's surgery had to be postponed because of bronchitis. Please continue to pray for Beth.

David will be having bone graft surgery on February 11th at Parkview Hospital. Please remember him in your prayers. Ben Sherfield and Ben Baker will be filling in preaching for two weeks afterward. Thanks Bens!

Wendi Baker is back home from her recent stay at Oaklawn Hospital. Please continue to pray for her.

Jennifer's friend Dustin that was injured in a snowmobile accident is home and doing well.

Ben and Jazmin are back from Mexico. They had a great time visiting Jazmin's family.

Loretta has a sinus infection that is causing lots of pain. Please remember her in your prayers.

Directory Update: Kathy Norton has been busy working on a new Directory for us. Please look at your new page that is on the table in the vestibule. If the information is correct, just put a check mark on the page. If changes are needed, write them in. If you wish to add an email address, please do that as well. Thanks Kathy for all your hard work!

Please fill out the prayer request sheets if you have a request and give it to Loretta. They are on the back table in the auditorium. This will insure she gets accurate information for the bulletin.

Kid's Church: Pete Baker is looking for someone to lead Kid's Church for 3 months. See Pete if interested.

Matthew 25:35-40 (ESV)³⁵ For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me,³⁶ I was naked and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came to me.³⁷ Then the righteous will answer him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you drink?'³⁸ And when did we see you a stranger and welcome you, or naked and clothe you?'³⁹ And when did we see you sick or in prison and visit you?'⁴⁰ And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers,^[a] you did it to me.'

Upcoming Events: Mark your calendars...

1st Sunday night - Devotion: singing, prayer service
HIS Group – next meeting to be announced
Wednesday night Ladies' Class – Tammie Baker

*****Prayer List*****

(Let Loretta know if someone should be added or taken off.)

Beth Owen – surgery on throat
Jenny Mullenix – Shirley's niece – breast cancer
Patricia, Jason and Christine – family of Edna
Wendi Baker – asthma
David Sherfield – Surgery Feb 11
Georgette Larson – still weak
Pete Waites – Huey's brother – lung cancer
Birtie Akers - Joyce's sister -in-law- return of cancer in 2 places
Sydney – Joyce's brother-in-law – heart failure
Susan Barrett – lung cancer
Shirley Ware – knee pain
Tim Slomers – hospitalized - infection
Bob Flaughter – healing
Harold Cregor - healing
Terry Montgomery – Ella's brother – cancer
Nadia Galvan, Ruth Clutter, Joyce Fosdick, Marilyn Fitz,

TV BIBLE STUDIES:

Getting to Know Your Bible – on Charter
In Search of the Lord's Way – Charter-7:30 am-Sunday-channel 357

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Steps of Salvation: Hear : Romans 10:14, 17 Believe : Acts 16:31
Repent : Acts 2:38 Confess : Acts 8:36-37 Baptism : Acts 2:38
Faithful : Matthew 7:21

Our Elders: Dave Sherfield 517-227-8867 Pete Baker 677-7764
Huey Waites 517-639-8390

Broken No More

One of the greatest ambitions of any violinist is to play a Stradivarius. Meticulously handcrafted by Antonio Stradivari, these very rare violins produce an unrivalled sound. So you can imagine the excitement of acclaimed British violinist Peter Cropper when, in 1981 London's Royal Academy of Music offered him a 258-year-old Stradivarius.

But then the unimaginable happened. As Peter entered the stage he tripped, landed on top of the violin, and snapped the neck off. I can't even begin to imagine how Peter Cropper felt at that moment. A masterpiece destroyed!

Cropper was inconsolable. He took the violin to a master craftsman in the vain hope he might be able to repair it. And repair it he did. So perfect was the repair that the break was undetectable, and the sound was exquisite.

The Academy was most gracious and allowed him to continue using the Stradivarius. And so night after night, as Peter drew his bow across those strings, Peter was reminded of the fact that what he once thought was irreparably damaged had been fully restored by the hand of a Master craftsman.

Created in the image of our Creator (Genesis 1:26-27), **each of us has become marred and broken by our sin.** "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God," and "the wages of sin is death" (Romans 3:23; 6:23).

But Jesus, the Master Craftsman, can make us whole again. He died on the cross for our sins so that we can be cleansed from sin and receive the gift of eternal life (Ephesians 1:7; Romans 6:23b).

Jesus will cleanse and make whole those who place their **faith** and trust in Him (Acts 16:30-31), turn from their sins in **repentance** (Acts 17:30-31), **confess** Jesus before men (Romans 10:9-10), and are **baptized** (immersed) into Christ for the forgiveness of sin (Acts 2:38). He will continue to cleanse from sin those who continue to walk in the light of His Word (1 John 1:7).

*Bring Christ your broken life,
So marred by sin.
He will create anew,
Make whole again.
Your empty wasted years
He will restore,
And your iniquities,
Remember no more.
-- T.O. Chisholm*

Broken by sin, won't YOU come to Christ in trusting obedience so that He can make you whole?

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