


Welcome to SPC Kids Corner!

October 9th, 2022

Today we will discuss Exodus 20: 1 - 17, **The Ten Commandments**

- You may already know the story of the 10 commandments, but here's a refresher:

 The Ten Commandments



- Read along with the text, and take a look at the activity pages! (Don't forget your **crayons!**) For those worshipping in-person, we will meet in the parlor after the Word with Children for crafts, exploration, and engagement.

- If you're unable to join us, we'd love to see what you're up to at home! Please send any photos you would like to share in the **Church slideshow** to David Kozich at kozichd1@gmail.com

Have Fun, and Happy Sunday!

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Exodus 20: 1 - 17

Then God spoke all these words: I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery; you shall have no other gods before me.

You shall not make for yourself an idol, whether in the form of anything that is in heaven above, or that is on the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth.

You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, punishing children for the iniquity of parents, to the third and the fourth generation of those who reject me, but showing steadfast love to the thousandth generation of those who love me and keep my commandments.

You shall not make wrongful use of the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not acquit anyone who misuses his name.

Remember the sabbath day, and keep it holy. Six days you shall labor and do all your work. But the seventh day is a sabbath to the LORD your God; you shall not do any work—you, your son or your daughter, your male or female slave, your livestock, or the alien resident in your towns. For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, but rested the seventh day; therefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day and consecrated it.

Honor your father and your mother, so that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

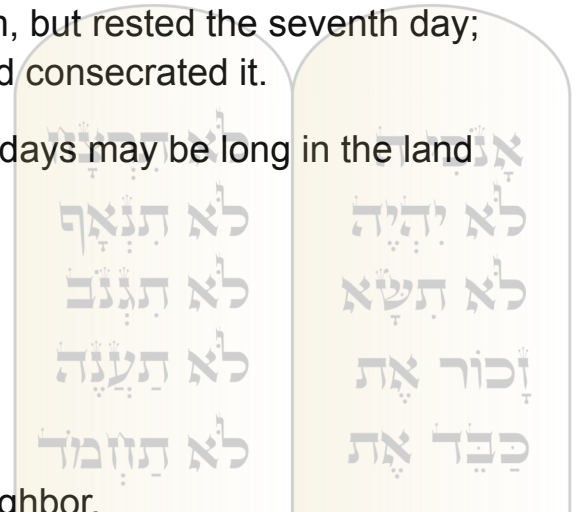
You shall not murder.

You shall not commit adultery.

You shall not steal.

You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

You shall not covet your neighbor's house; you shall not covet your neighbor's wife, or male or female slave, or ox, or donkey, or anything that belongs to your neighbor.



I can't take credit - (Found somewhere on Twitter) - But too sweet not to share!

DOUGHNUT 10 COMMANDMENTS



Your Favorite Doughnut - No other gods besides God.



That's Not a Doughnut! - No idols, worship only God.



Names Matter - Always treat God's name with respect.



Doughnut Sunday - Have a day to rest and thank God every week.



Too Many Doughnuts - Obey your parents.



Don't Sprinkle Insults - Do not hurt others with words or actions.



Not Your Doughnuts - Keep your promises to others and God.



Pay for the Doughnuts - Do not steal from others.



Custard vs. Cream Filled Doughnuts - Always tell the truth.



Jealous Jelly Doughnuts - Do not be jealous or envious of others.

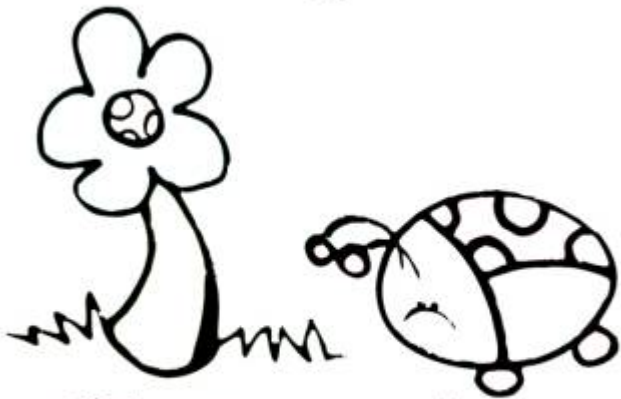
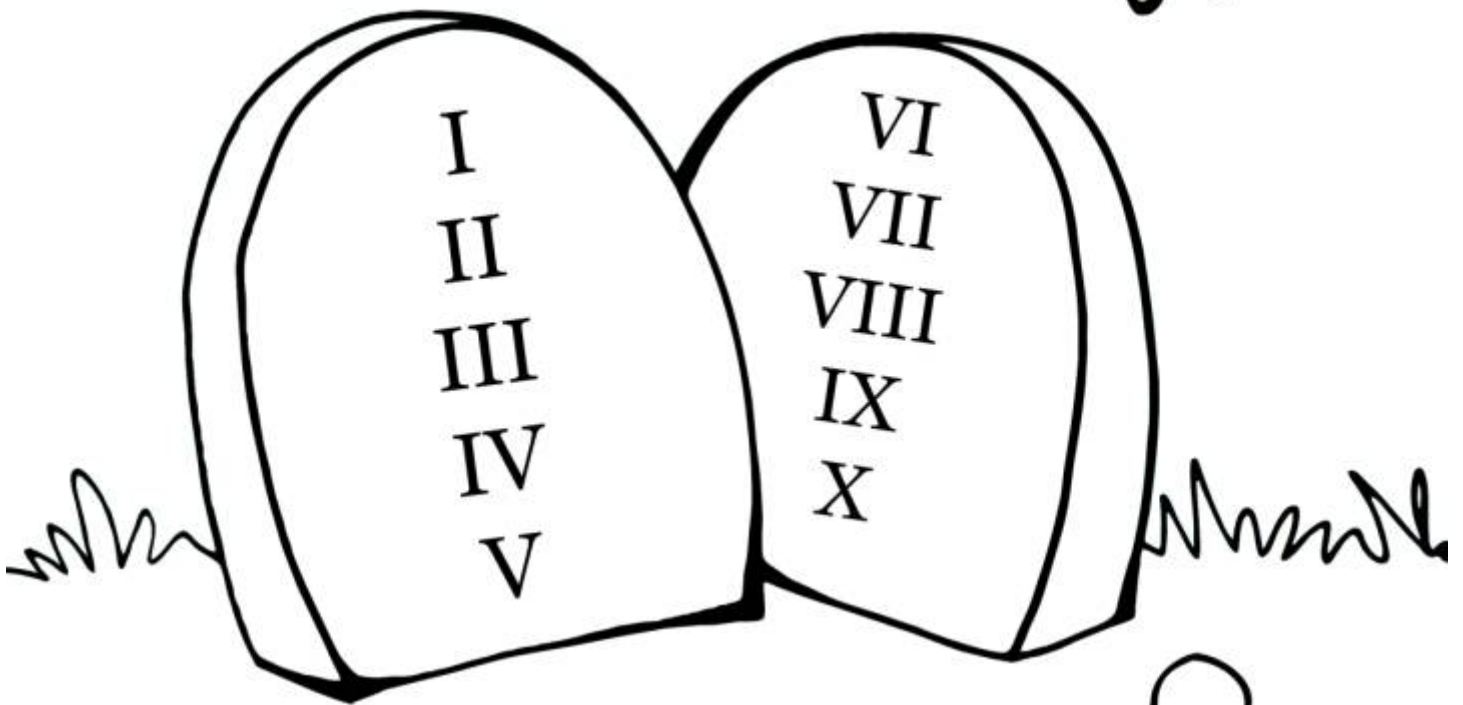
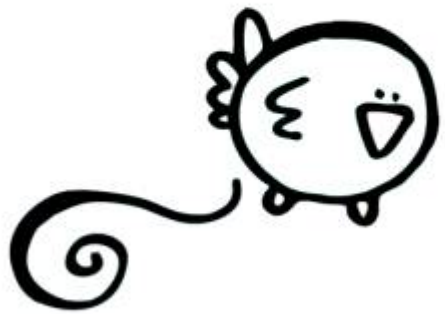
God Gave Moses His Laws

Word Search

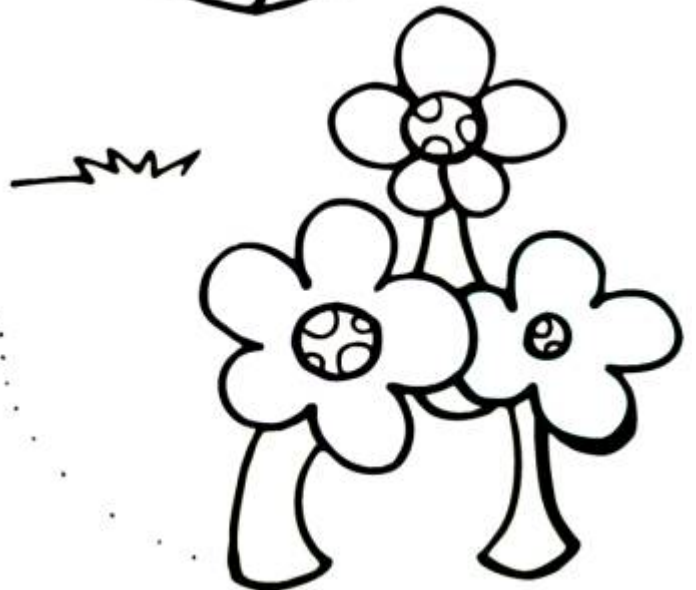
Find the words on the list that are hidden in the puzzle. The words can be left to right, up and down, or diagonally.



COMMANDMENTS	HONOR	SINAI
COVENANT	MOTHER	STEAL
EGYPT	MOUNTAIN	TABLETS
FATHER	SABBATH	TEN

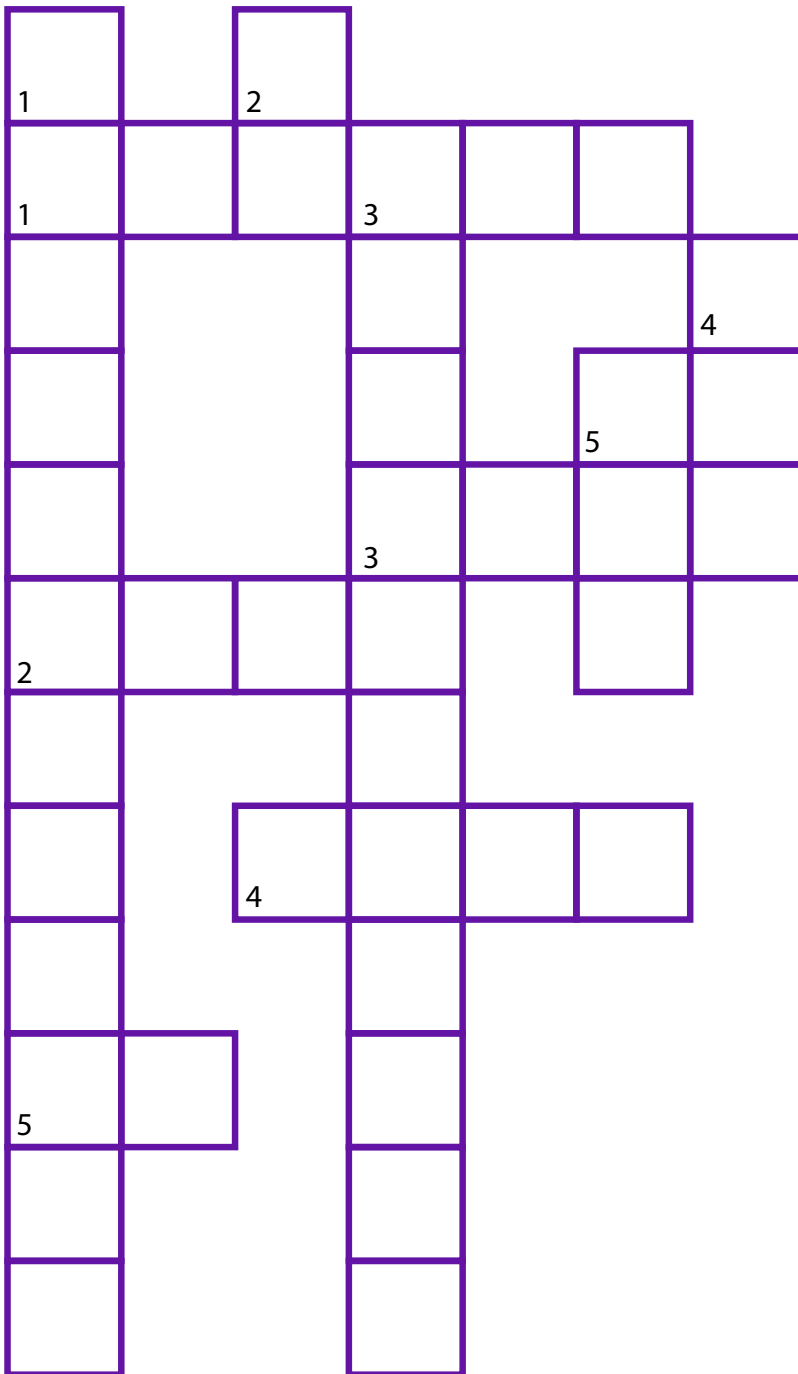


Ten Commandments



Ten Commandments Crossword

Read the clues below and fill in the blanks to complete this crossword puzzle on the ten commandments.



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1. God gave us the Ten _____ or rules.
2. God said, "Thou shalt have no other gods before _____."
3. We have no _____ (idol).
4. How many rules did Moses receive from God?
5. God shows mercy unto thousands of them that love _____.

ACROSS

1. How many gods can we have? We only have _____.
2. and 3. Don't take God's _____ (2) in _____ (3).
4. Thou shalt not _____.
5. Say "____" to adultery, stealing, bearing false witness.

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Color by Number

Color each section by the colors shown in the list at the bottom of the page. If you don't have all of the colors listed or find an area that's not numbered, make your best color choice.



1. Skin
2. Pink
3. Tan
4. Purple
5. Light Gray
6. Gray
7. Dark Gray
8. Light Green
9. Light Blue
10. Dark Green
11. Orange

Learn About Commandments

Commandments are rules that God has given us to follow. Obeying commandments does not earn our way to heaven, but it pleases God. Jesus gave us two important commandments, and God gave the ten commandments to Moses.

Jesus' First Commandment (Loving God)

Love the Lord your God with all your **heart**, with all your **soul**, and with all your **mind**. Matthew 22:37

Ten Commandments 1 - 4 (Loving God)

Read each commandment, and decide if each example shows obeying or disobeying the commandment.

1. **Worship only God.** (Exodus 20:4)

2. **Do not worship idols.** (Exodus 20:7)

In Bible times an idol was a statue that people believed was a god and worshipped. But an idol can be anything that we make more important than God.

+ = not worshipping an idol; **X** = worshipping an idol

_____ A Bible person bows down to a statue.

_____ Tom loves his fancy sports car so much that he spends all his time and money on it.

_____ Nancy loves her favorite singer so much that she would rather go to a concert than do anything else.

3. **Don't use God's name in the wrong way.** (Exodus 20:8)

Using God's name as a bad word or in anger is using it the wrong way.

+ = using God's name the right way; **X** = using God's name the wrong way

_____ Joe hit his thumb with his hammer and yelled out Jesus' name as a bad word.

_____ Mr. Smart saw the neighbor's dog digging in his yard and used God's name as part of the angry words he yelled at the dog.

_____ Mrs. Nelson fell and hurt her leg, so she prayed, "God, please send someone to help me."

4. **Keep the Sabbath day holy.** (Exodus 20:9)

In Bible times the Sabbath was Saturday, but now we use Sunday as the day of worship and rest.

+ = keeping Sunday holy; **X** = using Sunday the wrong way

_____ The Chen family went to church Sunday morning and then played games together in the afternoon.

_____ The Moore family went camping every weekend and never went to church.

_____ The Moomey family had a store that was open every day. They were too busy making money to go to church.

Answers: **2.** x, x, x; **3.** x, x, +; **4.** +, x, x

Jesus' Second Commandment (Loving Others)

Love your **neighbor** as you **love yourself**. Matthew 22:39

Ten Commandments 5 - 10 (Loving Others)

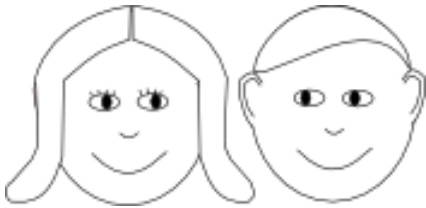
Read each verse, and complete each commandment using the word list.

5. **Honor your** _____
and your _____.

Exodus 20:12



6. **Do not** _____. Exodus 20:13



7. **Do not break your** _____
_____ . Exodus 20:14

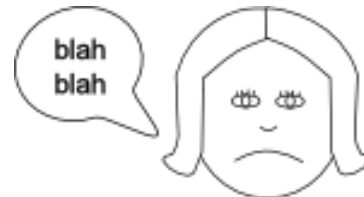
8. **Do not** _____.

Exodus 20:15



9. **Do not** _____.

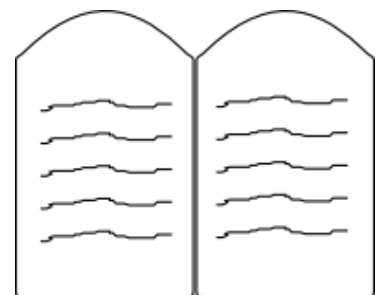
Exodus 20:16



10. **Do not** _____ (want other people's stuff). Exodus 20:17

Word List:

mother	marriage
covet	kill
father	promises
lie	steal



Love God, and love other people!