32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 8, 2026

Matthew 25: 1 - 13

Resurrection
ROMAN CATHOLIC PARISH

Give Me Oil In My Lamp

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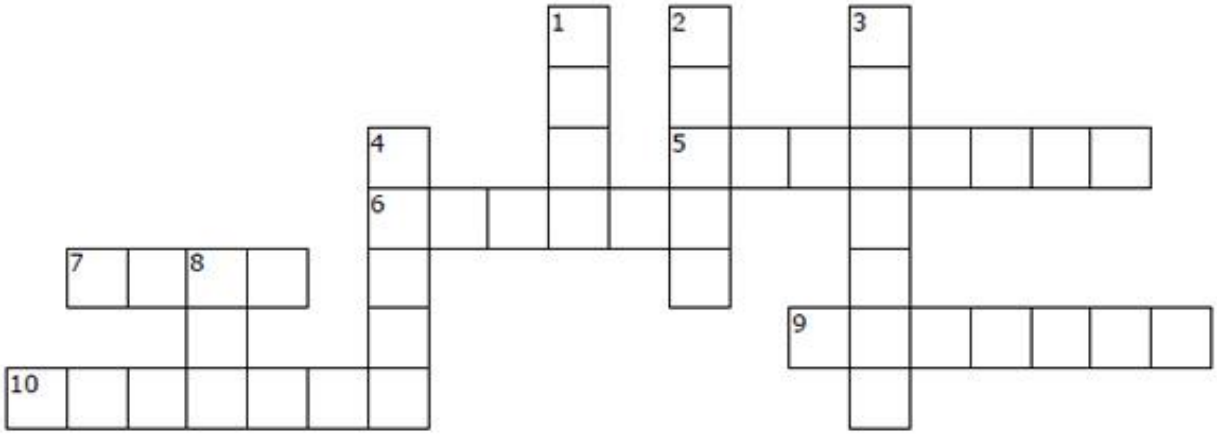

ACROSS

5. 12 o'clock at night
6. Not awake
7. A swinging or sliding cover over the place where someone usually enters a room
9. Ceremony in which a man and a woman are married.
10. Someone who does not use good judgment is _____.

DOWN

1. Someone who has good judgment and makes good decisions is _____.
2. Devices used to produce light
3. A feast or meal held in recognition of some person or occasion
4. To observe or look at something
8. A liquid that is often used to make fuel.

MIDNIGHT	LAMPS	WATCH	OIL	FOOLISH
ASLEEP	DOOR	BANQUET	WISE	WEDDING

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FOOLISH	MEET	DROWSY	VIRGINS	BANQUET
MIDNIGHT	WEDDING	TRIMMED	RANG	KINGDOM
BRIDEGROOM	LAMPS	WISE	WATCH	COME
DOOR	ASLEEP	HEAVEN	OIL	WOKE

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Choose the word that best matches the definition. Answers can be found in Matthew 25:1-13 (NIV)

___1. Ceremony in which a man and a woman are married.
A. wise B. wedding C. oil D. lamps

___2. Where God lives
A. watch B. come C. heaven D. lamps

___3. Devices used to produce light
A. lamps B. asleep C. banquet D. foolish

___4. Not awake
A. asleep B. heaven C. oil D. lamps

___5. Made a sound like a bell
A. rang B. asleep C. lamps D. oil

___6. A feast or meal held in recognition of some person or occasion
A. come B. midnight C. wedding D. banquet

___7. To arrive at a particular place; the opposite of go
A. door B. come C. midnight D. heaven

___8. To observe or look at something
A. wise B. midnight C. watch D. wedding

___9. Someone who has good judgment and makes good decisions is _____.
A. watch B. wise C. rang D. door

___10. Someone who does not use good judgment is _____.
A. asleep B. oil C. midnight D. foolish

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The Ten Maidens

The five wise maidens were ready for when the bridegroom came because they were prepared and kept their attention on the light. Work through the maze and reach the light.

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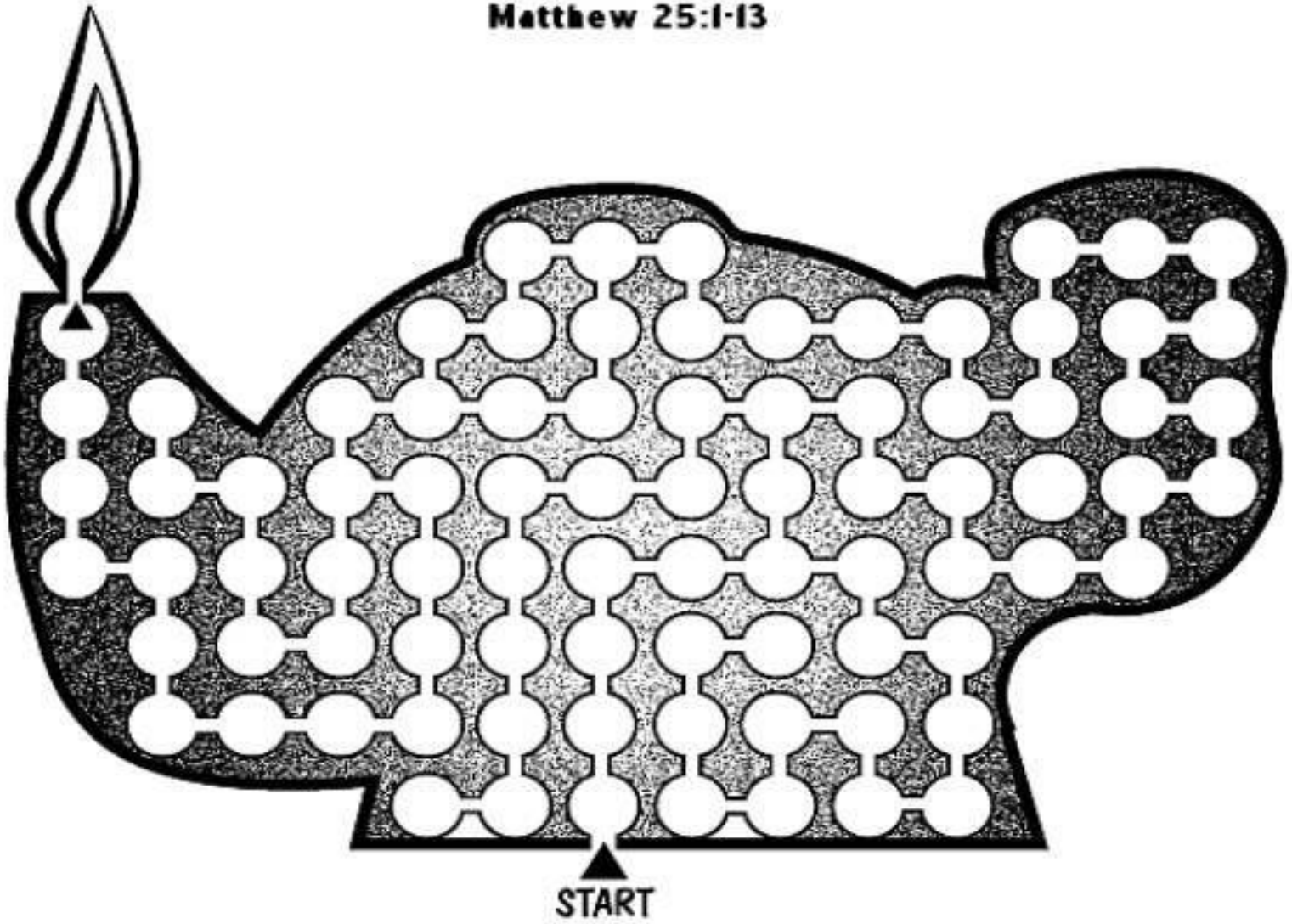


A Parable

Five wise virgins with lamps and oil

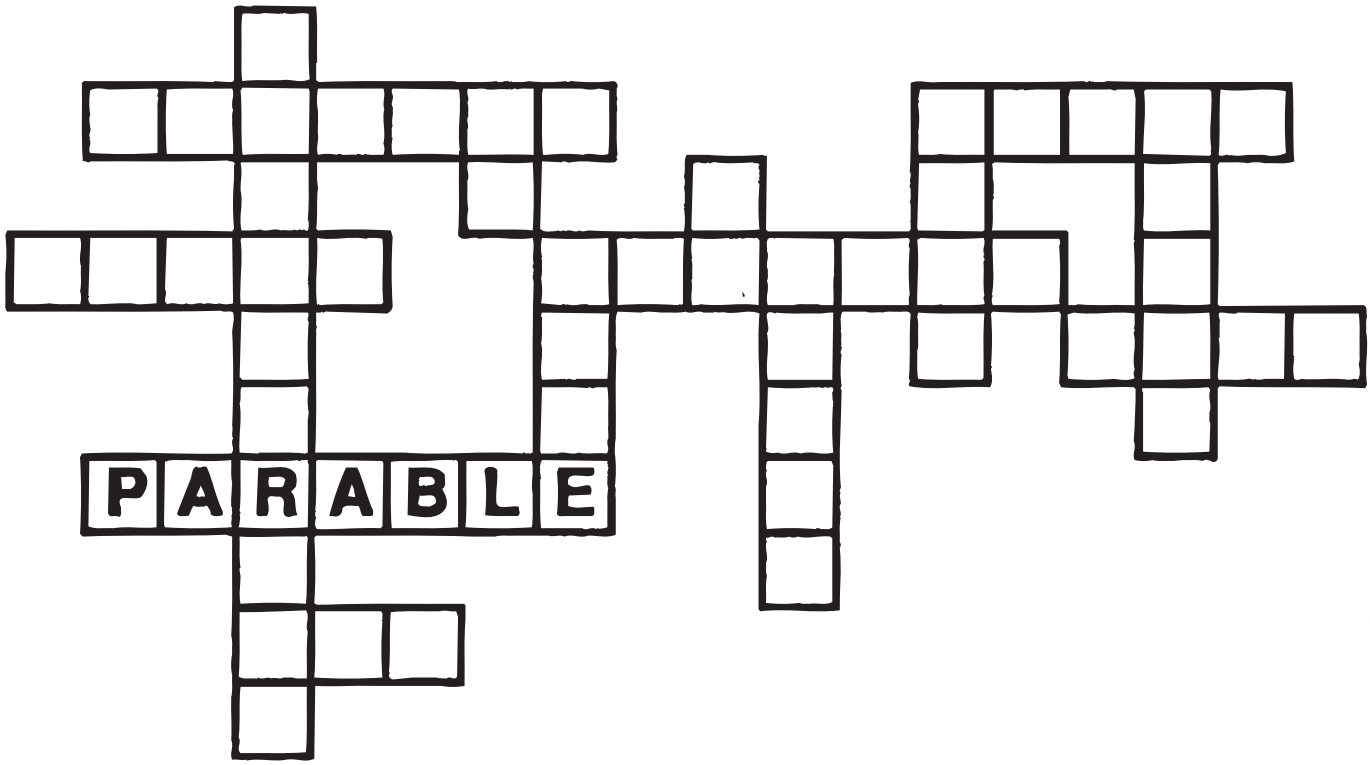
Five foolish virgins with lamps and no oil

The bridegroom comes!

The wise ones are ready and go

The foolish ones are left behind

Watch! Be ready!



Fit the underlined words in the puzzle.

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10 Bridesmaids

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Are the statements below TRUE or FALSE?
Read the story and color in the appropriate box.

TRUE	FALSE	All 10 bridesmaids were prepared to meet the bridegroom.
TRUE	FALSE	The bridesmaids fell asleep waiting for the bridegroom.
TRUE	FALSE	Five bridesmaids went to find more oil for their lamps.
TRUE	FALSE	Five bridesmaids shared their extra oil with the bridesmaids who ran out.
TRUE	FALSE	The bridegroom let in the unprepared bridesmaids.

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Wisdom 6:12-16
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1 Thessalonians 4:13-18
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SUNDAY LITURGY FOR CHILDREN

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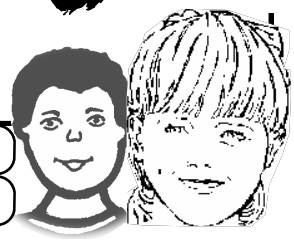
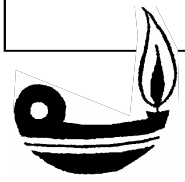


ALWAYS BE READY

Jesus told the story of the 10 BRIDESMAIDS

The bridegroom was late.

5 of them were WISE	5 of them were FOOLISH
They had spare oil for their lamps. They could go to meet the bridegroom.	They did not have enough oil. Their lamps went out. They could not meet the bridegroom.



Draw 5 lit lamps and 5 unlit lamps in the spaces above.

YOU DO NOT KNOW THE DAY WHEN JESUS IS COMING