

# Meadowcroft Church

## Luke 6:27-36

# Sermon on the Mount: Love and Forgiveness

Jesus was walking beside the Sea of Galilee, and a large crowd was following him. One day he said to his disciples, "Follow me, and I will make you become like me, for the Son of Man must suffer many things and be rejected, killed, and buried. After three days he will rise again, and on the third day he will appear to the disciples. Then he will go to the Father." Jesus stood up and followed along with LUKE

God's purpose behind this law was given to judges, in effect, "Make the punishment fit the crime." (Exodus 21:23-25) Not a guide for personal revenge.



### The Kingdom Response to Revenge

Matthew 5:38-39 Luke 6:29a

Copy the letters in the hands from **Right to Left, Bottom to Top** onto the spaces to read how Jesus wants us to respond to insults.

Jesus told the crowd, "You have heard that it was said, 'An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth. But I tell you, don't fight back an evil person!'"

**"If someone slaps you on the right check,**

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### The Kingdom Response to Injustice

Matthew 5:40-42 Luke 6:29b-31, 35

"If you are sued in court and your shirt is taken from you, give your coat, too. If a soldier demands that you carry his gear for a mile, carry it two miles. Give to those who ask, and don't turn away from those who want to borrow. Lend to them without expecting to be repaid. And if anyone takes what belongs to you, do not demand it back. Then your reward from heaven will be very great, and you will truly be acting as children of the Most High, because he is also kind to those who are unthankful and wicked." Copy the letters in the **Dark Color Robes** from left to right to the lines. Then copy the letters in the White Color Robes the same way.



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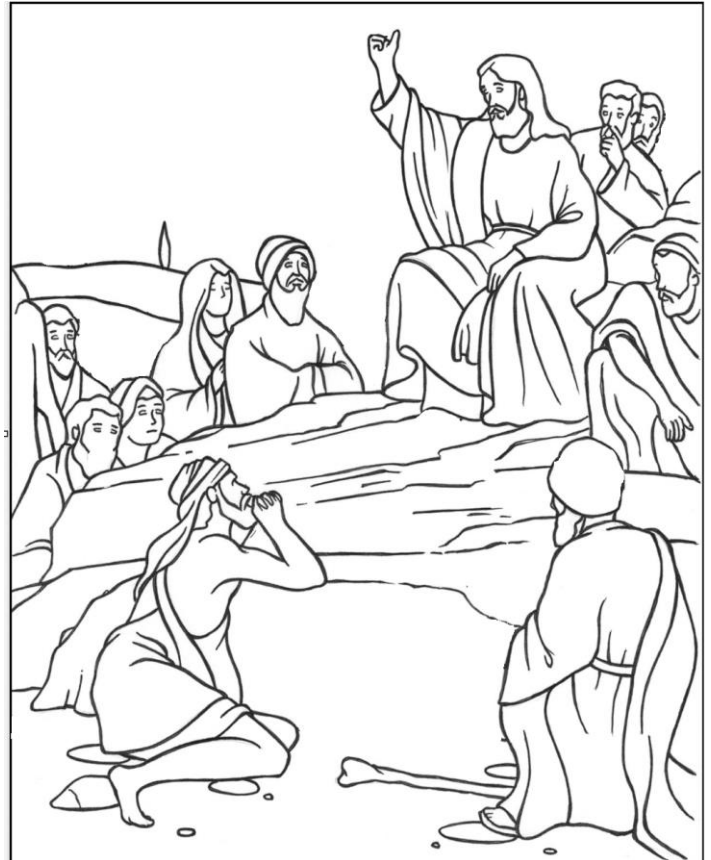
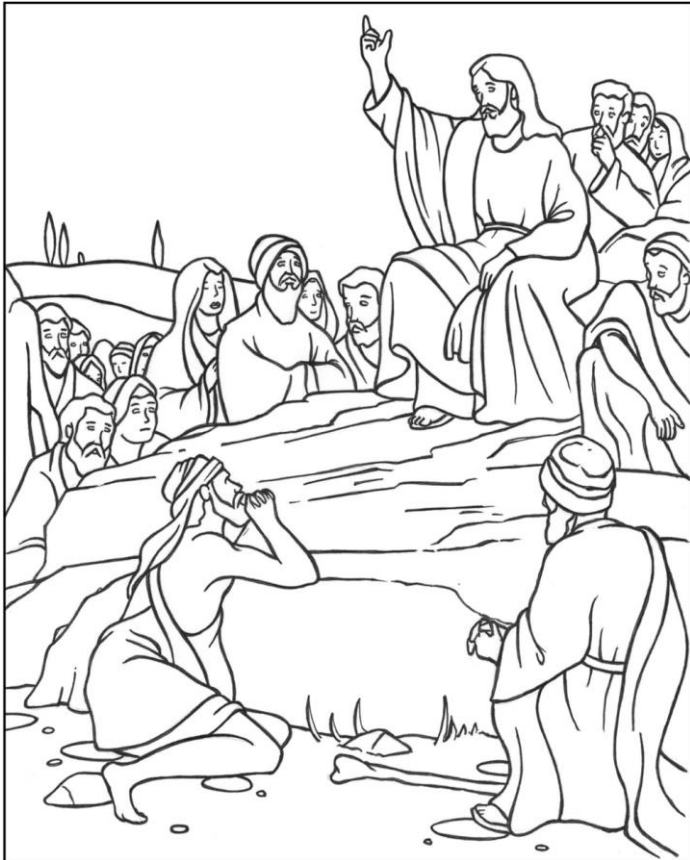
Jesus said, "God causes his sun to rise on the evil and the good, and sends rain on the \_\_\_\_\_."


- (a) just and the unjust
- (b) righteous and the unrighteous
- (c) do right and to who do wrong
- (d) all the ducks and all the cats (who love it) (who hate it)

HINT: Matthew 5:45


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Find 14 things different between the two pictures of Jesus preaching below.

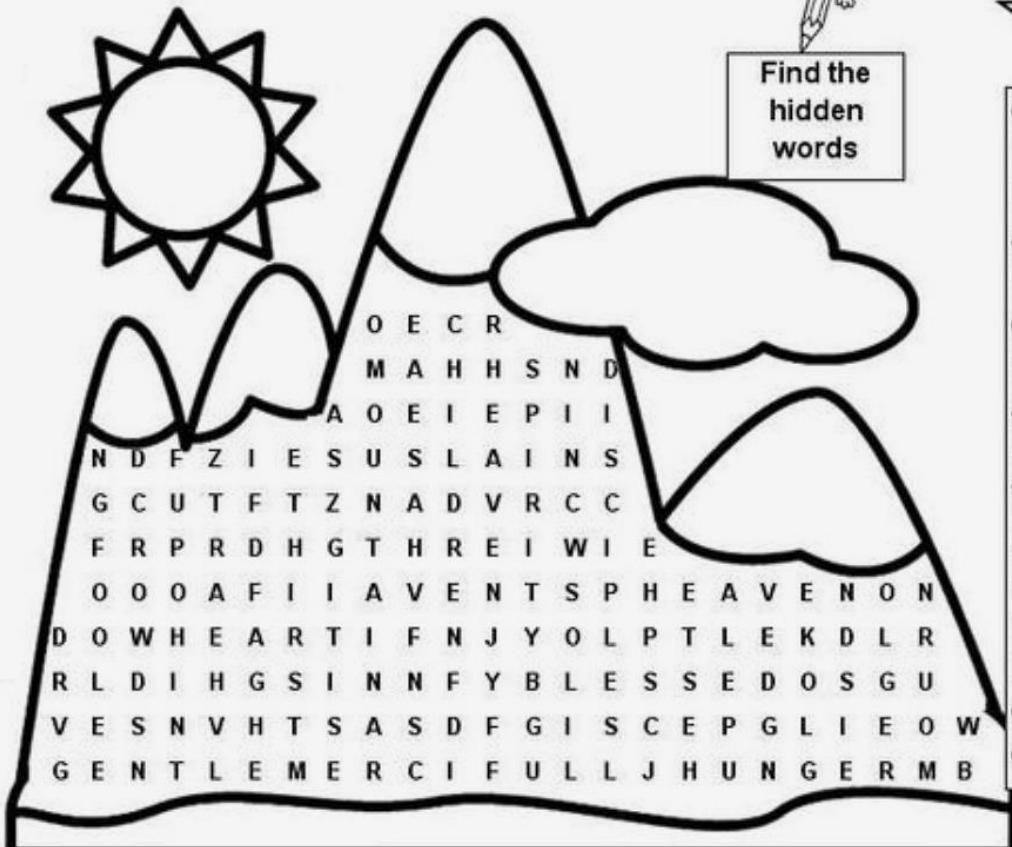




Find the hidden words



- Crowds
- Mountain
- Disciples
- Jesus
- Poor
- Gentle
- Blessed
- Spirit
- Mourn
- Thirst
- Heaven
- Hunger
- Merciful
- Heart
- Children
- God



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