

## **SMALL GROUP RESOURCE**

Big Idea: God sees everything.

### **SCRIPTURE READINGS:**

2 Samuel 11  
Matthew 4:1-11  
Genesis 3  
Proverbs 7

### **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:**

What is it that you stay behind to do when sending others off?

Why did David stay behind in Jerusalem?

What was the first wrong decision that David made?

What was David's plan to deal with the pregnancy?

What did David assume in making his plan?

What kind of character did Uriah have?

What did David do when his sin was going to be exposed?

Write another ending to this story. How might this story have ended if David had been willing to admit his sin?

What kinds of things do you try to hide? Why?

### **PRAYER FOCUS:**

Praise God for mercy and justice.

Agree with God

about something you would like to stay hidden.

Thank God for a time

when He has shown you a way out from temptation.

Ask God to guard your heart and your eyes.

## **FAMILY RESOURCE**

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### **READ 2 SAMUEL 11:1**

What did the kings normally do in the spring?

What did David do?

When was the last time you didn't do something you were supposed to do?

Why didn't you do it?

Get up right now and do something you SHOULD do.

### **READ 2 SAMUEL 11:2-3**

Why didn't David stay in bed? What did he see?

What do you do when you see or hear something you shouldn't?

Make a pair of "blinders" or box glasses that will help you focus straight ahead.

Wear them while putting the dishes away.

### **READ 2 SAMUEL 11:4-5**

Did David do what God wanted him to do?

When was the last time you took something that didn't belong to you?

Return something you have borrowed.

Remember to write a thank you note!

### **READ 2 SAMUEL 11:6-13**

Why did David want Uriah to go to home?

Why wouldn't Uriah go home?

How many ways can you think of to get cookies & ice cream?

Which one is the best way?

### **READ 2 SAMUEL 11:14-26**

How did David take care of Uriah?

How did David take care of Uriah's wife?

Does covering up a mistake make things better?

Go on an "undercover" hunt.

What kind/s of things do you find under other stuff?

### **READ PSALM 32:1-5**

What do we try to hide from God?

What happens when we don't hide from God?

Play "hide and seek".

Be sure to enjoy the reunion after everyone is found!

### **MEMORY VERSE:**

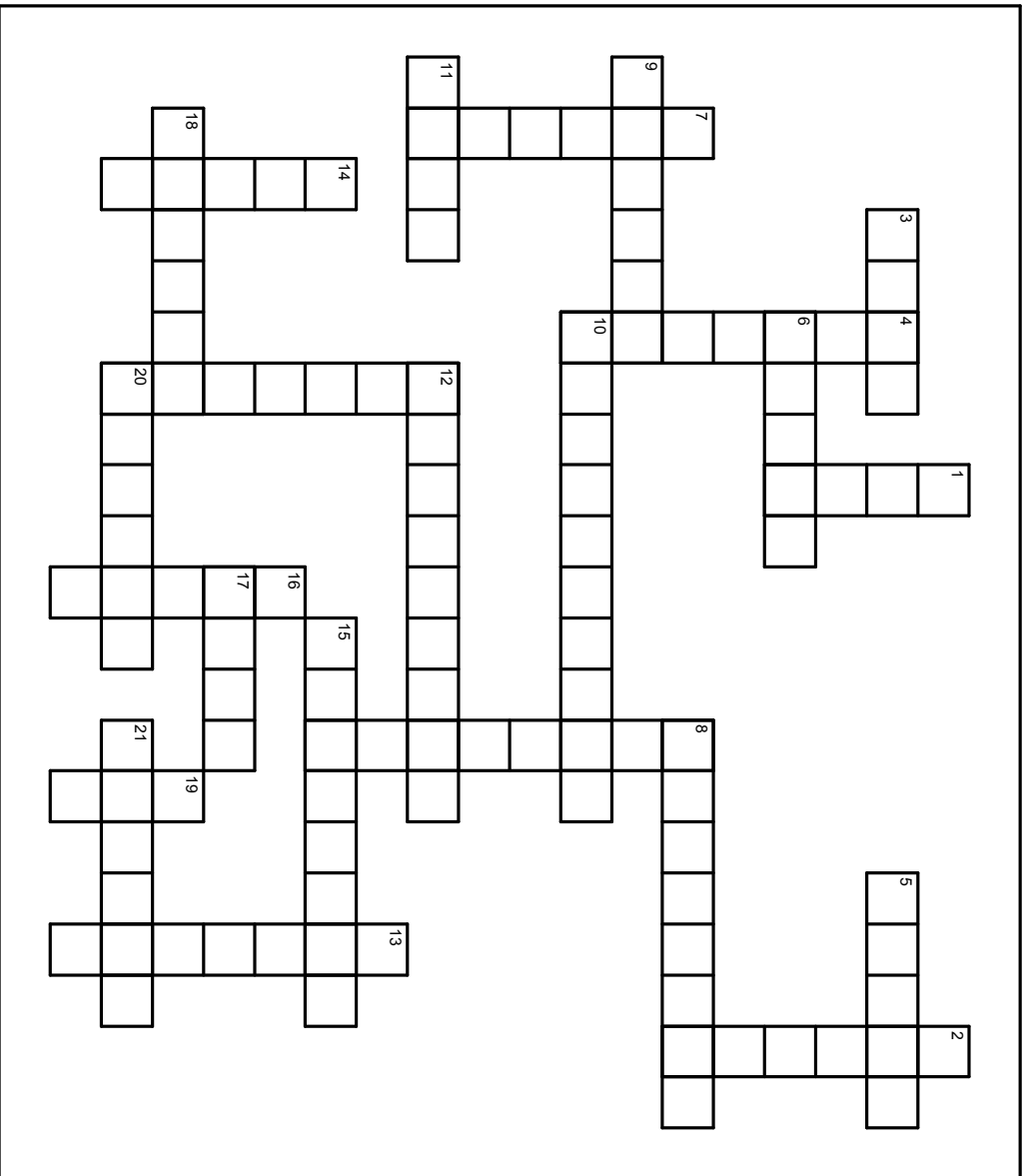
The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge,  
but fools despise wisdom and discipline.

Proverbs 1:7

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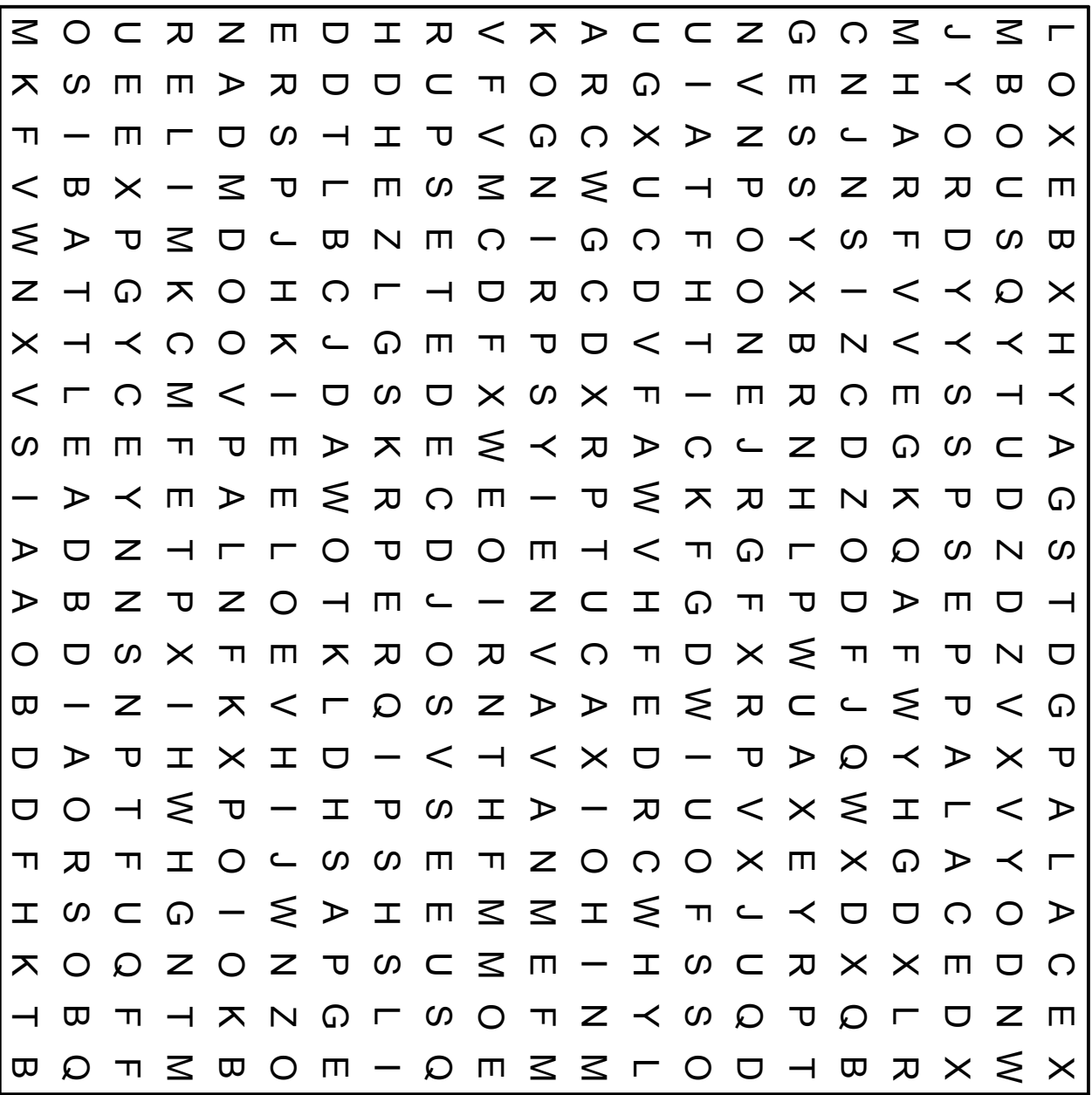
## Across

3. where David wanted Uriah to go  
(2 Samuel 11:10)
5. the woman's husband (2 Samuel 11:3)
6. David didn't want Joab to be this  
(2 Samuel 11:25)
8. transgressions (sins) can be this  
(Psalm 32:1)
9. where Uriah stayed (2 Samuel 11:13)
10. God's reaction (2 Samuel 11:27)
11. how Uriah ended up (2 Samuel 11:17)
12. became pregnant (2 Samuel 11:5)
15. what David ordered Joab to do  
(2 Samuel 11:15)
17. where David walked (2 Samuel 11:2)
18. where the soldiers are camped  
(2 Samuel 11:11)
20. time of war (2 Samuel 11:1)
21. not a good thing to be with God  
(Psalm 32:3)

## Down

1. what Bathsheba became (2 Samuel 11:27)
2. where Uriah slept (2 Samuel 11:9)
4. what Uriah's wife did (2 Samuel 11:26)
7. what the messenger gave an account of  
(2 Samuel 11:18)
8. the worst (2 Samuel 11:14)
12. how I agree with God about my sin  
(Psalm 32:5)
13. what the woman was doing  
(2 Samuel 11:2)
14. he stayed in Jerusalem (2 Samuel 11:1)
16. what David made Uriah (2 Samuel 11:13)
19. what David wanted to happen to Uriah  
(2 Samuel 11:15)

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drunk

palace

battle

upset

spring

palace

bathing

dead

roof

die

fields

withdraw

displeased

Uriah

silent

forgiven

confess

wife

David

mourned

conceived

home

fiercest

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1. ABLTTE      -----
2. IVADD      -----
3. IED      -----
4. LCAPAE      -----
5. LTNISE      -----
6. EDDA      -----
7. FIOEGRVN      -----
8. LACPEA      -----
9. SFNCESO      -----
10. UNMRDEO      -----
11. HAURI      -----
12. VDCEIOCEN      -----
13. OORF      -----
14. NDRKU      -----
15. TINAHBG      -----
16. EISELSPDAD      -----
17. EHOM      -----
18. WFEI      -----
19. NGIRPS      -----
20. CTSFEIRE      -----
21. ILDFSE      -----
22. DRTAIHWW      -----
23. EUTSP      -----