

SMALL GROUP RESOURCE

Big Idea: **Jesus alone makes us good enough.**

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Psalm 33:18-22

Isaiah 42:1-4

1 Corinthians 15:1-22

Galatians 5:5,6

Ephesians 1:3-12

Colossians 1:27-29

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

Romans 5:1-21

What is the problem between man and God?

Why would God do something to resolve this problem?

How much did it cost God to resolve this problem?

What makes you worth that much to God?

What is the purpose of suffering?

What do you do to avoid suffering? Why?

What gift does God have for you?

How much will it cost you?

How should God's actions to reconcile with you impact your actions to reconcile with others?

How do your attempts to earn God's forgiveness impact your attitude toward others who have hurt you?

What is your first step toward reconciliation?

PRAYER FOCUS:

It cost You so much to restore our broken relationship.

Help me to accept Your gift of forgiveness.

Help me to accept Your gift of righteousness.

I want to share this incredible gift of Yours with others.

Help me to be full of Your grace and Your truth
so that my life can make a difference in this world.

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FAMILY RESOURCE

Big Idea:

Jesus alone makes us good enough.

READ ROMANS 5:1-4

How can you rejoice in God AND in your problems?

Clean your room or your house

in anticipation of having guests.

Does looking forward to guests change

the way you feel about cleaning up?

Can you think of something else that is hard to do but worth doing because of what you get when you're done?

READ ROMANS 5:6-8

Would you take the punishment

that someone else deserves?

Play a board game, but make your move dependent on what the person next to you rolls or the card/s they draw.

READ ROMANS 5:9-11

When someone says, "I'm sorry,"

we usually say, "I forgive you."

What does an "I forgive you" from Jesus mean?

READ ROMANS 5:15

Adam brought us death (we think of him as eating an apple) by his choice to disobey God.

Who brought us life by His choice to die?

Make applesauce to share with your guests.

(Peel, core, slice, microwave, & add cinnamon & sugar.)

MEMORY VERSE:

_____, _____, shall we _____ in _____
to _____?

If _____ is for us, _____ can be _____ us?

He who did not _____ his own _____,

but _____ Him up for us all—how will He not also,

along with Him, _____ us all

_____ ? _____ 8:31-32

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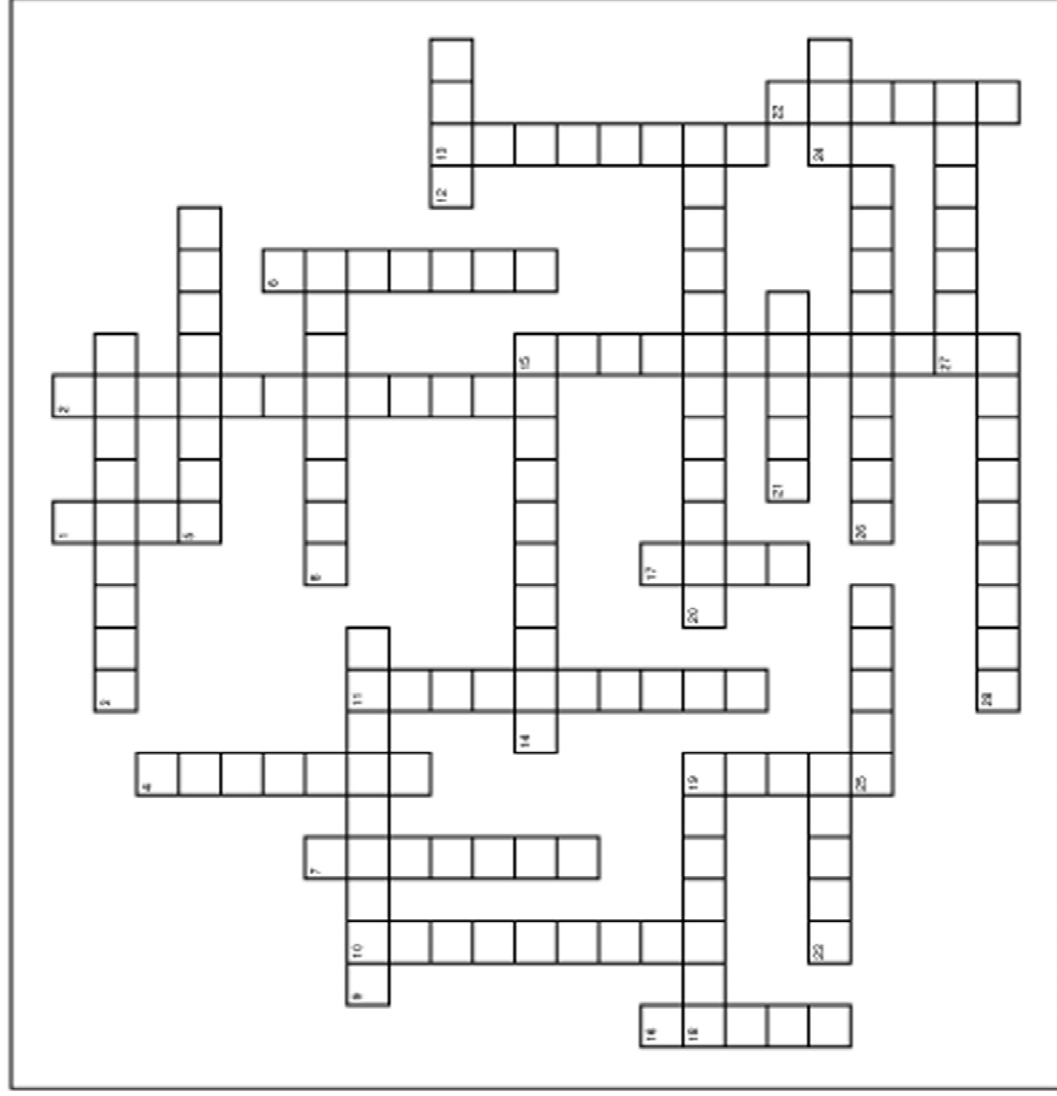
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ROMANS 5

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Across

3. made right (Romans 5:1)
5. breaking of the law (Romans 5:15)
8. get bigger (Romans 5:20)
9. totally unable (Romans 5:6)
12. risk (Romans 5:7)
14. brought back into relationship (Romans 5:10)
18. foes (Romans 5:10)
20. judgement (Romans 5:16)
21. anger that leads to punishment (Romans 5:9)
23. gift that is not deserved (Romans 5:15)
24. God's rules (Romans 5:13)
25. the loss of life (Romans 5:12)
26. personal discipline and strength (Romans 5:3)
27. forever (Romans 5:21)
28. God-like (Romans 5:7)

Down

1. present (Romans 5:16)
2. the ability to keep going (Romans 5:3)
4. sinners (Romans 5:6)
6. celebrate (Romans 5:2)
7. ruled (Romans 5:14)
10. following God's will (Romans 5:19)
11. troubles (Romans 5:3)
13. plentiful (Romans 5:17)
15. shows (Romans 5:8)
16. restored relationship (Romans 5:1)
17. a future (Romans 5:4)
19. rescued (Romans 5:9)
22. not often (Romans 5:7)

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eternal

reigned

sufferings

perseverance

enemies

death

justified

dare

gift

condemnation

rejoice

righteous

Romans 5

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1. CCHRTEAAR _ _ _ _ _
2. ARGEC _ _ _ _ _
3. DVSEA _ _ _ _ _
4. ANEMTDTROSES _ _ _ _ _
5. YRALRE _ _ _ _ _
6. SPRWESEOL _ _ _ _ _
7. ENGREDI _ _ _ _ _
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10. NNDUBATA _ _ _ _ _
11. RDEA _ _ _ _ _
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17. AEPTSSRS _ _ _ _ _
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25. INOOACEMNTDN _ _ _ _ _
26. YGOULND _ _ _ _ _
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