

## SMALL GROUP RESOURCE

Big Idea:  
**We become like Jesus.**

### SCRIPTURE READINGS:

Acts 2:29-41  
Acts 8:26-40  
Acts 10:22-48  
Galatians 3:23-29  
Colossians 2:6-15

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

Romans 6:1-23

Describe what happens at baptism.  
What should our lives look like after baptism?  
In verse 11 what does Paul know about us?  
What does it mean to be united with Christ?  
Why doesn't God take us up to heaven immediately  
after our baptism?  
What are your perceptions of slavery?  
How do those perceptions impact your thinking  
about this passage?  
What are our "slave" options?  
What is the goal of being a slave to righteousness?  
How would your life be different  
if you thought of yourself as a slave to righteousness?

### PRAYER FOCUS:

I am glad that You want me to be like You.  
Grow my desire to be united with Your Son  
every day and in every way.  
Thank you for the gift of eternal life.  
Help me to live out the reality of eternal life every day.

## FAMILY RESOURCE

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### READ ROMANS 6:1-5

Talk about a time when you did something  
wrong on purpose, just to get attention.  
How do we know that we have Jesus' attention?

### READ ROMANS 6:6-8

Draw a picture of the person  
that you are most like in your family.  
How are you like them?  
How are you like Jesus?

### READ ROMANS 6:15-18

What is a slave?  
Make paper chains and write some of your sins on them.  
Praise God that you can tear these chains up!

### READ ROMANS 6:20-23

Make paper chains  
and write some of God's blessings on them.  
Hang your chains where you can see them often.

### MEMORY VERSE:

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, shall we \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_  
to \_\_\_\_\_?  
If \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_? \_\_\_\_\_ 8:31-32

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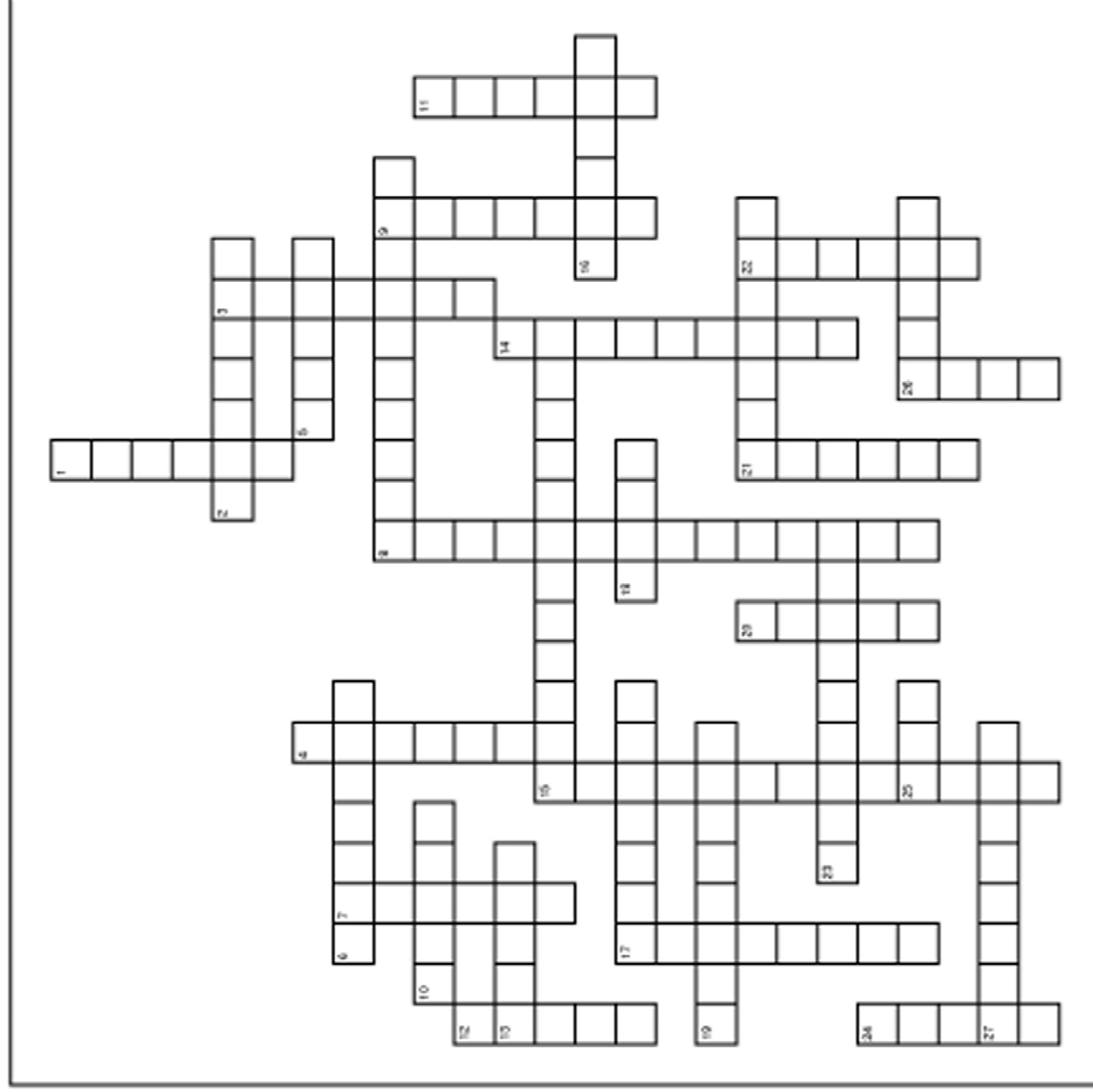
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# ROMANS 6

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## Across

2. wants (Romans 6:12)
5. no longer captive (Romans 6:7)
6. not proud (Romans 6:21)
8. evil (Romans 6:13)
10. the free gift of holiness before God (Romans 6:15)
13. freely give (Romans 6:13)
15. returning to life (Romans 6:5)
16. put together (Romans 6:5)
17. moved or taken (Romans 6:13)
18. get or harvest (Romans 6:21)
19. unholy acts (Romans 6:19)
21. rule (Romans 6:9)
23. killed on a cross (Romans 6:6)
25. not old (Romans 6:4)
26. payment due (Romans 6:23)
27. get bigger or grow (Romans 6:1)

## Down

1. put under (Romans 6:4)
3. forever (Romans 6:22)
4. trust (Romans 6:8)
7. those who HAVE to do what their owner wants (Romans 6:6)
8. with all you are and all you have (Romans 6:17)
9. breaking God's law (Romans 6:1)
11. owner or ruler (Romans 6:14)
12. consider (Romans 6:11)
14. given with responsibility (Romans 6:17)
15. God-like behavior (Romans 6:13)
17. immersed in water (Romans 6:3)
20. rule (Romans 6:12)
21. physical (Romans 6:12)
22. brought back to life (Romans 6:4)
24. over and over (Romans 6:9)
26. not strong (Romans 6:19)

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mortal

believe

wickedness

reign

slaves

resurrection

mastery

crucified

united

reap

offer

ashamed

impurity

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weak

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26. DTUEIN	-----
27. AEBITPDZ	-----
28. HEMADAS	-----
29. RSYTAME	-----
30. AKEW	-----
31. NINNGSI	-----
32. GESAW	-----