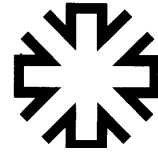


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If you are a visitor to St. Elizabeth's, we sincerely welcome you. Perhaps you live in the neighborhood or nearby area and decided to drop in, or you are visiting from another parish. Whatever the case, we are glad you are here to join us in worship of Jesus Christ our Lord. For more information about our parish, to register, or to ask a question, please visit our website at stlizedilworth.org or call our parish office.

MISSION STATEMENT:

We are a people called by God to become the Body of Christ through Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist, forming the faith community of St. Elizabeth, belonging to the Diocese of Crookston and to the Universal Roman Catholic Church. Our mission is to have a living active faith, with Jesus as the center of our faith community, affirming love and a compassionate concern for each other and for our brothers and sisters all over the world.

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Parish Office **9:00 AM-NOON** Mon. through Thurs.

Parish Office is closed Friday.

In an emergency call 218-443-6275 (Fr. Augie)

PARISH SCHEDULE

MASS TIMES: Sunday at **8:30 AM**

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION:

Monday **9:30am-6:00pm**

HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION: See parish bulletin.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION:

Before Mass 7:45 – 8:15 am or by appointment

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Call the parish office.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Contact St. Elizabeth parish office at least six months prior to planned wedding date.

FAITH FORMATION – RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Schedule will be given to families.

PASTORAL VISITATION: If you desire a home visit, communion for the homebound, or the Sacrament of the sick, please call the office at 218-287-2705. We want to be a part of your life.

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**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday, Sept 28, 8:30am-St. Elizabeth + Geneva Busko
 Saturday, Sept 28, 10:30am-St. Andrew Parishioners
 Sunday, Oct 5, 8:30am-St. Elizabeth + Susan Mitchell
 Sunday, Oct 5, 10:30am-St. Andrew Brown Family

Bible Readings for this Week (Sept 29 – Oct 5)

Mon: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14 / Jn 1:47-51
Tues Zec 8:20-23 / Lk 9:51-56
Wed: Neh 2:1-8 / Lk 9:57-62
Thur: Neh 8:1-4a, 5-6, 7b-12 / Mt 18:1-5, 10
Fri: Bar 1:15-22 / Lk 10:13-16
Sat: Bar 4:5-12, 27-29 / Lk 10:17-24
Sun: Hb 1:2-3; 2:2-4 / 2 Tm 1:6-8, 13-14 / Lk 17:5-10

September 28, 2025 - 26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"My child, remember that you received what was good during your lifetime while Lazarus likewise received what was bad; but now he is comforted here, whereas you are tormented. Moreover, between us and you a great chasm is established..." Luke 16:25-26
 When God created the world He declared that it was good and He gave it to all mankind for us to enjoy. However, over the years we have created a chasm between those who have great gifts and those who do not. In today's Gospel we see that with our own generosity we must bridge that gap between those who have much and those who have little, or we may find ourselves on the wrong side of the chasm in the next life.

Our Love and Prayers go out to...

We want to hold one another in prayer, especially Frank Baumgartner, Carol Swenson, Marsha Cerar and all those who struggle with illness and those who have asked for our prayers. ***"May you touch them and heal them, O Lord!"***

VICTIM ASSISTANCE If you or someone you know has been the victim of sexual misconduct on the part of a priest, deacon, or individual representing the Diocese of Crookston, its parishes, or its schools, your first call should be to law enforcement. In addition, the diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator is available at (218) 281-7895 (24-hour confidential number).

"Stewardship Opens the Door of Faith to a Lifelong Journey"

Stewardship of Treasure September 21, 2025

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 Online Giving: \$ 345.00
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Mass Attendance – 102

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Liturgical Assignments for October 5

Altar Servers.....Ruby Hoover
Ava Jones
 Ministers of Holy Communion.....Deacon
Craig & Mary Jo Larson
 Lectors..... Nora Jones, Mike Leichtenberg
 Ushers..... Erik Jones, Paul Svir
 Giftbearers.....Jared & Casey Hoover
 Music.....Kevin / Jocelyn

❖ **The parish office will be closed October 8th through 13th. Karen will be in South Carolina.**

❖ **KC Pancake Breakfast – Sunday, Oct 19**



Coffee and Rolls is offered in the Gathering Space each week after Mass. ***Everyone is encouraged and invited to join us for fellowship.*** It is wonderful to be with our friends again, friends whom we have not seen for a while and don't get to visit with often. But occasionally, please take a moment to get to know someone that you don't know well or introduce yourself to someone who may be new or sitting alone.

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Today's Reading The parable of Lazarus and the rich man speaks to our hearts. In some ways, we may be able to identify with either of the individuals. In any event, we are asked to place ourselves into the scene and to ask some difficult questions if we

identify ourselves with the rich man. How do we share the gifts and richness that we have? Are we blind to the needs of those who (although are not at our feet) are in front of our eyes, at our door, or on the street where we live? If we see ourselves as the poor man, do we see a hope for our resurrection into new life through and during our suffering? We all have a part to play in the drama of the spiritual journey, and Jesus calls us to the same happy ending into the Kingdom. How well do we respond to those needy at our door?

Can you believe it? It's almost that time again. Our **Fall Spaghetti Dinner**. Please prayerfully consider where you are able to help out this fall. We need **everyone** to participate to make this dinner a success. Our Fall dinner will be held **Sunday, October 26th**.

On a side note - - one of our parishioners has graciously donated a cow for this raffle. Tickets will be \$10 each and you will receive 5 tickets to sell. More can be picked up in the parish office. Please sell your tickets and return them to the parish office by 3:00, October 26th.

- If you can donate a basket (with items in it) for the Basket Raffle on Sunday, October 26th, please drop them off in the parish office by Wednesday, October 22nd. Thank you in advance for your donation !

The 2025 Diocese of Crookston Youth Conference will be held at Lincoln High School in Thief River Falls, MN, on Sunday, October 12, 2025, from 10 AM to 5 PM. The theme of DCYC 2025 is ON PURPOSE, reminding each of us that God's creation is intentional, and that we, as God's "jewels in his crown" (Zechariah 9:16), hold special status in his creation – all of us made with purpose, and for a purpose. All 6th – 12th Graders are invited. Parents are welcome too!

Right to Life Sunday – Oct 5

"Human Life is sacred because from its beginning it involves the creative action of God and it remains forever in a special relationship with the creator, who is its sole end. God alone is the Lord of life from its beginning until its end; no one can under any circumstance claim for himself the right directly to destroy an innocent human being."

---Catechism of the Catholic Church

October is Respect Life Month. Join Catholics nationwide praying a special novena for the protection of human life from conception to natural death October 22-30. Get daily intentions, brief reflections, and more. Sign up at respectlife.org/celebrate!

For a deeper respect for life, we will be praying the rosary every Sunday in October before the 8:30am Mass. Please join us!



Life Issues Group is having their Annual Baby Shower for Birthright through the month of October. New and gently used baby clothes are welcome. Needed most are newborn sleepers, onesies, receiving blankets, small girls and boys outfits, baby bottles; also large size disposable diapers (sizes 4 & 5) are in great demand. Money donations are always appreciated, too. Birthright sends over 200 layettes each year to area hospitals to help moms in need. For the collection of these items, they will have a crib set up in the gathering space. You may leave your donations in the crib.

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**Attention: All Members of the Confraternity
of Christian Mothers**

(St. Elizabeth's & St. Joe's)

We will gather at 1:00 pm on Sunday, Oct 19
to recite the rosary and have a short meeting.

(at St. Elizabeth's in Dilworth).

ALL members are invited to attend. Any
questions, please contact Karen in the parish office.
Coffee & Snacks will be provided.

OCTOBER SEPO GROUP

ST. ELIZABETH'S PARISH ORGANIZATION (SEPO)

McManus	Beth	Durick	Jean
Swenson	Michelle	Dykema	Brady & Sarah
Boutain	Brian & Brigitte	Eilertson	Dave & Trish
Brantner	Justin & Tiffany	Gross	Frank & Lavonne
Breid	Chuck & Julie	Gross	Kevin
Bresee	Dennis & Kathy	Grove	Allen & Sue
Cihak	Darwin & Mary	Grubb	Phillip & Julie
Cox	Andy & Carissa	Hanson	Sheri
Coyle	Kevin & Barb	Haugen	Kim & Shane
Cyr	Brian & Trini	Heazlett	Kevin & Kim



October Birthdays Please join us in
extending birthday greetings this month to:
Ray Hauck 10/1; Samuel Schmitz 10/1;
Tylan Reichel 10/2; Karen Thom 10/3;
Vicki Nelson 10/3; Frank Gross 10/4;

Renee Kuhn 10/5; Rachel Thompson 10/5; Joanne Poehls
10/6; Barb Reed 10/6; Bob Reichel Jr. 10/7; Ruby Hoover
10/9; Brenda Strayer 10/9; Julie Reno 10/10; Kianna
Wyland 10/11; Reid Jund 10/14; Willie Herrera, Jr 10/15;
Gerri Jones 10/17; Olivia Rasmusson 10/18; Jacob Somers
10/18; Joe Winter 10/18; Melissa Eckes 10/19; Sheryl
Hauf 10/19; Nathan Paulson 10/20; Shirley Belka 10/22;
Toinette Bjerke 10/22; Megan Swenson 10/23; Suzie
Wilson 10/23; William Eckes 10/25; Isaac Krapp 10/25;
Michael McManus 10/29; Gracie Rothschadl 10/29; Jaxon
Rothschadl 10/29; Aubrey Speer 10/30; Toni Wosick
10/30; Paxton Johnson 10/31; Bob Nelson 10/31; and
Gerald Zimmel 10/31.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Tim & Toinette Bjerke – October 1
Andrew & Jessica Malvin – October 4
Dan & LaNette Osbjornson – October 6
Ralph & Wanda Mitchell – October 8
Dave & Karen Owings – October 9
Kaylie & Thomas Hanson – October 11
Brady & Sarah Dykema – October 13
Katy & Mark Jund – October 13
Jeff & Sheila Laney – October 13
Nancy & Ross Wilson – October 15
Chad & Heather Ogdahl – October 28

**Come enjoy a night of faith and fellowship at Real
Presence Radio's Fundraising Banquets!** Join us in
Grand Forks with keynote speaker Deacon Harold Burke-
Sivers on Tuesday, December 2, 2025, or in Fargo with
keynote speaker Dr. David Anders on Monday, February
2, 2026. Reserve your spot today by calling Sunshine
Diem at 701-960-0453 for details!

Birthright of Fargo-Moorhead is in need of volunteers
that can help us serve the clients/families that come into
our office. Birthright is open on Tuesdays and Thursdays
from 11am to 4pm on Tuesdays and from 11am to 4:30pm
on Thursdays. Birthright is located at 715 11th Street N
Moorhead (the old St. Ansgar's Hospital). You don't
have to volunteer for both days but if you can for a couple
of hours we are open or you can volunteer the whole time
we are open. Any Help would be appreciated...

If you have any questions please reach out to: Nichole at
218-477-197 or you can email her at
birthrightfm@702com.net, she would love to answer any
questions that you may have.

You are invited to an afternoon of praise and worship,
a message of our Lord's forgiveness, food and fellowship.
Join us Saturday, Oct 18th from 2pm to 5pm to sing praise
to our Lord, hear a message of forgiveness, and enjoy a
spaghetti dinner and fellowship. We encourage you to
invite your friends to join us also! Please bring a lawn
chair as we will be outside in God's creation. 16288
County Hwy 29, Frazee, MN. Please RSVP to 701-866-
5706.

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OUT OF PARISH NEWS

News from Knights of Columbus Council #4463:

The \$100 KC Calendar Raffle winner is Cheryl Terfehr, Sept. 21, 2025. Congratulations!

Fall Dinners

St. Anthony, Fargo, Sunday 9/28, 10a-2p
 St. William, Argusville, Sunday 10/5, 11a-1:30p
 Blessed Sacrament, West Fargo, Sunday 10/5, 11a-2p
 St. Francis, Moorhead, Sunday 10/5, 11a-2p
 Dilworth Lutheran, Sunday, 10/5, 11:30a-1:30p,
 St. Joseph's, Moorhead, Sunday 10/12, 11a-2p
 St. Andrew's, Hawley, 10/12, 11:00a-1:30p
 Holy Cross, Fargo, Sunday, 10/19, 10a-1:30p
 St. Elizabeth, Dilworth, Sunday 10/26, 11a-3p

Men of the Cross Meeting

There will be a Men of the Cross meeting on Thursday, **October 2**, at 6:30 p.m. at Nativity Church (1825 11th Street South, Fargo). This meeting is for all current members and anyone who is interested in becoming a Man of the Cross.

Why do the Men of the Cross wear a Saint Benedict Crucifix?

1. To remind us to pray more.
2. To remind us to act like Christian disciples.
3. To bring Christ into our secular culture.

If you would like to receive a Saint Benedict Crucifix, contact any of the men you see wearing one, and they will get you one or you can stop by the Nativity Church office and get as many as you would like.

Priesthood Sunday September 28, 2025

Priesthood Sunday is a special day set aside to honor priesthood in the U.S. It is a day to reflect upon and affirm the role of the priesthood in the life of the Church. This nationwide event is coordinated and sponsored by the US Council of Serra International. Please pray for your priests and let them know how much you love and appreciate them! "Without the Sacrament of Holy Orders, we would not have the Lord. Who put him there in that tabernacle? The priest. Who welcomed your soul at the beginning of your life? The priest. Who feeds your soul and gives it strength for its journey? The priest. Who will prepare it to appear before God, bathing it one last time in the blood of Jesus Christ? The priest, always the priest. And if this soul should happen to die (as a result of sin), who will raise it up; who will restore its calm and peace? Again—the priest... After God,

the priest is everything! Only in heaven will he fully realize what he is." —St. John Vianney (Patron saint of priests).

Undone: Freedom for the Feminine Heart (Women's Healing Retreat), November 20-22, 2025:

The Dioceses of Fargo and Crookston are sponsoring the Undon Women's Retreat offered by the John Paul II Healing Center. This two evening (Thursday, Friday) and Saturday retreat will provide women with an authentic encounter with Mary's model of radical receptivity to the Lord and will be an experience of truth, beauty, and transformation. Bring yourself, your mother, your sister, your adult daughters and friends. This is a weekend you won't want to miss! Presented by the John Paul II Healing Center and sponsored by the Diocese of Fargo and Diocese of Crookston. This event will be held at Sts. Anne and Joachim Catholic Church in Fargo. The retreat is being offered in person OR virtually via livestream! Register online for either experience at <https://fargodiocese.net/undone>. Scholarships, student and missionary discounts available. Contact JPIIretreatFargoND@gmail.com for more information.

Sister Annella Zervas, OSB: the First Candidate for Sainthood from Minnesota and the Diocese of Crookston! Bishop Andrew Cozzens and the Sister Annella Guild invite you to the opening Mass for the Cause of Canonization of Sister Annella—celebrated in person and via livestream—on **Thursday, October 9, 2025**, at 6:30 PM CDT at the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception in Crookston, Minnesota. The doors will open at 4:00 PM, and Patrick Norton will share his story at 5:00 PM, right before the organ recital and Mass.

October 12th-13th St. Mary's Cathedral, Fargo

Come pray with us and see the world-famous *International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Fatima*. **Sun. Oct. 12th 4pm** Talk by Thomas Ross, from Blue Army National; **4:30pm** Vespers and procession to the Our Lady of Guadalupe Adoration Chapel beginning an *All Night Vigil of Gratitude* (6pm-6am). You may sign-up for the *All Night Vigil of Gratitude* at <https://cathedralofstmary.com> **Mon. Oct. 13th** the Virgin Statue will be available all day in the Cathedral. 7am Mass, 12:10pm Mass. A closing Mass with Bishop Folda will be at 6pm followed by a light dessert reception in the Cathedral Hall. **Please help us spread the word!**

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Liturgical Schedule - October 2025

	10/5/2025	10/12/2025	10/19/2025	10/26/2025
READERS	Nora Jones	Julie Nash	Paul Svir	Michelle Swenson
	Mike Leichtenberg	Julie Reno	Kathy Bresee	Frank Gross
OFFERTORY GIFTS	Jared & Casey Hoover	Thomas & Kaylie Hanson	Scott & Julie Knodel	Erik & Amanda Jones
EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS	Deacon	Deacon	Deacon	Deacon
	Craig Larson	Mike Leichtenberg	Greg Schmitz	Ralph Mitchell
	Mary Jo Larson	Beth McManus	Lisa Schmitz	Julie Nash
USHERS	Erik Jones	Chuck Breid	Tony Reno	Craig Larson
	Paul Svir	Mark Sloan	Mike Leichtenberg	Mary Jo Larson
ALTAR SERVERS	Ruby Hoover	Gavin Purser	Jacob Schmitz	Penny Hanson
	Ava Jones	Peyton Purser	Sam Schmitz	Brook Grubb
Piano/Cantor	Kevin / Jocelyn	Kathy / Ava	Kevin / Dave	Kathy / Nora

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	Welcome Fr. Duane Pribula		1 • RE Classes	2	3	4
5 27 th Sunday Ordinary Time Mass 8:30 am • RE Classes Respect Life Sunday	6 Adoration 9:30am – 6:00 pm	7	8 • RE Classes	9	10	11 HSA Mass – 5:00pm
12 28 th Sunday Ordinary Time Mass 8:30 am • RE Classes Hawley Turkey Dinner	13 Adoration 9:30am – 6:00 pm	14	15 • NO RE Classes	16	17	18
19 29 th Sunday Ordinary Time Mass 8:30 am • RE Classes KC Pancake Breakfast Special Collection - World Mission	20 Adoration 9:30am – 6:00 pm	21	22 • RE Classes	23 Men's Cursillo	24 Men's Cursillo	25 Men's Cursillo
26 30 th Sunday Ordinary Time • NO RE Classes Men's Cursillo Spaghetti Dinner	27 Adoration 9:30am – 6:00 pm	28	29 • RE Classes	30	31	

What did the rich man say next in the story ?

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Abraham ends the story,
 “Even if someone rose from the dead,
 they would not be convinced.”

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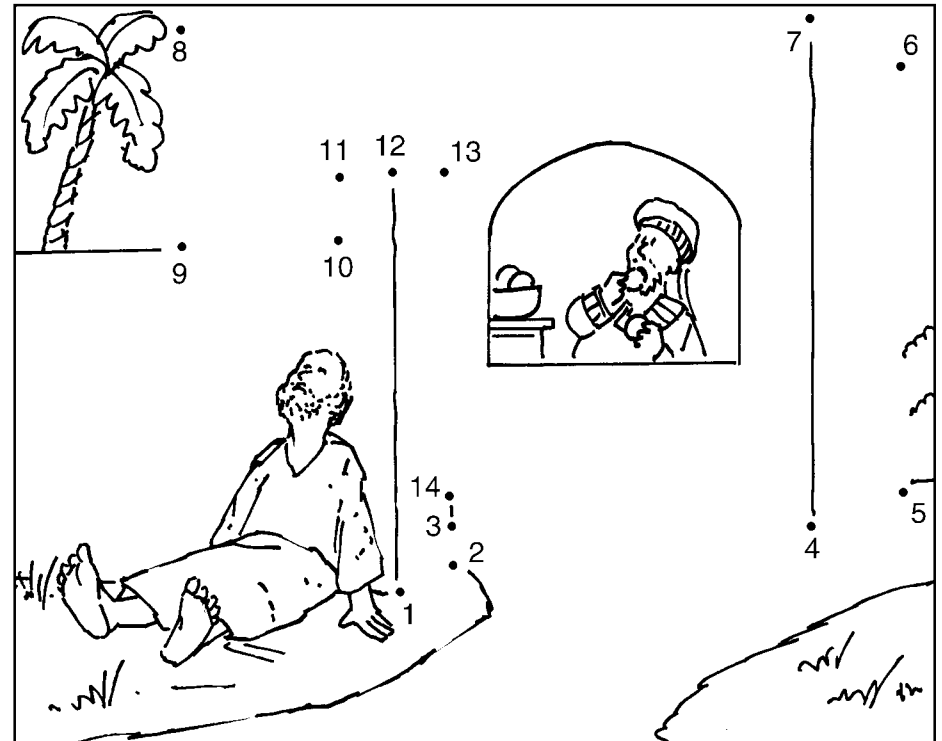
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The Rich Man and Lazarus

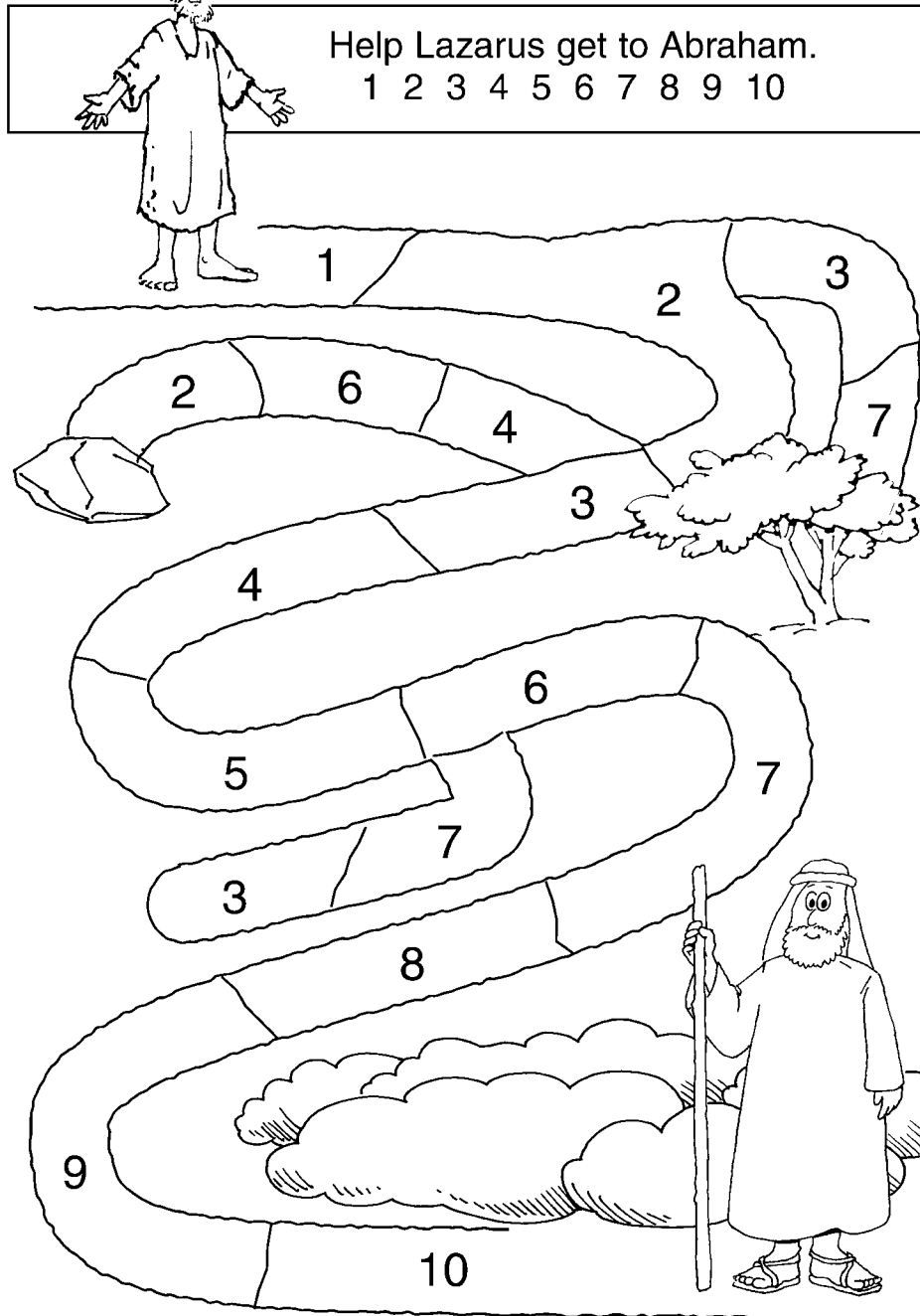
Jesus told a parable about a rich man who would not help Lazarus, who was poor.

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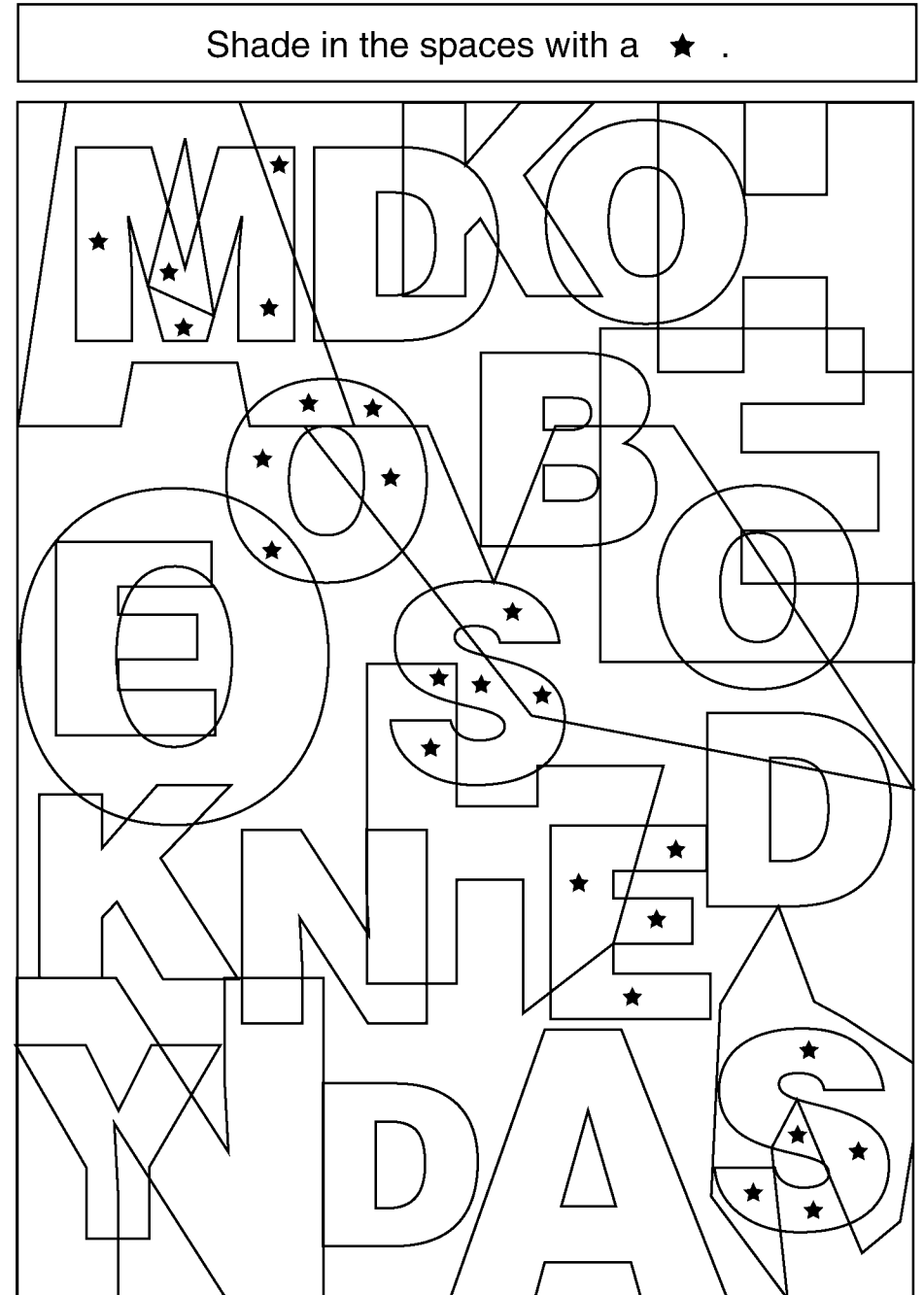
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In the story both men died. Lazarus was carried to Abraham's side.



The rich man asked Abraham to warn his family to care for the poor. Whom did Abraham say they could listen to?



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