

God Cares for Me

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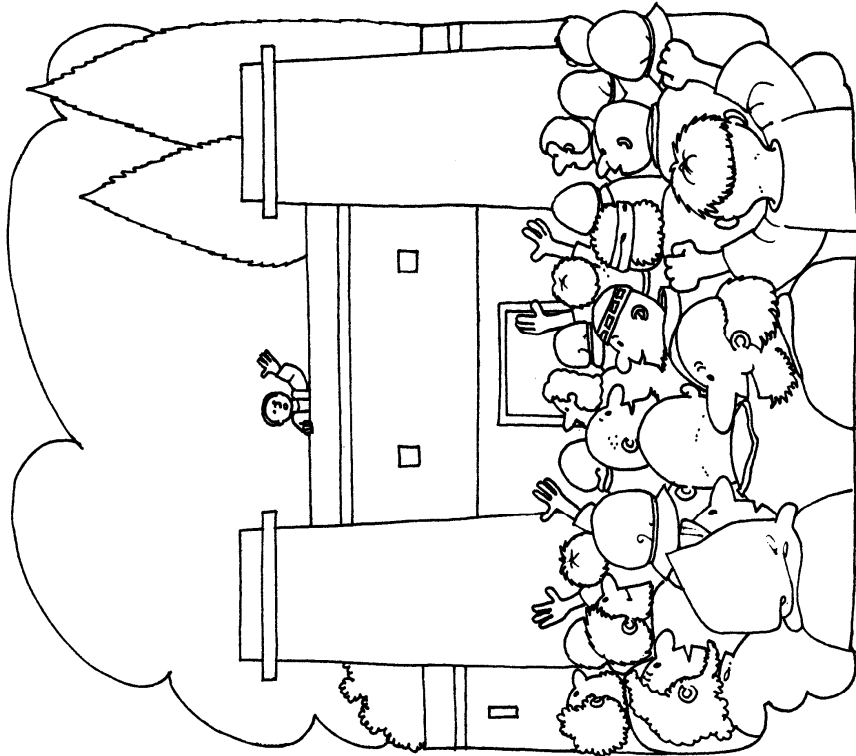
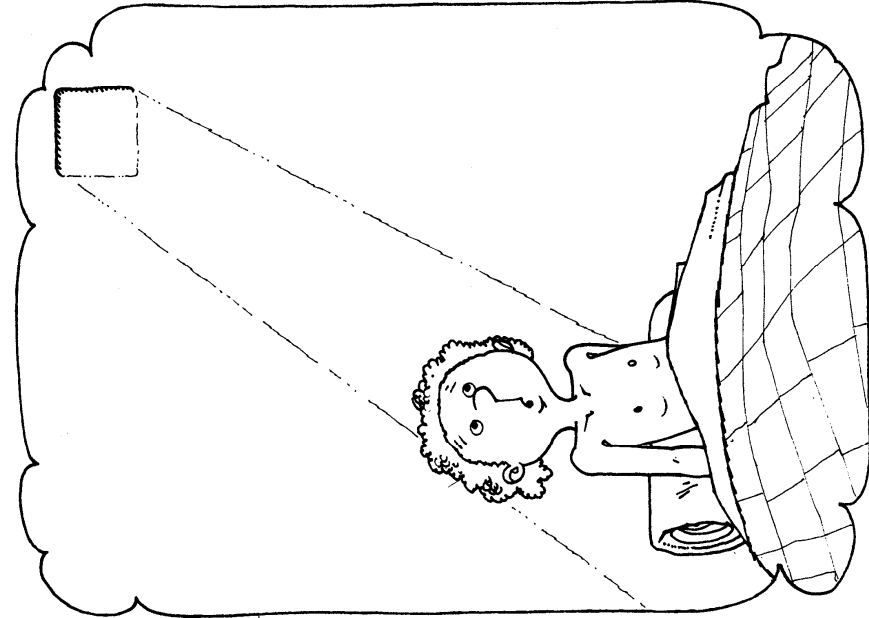


The Second Sunday after Epiphany 14 January, 2024

1 Samuel 3:10

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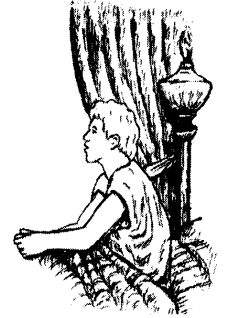
Dear Father, today we are listening for your call. Perhaps you have something special for us to do. When you call, we will answer, "Here I am." **Amen**



The Call of Samuel

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Based on 1 Samuel 3:1-10



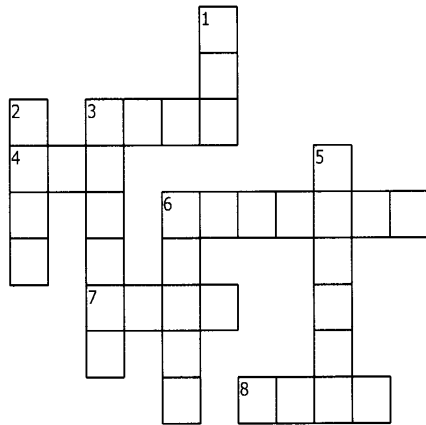
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LAMP	WORD	VISIONS	EYES	SERVANT
BOY	SPEAK	CALL	REVEALED	LORD
NIGHT	SAMUEL	LISTENING	WEAK	ARK
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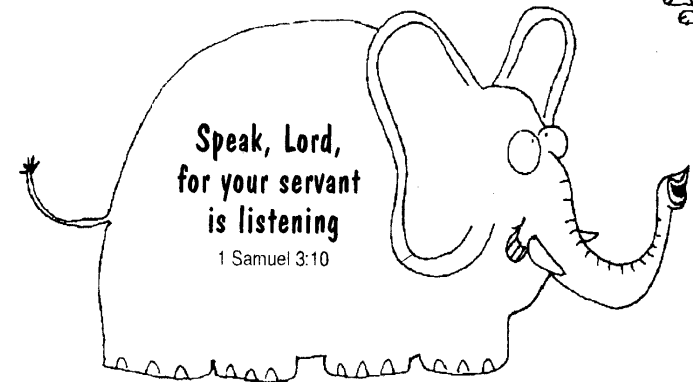
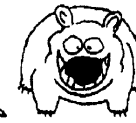
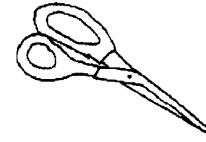
ACROSS

3. Another name for God
4. A priest in the temple at Shilo (1 Samuel 3:1)
6. A person who is employed to do work for another person
7. The pair of organs of seeing in the faces of humans and animals
8. To ask someone to come to you

DOWN

1. A piece of furniture with a flat surface that a person can lie on to sleep
2. Not strong
3. To give attention to a person who is speaking
5. A boy who ministered with Eli
6. To say words; to use the voice

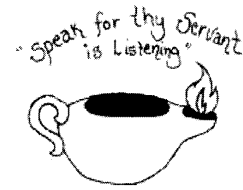
Draw yourself when you were a baby. Colour all the creatures with ears.



SAMUEL	SPEAK	CALL	ELI	WEAK
BED	EYES	LORD	SERVANT	LISTEN



Samuel Does Right



WHAT DID SAMUEL SAY?

Three times in a row, Samuel thought Eli called him. Each time, as soon as he heard his name called, he ran to Eli to answer.

Read the following sentence -- backwards -- to see what Samuel said to Eli:

"Here I am: you called me."

After three times, Eli figured out that God was the one calling to Samuel. Eli told Samuel what he should answer. Read the next sentence backwards to see what Samuel said:

"Speak for your servant is listening."



Circle the correct answers below, to solve the puzzle at the bottom of the page.

PUZZLE BLOCK QUESTIONS:

	True	False
1) Jesus was in Galilee when he met Philip.....	S	T
2) Peter told Nathanael about Jesus.	F	U
3) At first Nathanael didn't think Jesus was special.....	R	T
4) Nathanael had been sitting under an apple tree.	F	P
5) Samuel helped the Priest Eli.	R	T
6) Samuel was sleeping one night when he heard a voice.	T	I
7) Samuel knew right away it was God calling him.	S	f
8) Samuel went to Eli because he thought Eli was calling him.	E	T
9) It was Eli who figured out that the voice was God calling.	Y	T
10) The third time, Samuel said: "What do you want Eli to do?"	F	O
11) Samuel was glad to tell Eli what God had said.	F	U

____ ! God is looking for ____ !
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