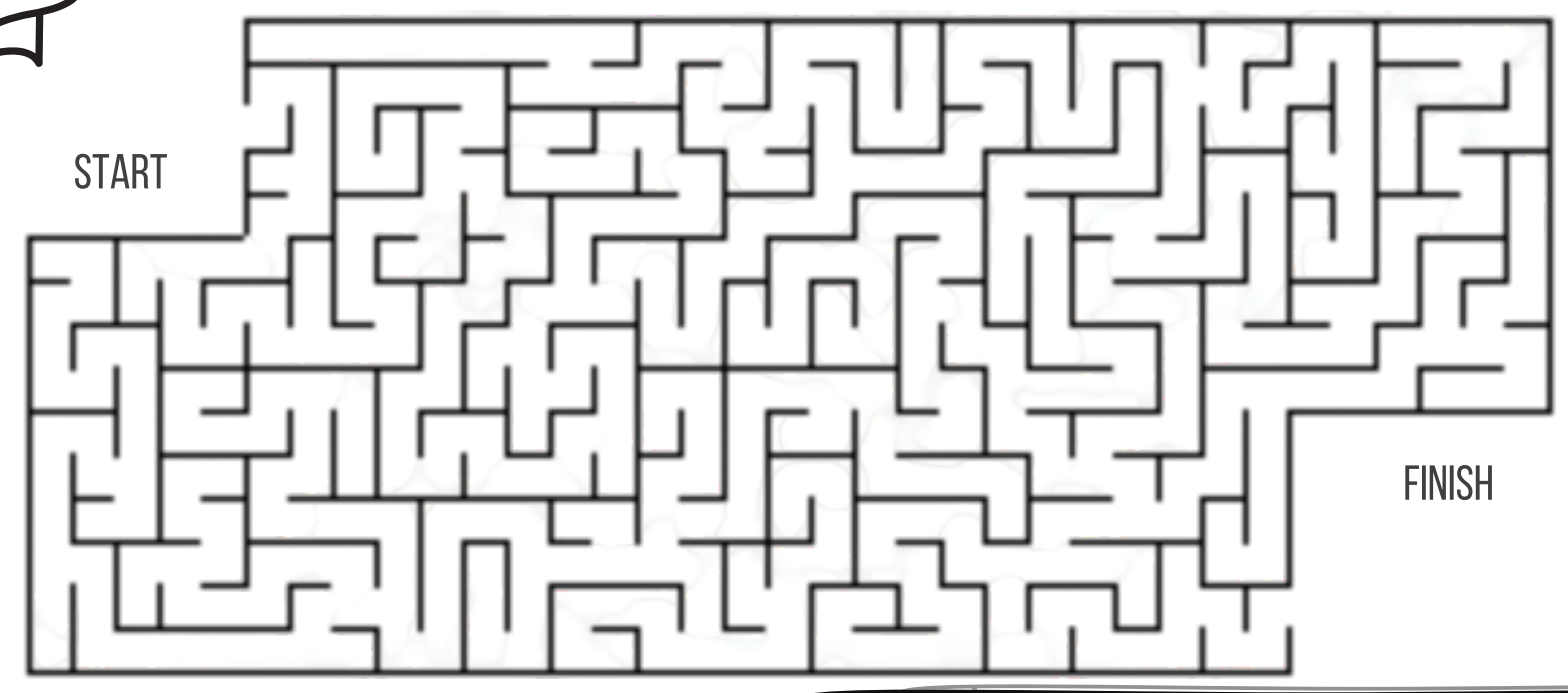


"For your steadfast
LOVE is **BEFORE**
my eyes, and I walk
in your faithfulness."
- Psalm 26:3

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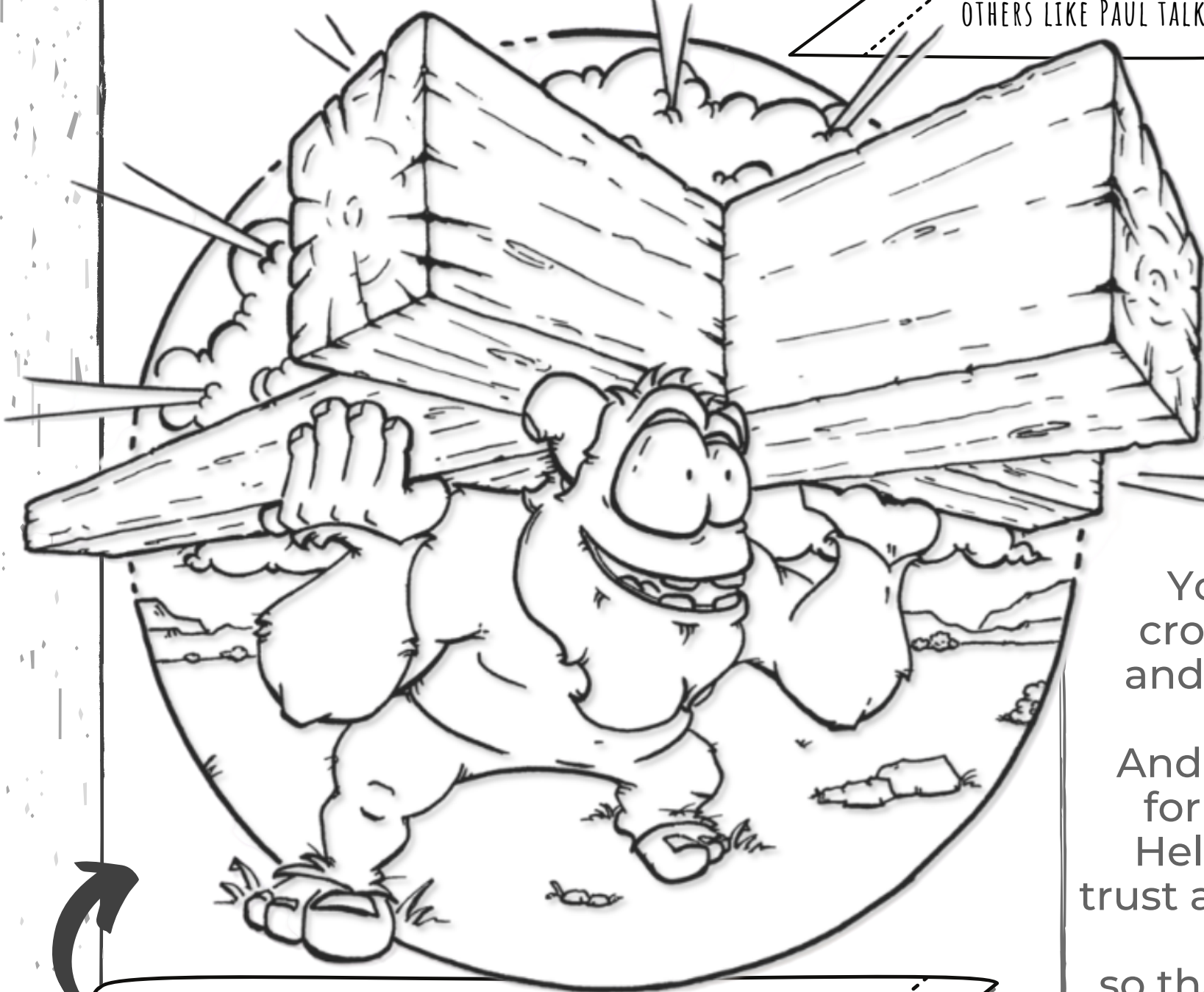
In our gospel reading Jesus tells of His coming death and resurrection. He then tells his disciples to take up their cross and follow Him.

What might Jesus mean when He says to take up our cross?



"TAKE UP HIS CROSS"

IN JESUS WE ARE GIVE SALVATION AND LOVE. AND WE CAN SHOW THAT HOPE AND FORGIVENESS IN THE WAY WE LIVE. WHAT ARE SOME WAYS WE CAN SHOW LOVE TO OTHERS LIKE PAUL TALKS ABOUT IN ROMANS 12?



Can you color Gumps and give thanks to Jesus for His love?



"Dear Jesus,
You died on the cross for our sins, and rose from the dead. And we thank you for your sacrifice. Help us to always trust and show your love to others, so that you may be praised. In Your name we pray. Amen"

Gumps is pretty strong, but it is Christ alone that gives us the faith and forgiveness we need to "take up our cross".

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TODAY WE HEAR JEREMIAH CRY OUTTO GOD, PAUL TELLS OF THE MARKS OF A CHRISTIAN, AND JESUS TELLS HIS FOLLOWERS TO TAKE UP THEIR CROSS AND FOLLOW HIM.

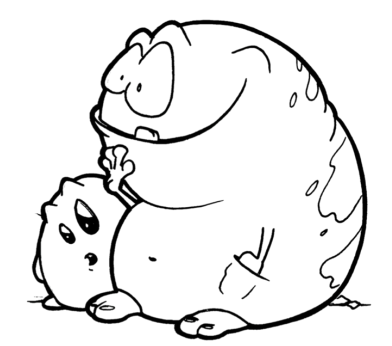
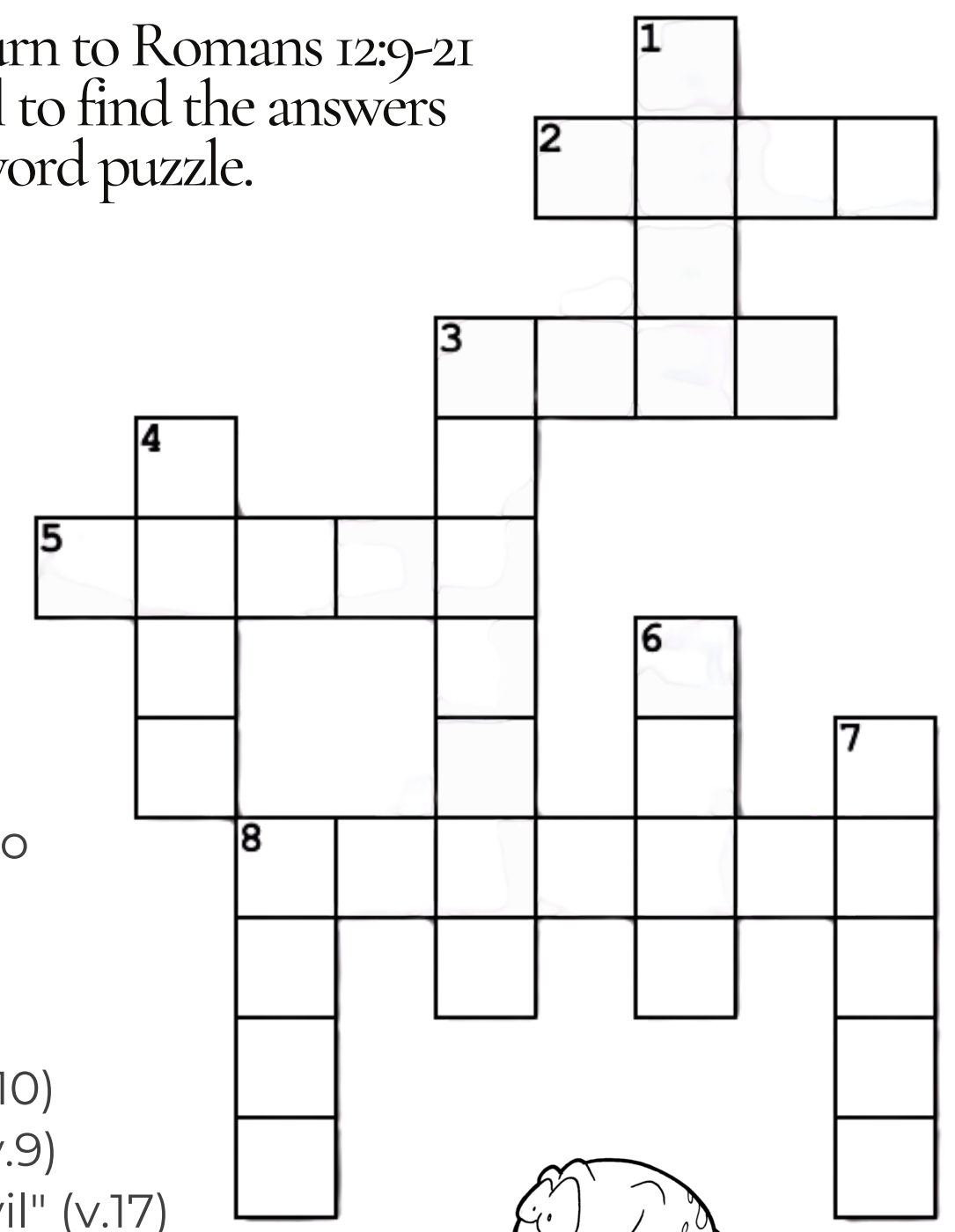


BIBLE VERSES
- Jeremiah 15:15-21
- Psalm 26
- Romans 12:9-21
- Matthew 16:21-28 (ESV)

Grab your Bible and turn to Romans 12:9-21 and read from St. Paul to find the answers to the Crossword puzzle.

- ACROSS
- 2. "Do not be slothful in ___" (v.11)
 - 3. "Rejoice in ___" (v.12)
 - 5. "outdo one another in showing ___" (v. 10)
 - 8. "Let love be ___" (v.9)

- DOWN
- 2. "weep with those who ___" (v.15)
 - 3. "live in ___ with one another" (v.16)
 - 4. "___ one another" (v. 10)
 - 6. "Abhor what is ___" (v.9)
 - 7. "___ no one evil for evil" (v.17)
 - 8. "but overcome evil with ___" (v.21)



Can you think of a time someone showed you love and helped you?