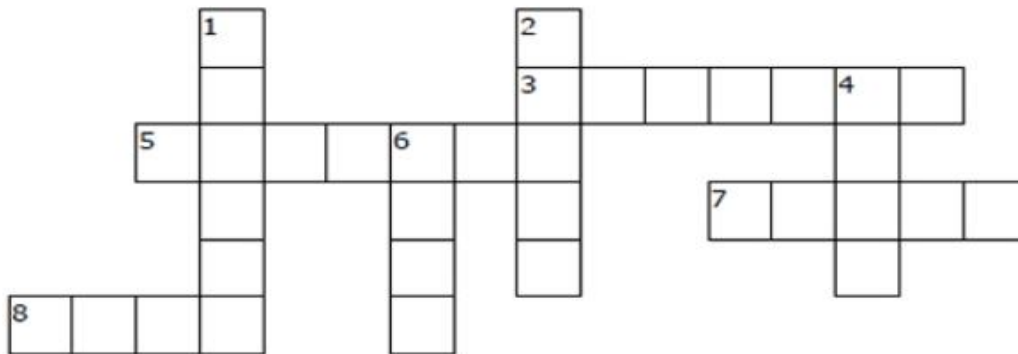


The Parable of the Weeds

When the wheat sprouted and formed heads, then the weeds also appeared. Mathew 28:26 (NIV)

Puzzle is based on Matthew 13: 24-29



ACROSS

3. The time for gathering crops
5. Stories told by Jesus to teach his followers
7. A plant that crowds out the good plants
8. A building used for storing grain and housing farm animals

DOWN

1. The place where God is
2. A grain that is ground into flour used in cooking
4. A small pod placed in the ground to grow a plant
6. To damage or destroy by fire

WEEDS	BURN	SEED	HARVEST
HEAVEN	WHEAT	BARN	PARABLE

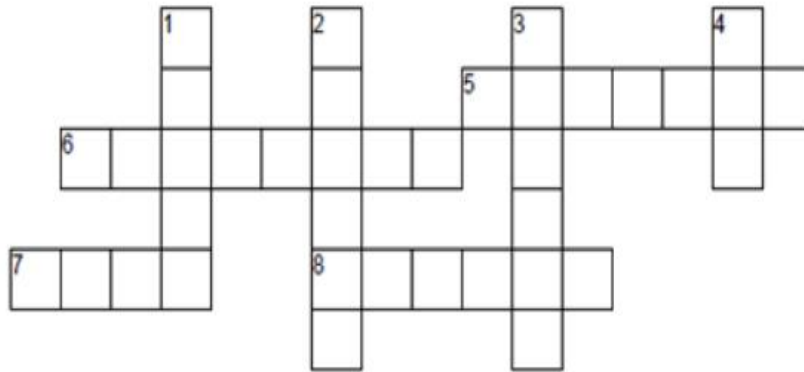
⁴⁰ "As the weeds are pulled up and burned in the fire, so it will be at the end of the age. ⁴¹ The Son of M_____ will send out his a_____, and they will weed out of his k_____ everything that causes s_____ and all who do e_____. ⁴² They will throw them into the blazing f_____, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth. ⁴³ Then the righteous will shine like the s_____ in the kingdom of their Father. Whoever has ears, let them hear. [Matthew 13:40-43]

The Parable of the Hidden Treasure

"The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field. When a man found it, he hid it again, and then in his joy went and sold all he had and bought that field." Matthew 13:44 (NIV)



Complete the activity below.



ACROSS

5. A territory or country ruled by a king or queen
6. Something of great value such as silver, gold, or jewels
7. Gave something in exchange for money
8. The place where God is

DOWN

1. An open area of land without buildings on it
2. Purchased something by paying money for it
3. To be kept out of sight so no one can find it
4. A feeling of great happiness

KINGDOM	HIDDEN	HEAVEN	TREASURE
FIELD	SOLD	BOUGHT	JOY

⁴⁴ "The kingdom of heaven is like t_____ hidden in a field. When a man found it, he hid it again, and then in his joy went and sold all he had and bought that field.

⁴⁵ "Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant looking for fine p_____. ⁴⁶ When he found one of great v_____, he went away and sold everything he had and bought it.

*Write Isaiah 40:8

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