



## Readings for & Christmas Eve

### December 28&29

First Lesson: First Samuel 2:18-20

Psalm 148

Second Lesson: Colossians 3:12-17

Gospel: Luke 2:41-52

### Scripture Reflection

Consider Jesus as an adolescent, causing his parents to worry about him. Jesus asks his parents, "Why were you searching for me? If you were a parent of Jesus, how would you answer that question? How do you answer that question for yourself?"



### Serving in Worship at Redeemer

**December 29**

**Reader:** Margaret Cole

**Usher:** Walter Chaykosky

**Greeter:** Glenda Hinsman

**Jan. 6**

TBD

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Pat Haggerty 12/29  
Ruth Barber Wheeler 1/1  
Colleen Wayman 1/3



The Wildcat closet continues to collect donations of Sweat pants, Sweat shirts, socks and toiletries. The box is located in the atrium . Linda Murrelle will pick up your donations and make sure they are delivered to the proper locations.



### **FOOD PANTRY ITEM OF THE MONTH**

We will be collecting cereal during the month of January for our local food pantries. The need is great and your support is greatly appreciated.



COME ONE  
COME ALL

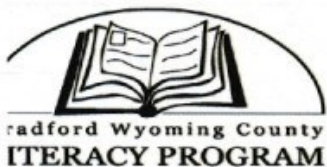


TO  
**An Informational Seminar**  
Presented by  
Bradford Wyoming County Literacy Program

**WHEN: Thursday, January 16TH 12pm-1pm**

**WHERE: Sayre Library**

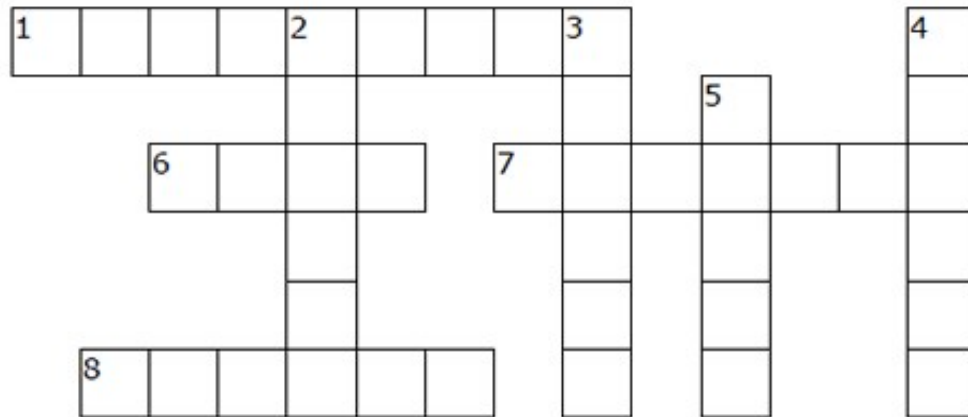
**WHY:**



# The Boy Jesus in the Temple

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Puzzle is based on Luke 2:41-52



## ACROSS

1. People related by kinship, common origin, or marriage.
6. A place where a person or family lives; a residence
7. A father and mother
8. Someone you know, like, and trust

## DOWN

2. A building used for religious ceremonies or worship
3. To look carefully in order to find something
4. The ability to judge what is true or right
5. A large meal; A periodic religious festival

PARENTS

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TEMPLE

WISDOM

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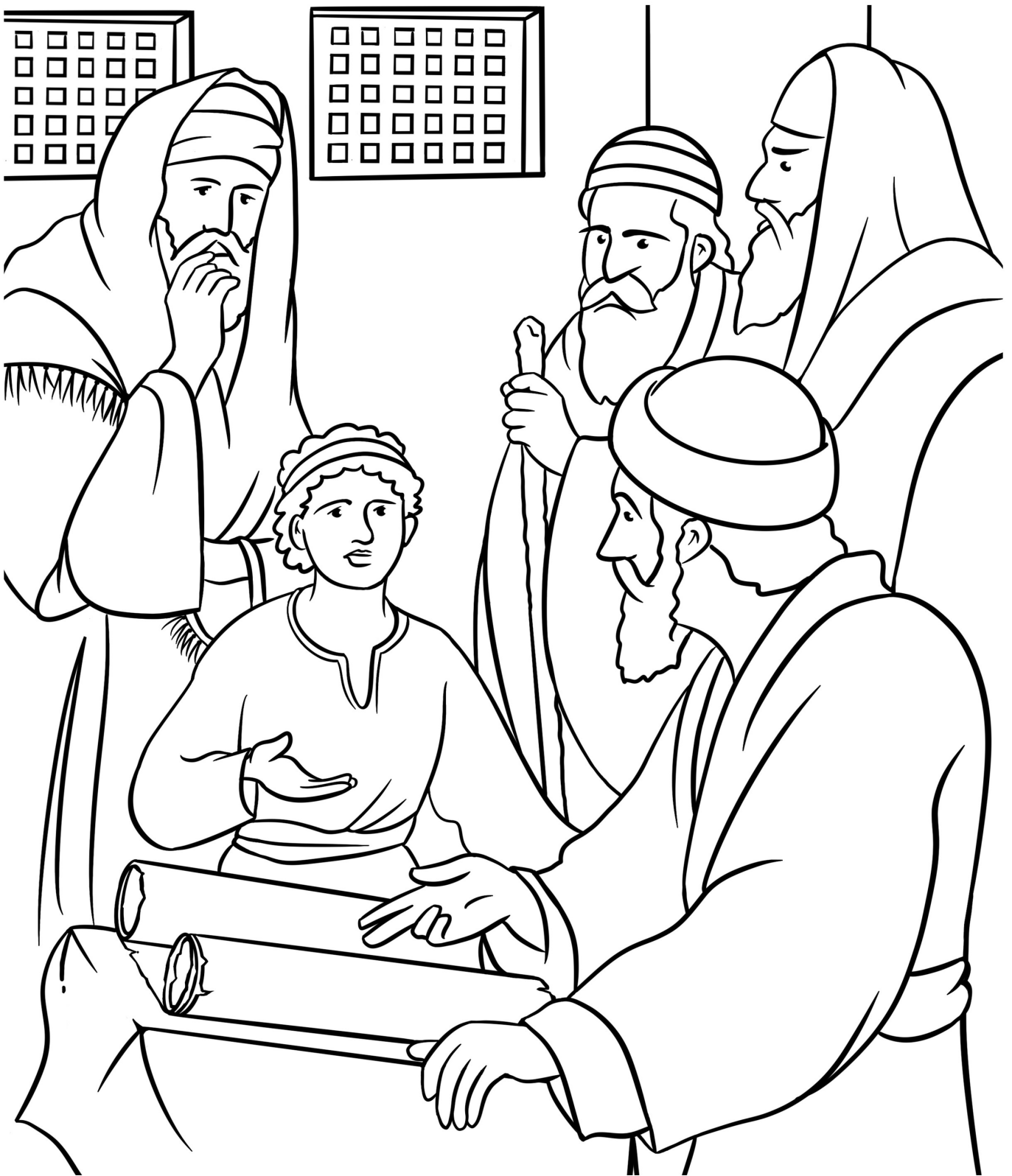
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Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.

D	U	X	I	B	C	Y	A	V	H	G	F	J	L	S	Z	R	Q	O	P	W	T	E	K	M	N
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26

1. 20-8-17-23-26-22-15 \_\_\_\_\_
2. 12-23-8-15-22 \_\_\_\_\_
3. 10-19-25-23 \_\_\_\_\_
4. 17-23-14-8-22-4-9-23-15 \_\_\_\_\_
5. 12-17-4-23-26-1-15 \_\_\_\_\_
6. 22-23-25-20-14-23 \_\_\_\_\_
7. 22-23-8-6-10-23-17-15 \_\_\_\_\_
8. 25-19-22-10-23-17 \_\_\_\_\_
9. 15-23-8-17-6-10-4-26-11 \_\_\_\_\_
10. 10-19-2-15-23 \_\_\_\_\_

FRIENDS	RELATIVES	PARENTS	FEAST	SEARCHING
HOUSE	TEMPLE	MOTHER	HOME	TEACHERS



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