

**St David's Anglican Parish of Burnside
Children's Church
Activities
Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

✿ Mark 9:33-37



Scripture Mark 9: 33-37

Then they came to Capernaum and when he was in the house, he asked them ,

“What were you arguing about on the way?” . But they were silent , for on the way they had argued with one another who was the greatest. He sat down , called the twelve and said to them. “Whoever wants to be first must be last of all and servant of all” then he took a little child and put it among them , and taking it in his arms, he said to them,

“Whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me and whoever welcomes me welcomes not me but the one who sent me.”

Sometimes we think the most important thing is to be first, to be the most beautiful to be the smartest, or to be the GREATEST.

Jesus said that the most important thing was to think of others first and ourselves last.

To be GREAT in God’s sight seek to be a servant rather than seeking to be served.

Prayer.

Dear Jesus, help us to remember that to be the greatest, we must be willing to be the least. Amen

Who Is the Greatest?

Sitting down, Jesus called the Twelve and said, "Anyone who wants to be first must be the very last, and the servant of all." Mark 9:35 (NIV)

Choose the word that best matches the definition.
Answers can be found in Mark 9:30-37



- ___ 1. Someone who is employed to perform services for others
A. servant B. little C. greatest D. house
- ___ 2. A public way for the travel of vehicles, people, and animals
A. first B. servant C. last D. road
- ___ 3. The one coming before all others
A. road B. first C. child D. little
- ___ 4. A person or thing of the highest quality or character
A. greatest B. last C. child D. servant
- ___ 5. The one coming after all others
A. little B. last C. house D. greatest
- ___ 6. A building where people live, especially a family
A. first B. last C. house D. child
- ___ 7. A very young person
A. house B. child C. road D. greatest
- ___ 8. Small in size
A. child B. servant C. little D. first



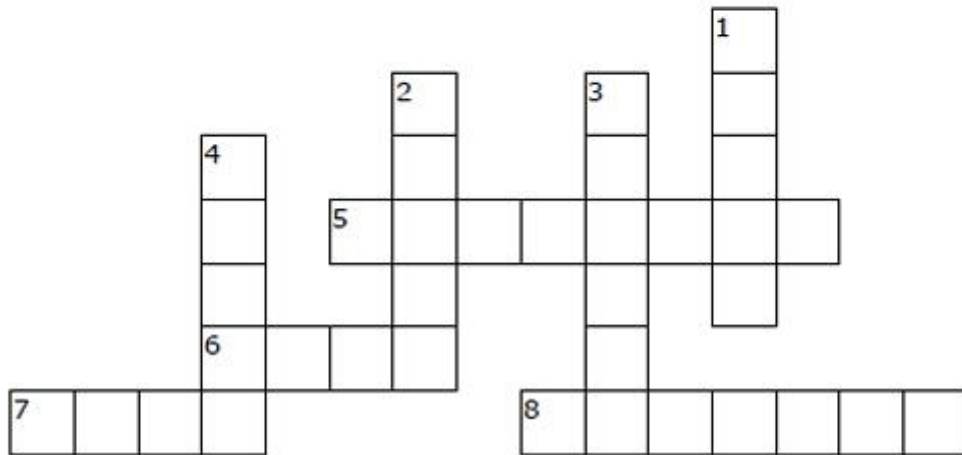
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ACROSS

5. A person or thing of the highest quality or character
6. The one coming after all others
7. A public way for the travel of vehicles, people, and animals
8. Someone who is employed to perform services for others

DOWN

1. A building where people live, especially a family
2. The one coming before all others
3. Small in size
4. A very young person

LITTLE	LAST	SERVANT	GREATEST
ROAD	FIRST	CHILD	HOUSE

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Write the words from the word bank at the bottom of the page in the blanks in ABC order.



1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____

DISCIPLES	HOUSE	JESUS	GREATEST	CHILDREN
SERVANT	ROAD	LAST	ARMS	FIRST

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



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

NAME	SERVANT	ROAD	GREAT	HOUSE
LAST	LITTLE	FIRST	ARMS	CHILD

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C V U L Z W W H O E V E R T S
M W M L I P F T N R E K I B B
D L W C S T R I H O U S E B W
Z Q K U G U T K R U E B Y T C
A X S J V G I L A S L K G E B
Q E P I G M E T E A T A X Y P
J A R H D Z H D Q R R Y S F T
Q K B O A F W H H G J U Q T G
F Q X V R F G U Q U G R W Q R
L A S E M D I U U I A O P D E
F M I V S O H K I N K A T K A
W E L C O M E S E G F D S X T
C H I L D Z Q D T R O M K W E
K B T W E L V E O Z K C L M S
W Z C W W Y S E R V A N T U T

WELCOMES	SERVANT	FIRST	GREATEST	JESUS
LITTLE	ARMS	CHILD	ARGUING	LAST
WHOEVER	ROAD	TWELVE	QUIET	HOUSE