



The Kedron Connection

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Quietness

“Be still and know that I am God.”
That I who made and gave thee life
Will lead thy faltering steps aright;
That I who see each sparrow’s fall
Will hear and heed thy earnest call.
I am God.

“Be still and know that I am God.”
When aching burdens crush thy heart,
Then know I form thee for thy part
And purpose in the plan I hold.
Trust in God.

“Be still and know that I am God.”
Who made the atom’s tiny span
And set it moving to My plan.
That I who guide the stars above
Will guide and keep thee in My love.
Be thou still.

--Doran

Men's Breakfast

The monthly First-Saturday Men's Breakfast will be on February 1. Breakfast will be served at 7:00 a.m. Men, come join us.

Fellowship Supper

There will be no First-Wednesday Covered-dish Fellowship Supper in February. The date of the next supper will be announced.

Handwork Ministry

The Handwork Ministry has been meeting the third Wednesday of the month to knit and crochet. The group will not meet in February. The next meeting will be March 19 at Evelyn Lee's home. We will begin at 9:30 a.m. Please plan to join us then if you knit, crochet or want to learn.

Choir Notes

We will continue to meet at 9:15 on Sunday mornings. We will decide other practice times. Would you like to join us? We would be happy to welcome you. Lent and Easter music will be selected soon.

Bible Study

The Bible Study led by Rev. Travis Perry continues. The group is now meeting at the home of Lytle Hodge on Tuesdays at 10:00 a.m.

Rutherford County Laity

The Rutherford County Laity Fellowship will meet February 24 at 6:30 p.m. The meeting will be at Bethel UMC. Please remember to bring hygiene items for the Tennessee Rehabilitation Center in Smyrna.

Attention Youth! New Class

Linda Lee is leading a new class for our youth ages 10 and older. This is a class to learn about the church and confirmation. The group meets during Sunday morning worship, leaving the sanctuary after the children's chat. This is a great opportunity for our youth.

Shepherd School

The 2014 Shepherd School will be February 9 beginning at 2:45 p.m. at Tullahoma First UMC. Classes include training for SPPR Committees, Evangelism, Worship Committees, Children's and Youth Councils, Trustees/Finance, Lay Leaders, Administrative Councils, Vision Teams and a VBS preview. Contact Pastor Angela for more information.

Kedron Congregation's Vision

A second visioning gathering has been scheduled. It will be February 20, 7 p.m. - 9 p.m. Come as we share our visions for Kedron's future.

Contemplative Prayer Group?

Pastor Angela is hoping to start a contemplative prayer group. Please let her know if you are interested.

Bucket Offerings

In February the offerings placed in the buckets carried by the children at Sunday morning worship will be contributed to the Smyrna-LaVergne Assistance Coalition. This organization helps local people in need of financial help with things such as utility bills.

Food Bank

You may bring donations for the Smyrna/LaVergne Food Bank to the church the first and second Sundays of the month and they will be delivered to the Food Bank. The suggested item for February is soup. All non-perishable foods are accepted. The need is great.

Happy Birthday to:

Coleman Stacey	February 7
Ray Lee	February 9
Dorothy Pressley	February 9
Keith Lee	February 15
Abby Palmer	February 23
Loren Vanderkooi	February 25
Jane Rainey	February 26
Caden Salem	February 27

Happy Anniversary to:

John and Mary Ellen Vance
February 22

Who said this?

“Every word of God proves true; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him.”

--NRSV (hint, Proverbs)

Acts 2:25-26 spoken by David and quoted by Luke was the quote in the January newsletter.



February Calendar

Saturday, February 1:

7:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast

Sunday, February 2:

8:45 a.m. Sunday School

9:15 a.m. Choir Practice

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

Tuesday, February 4:

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

Sunday, February 9:

8:45 a.m. Sunday School

9:15 a.m. Choir Practice

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

2:45 p.m. Shepherd School

Tullahoma First UMC

Tuesday, February 11:

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

Sunday, February 16:

8:45 a.m. Sunday School

9:15 a.m. Choir Practice

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

Tuesday, February 18:

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

Thursday, February 20:

7:00 p.m. Visioning Gathering

Sunday, February 23:

8:45 a.m. Sunday School

9:15 a.m. Choir Practice

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

10:30 a.m. March newsletter
information due

Tuesday, February 25:

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

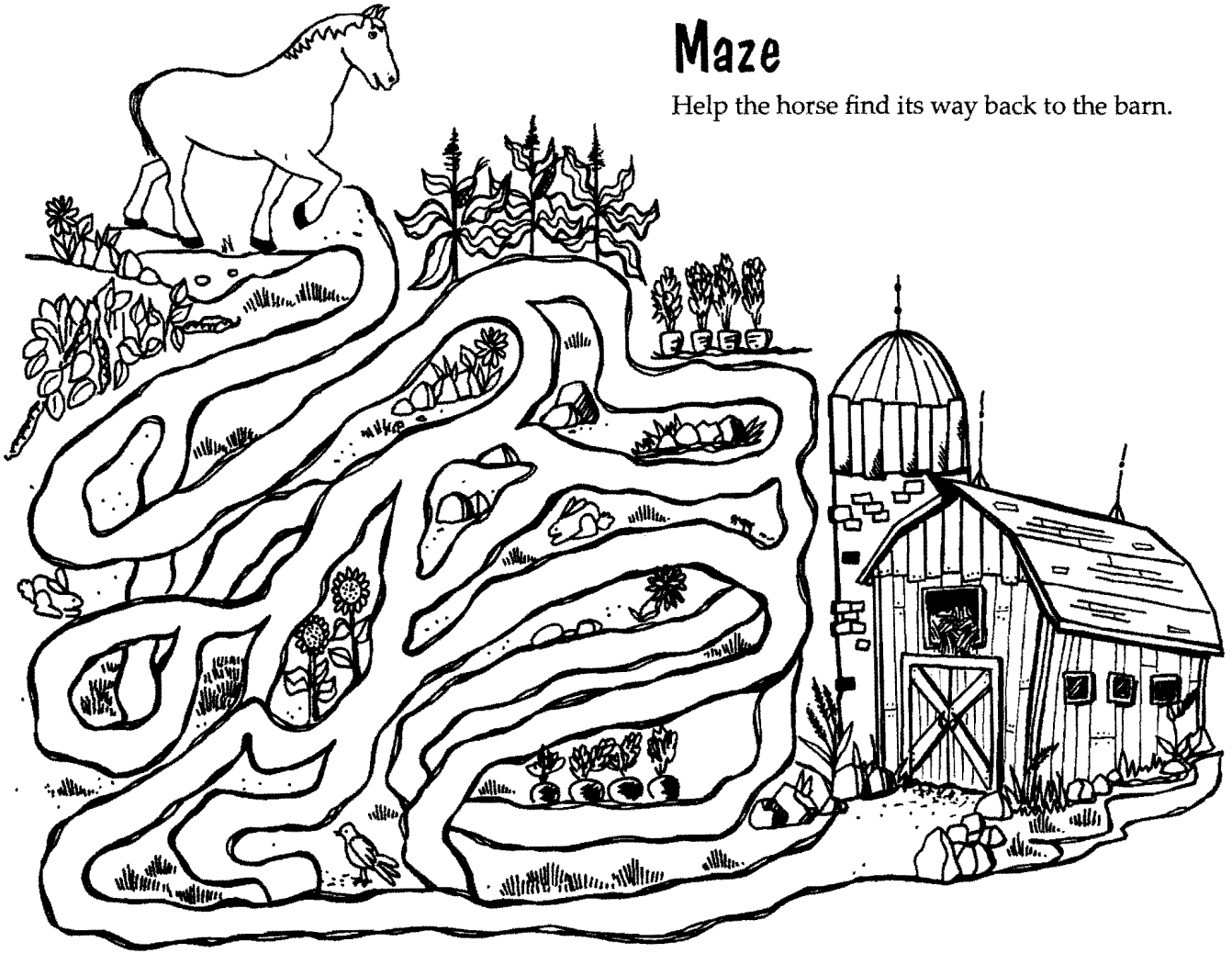


One man came out of his house on his way to church on Sunday morning, just as his neighbor came out with his golf clubs. The golfer said, "Henry, come out and play golf with me today." Henry, with an expression of self-righteous horror on his face replied, "This is the Lord's Day and I go to church. Certainly I wouldn't play golf."

After a moment's embarrassed silence the golfer quietly said, "You know, Henry, I have often wondered about your church, and I admire your faithfulness. You know also, however, that this is the seventh time I have invited you to play golf with me – and you have never invited me to go to church with you."

Maze

Help the horse find its way back to the barn.



Decode the Message

Change the letter in each box to the one that comes before it in the alphabet. See Zechariah 1:8b for help.

c	f	i	j	o	e

i	j	n

x	f	s	f

s	f	e

t	p	s	s	f	m

b	o	e

x	i	j	u	f

i	p	s	t	f	t