

**Blessed Sacrament Parish**  
Saugus, MA

**Saint Margaret Parish**  
Saugus & No. Revere, MA



# DEDICATION

What was done here, as these walls were rising, is reproduced when we bring together those who believe in Christ. For, by believing they are hewn out, as it were, from mountains and forests, like stones and timber; but by catechizing, baptism and instruction they are, as it were, shaped, squared and planed by the hands of the workers and artisans. Nevertheless, they do not make a house for the Lord until they are fitted together through love"

ST. AUGUSTINE

**Dedication of the Lateran Basilica in Rome**  
November 9, 2008

## Blessed Sacrament Parish

14 Summer Street Saugus, MA  
Rectory Phone: 781 233 2497

## Saint Margaret Parish

431 Lincoln Avenue Saugus & No. Revere, MA  
Rectory Phone: 781 233 1040

### Pastoral Team

Father Daniel P. McCoy and Father George E. Morin  
frdanmccoy@yahoo.com frgeorge@parishmail.com

### Mass Times

Daily Mass: 9 am Monday through Saturday  
Weekend

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Masses: Saturday @ 4pm  
Sunday @ 7:30 am 9 am 10:30 am

Masses: Saturday @ 4 pm and 5:30 pm  
Sunday @ 8:30 am and 10 am

### THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 3pm to 3:45pm and by request

Rev. Felix Prior, O' Carm – Sunday Assistant  
Deacon Francis M. Gaffney – Permanent Deacon  
Martha G. Lecaroz – Parish Secretary  
Donna Zinna – Coordinator of Religious Education

Rev. Lawrence Wetherholm – Weekend Assistant  
Rev. Vincent Cornejo – Weekend Assistant  
Rev. Donald Skerry, SVD – Mid week Assistant

781 231 3699

Lorraine Perella – Program Coordinator  
Phyllis Bunnell - Music Director  
Debora Pillsbury - Parish Housekeeper  
Nicholas Raftelis – Buildings and Grounds

### THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Usually held on the second Sunday of the month.  
Please call the Rectory to schedule

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Please call the Rectory to schedule

### THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Couples planning to marry are encouraged to schedule more than one year in advance.  
The Archdiocese requires at least six months notice.

#### Sick and Homebound

If you know someone in the parish who is sick or homebound and who would like to receive the Eucharist,  
please notify the rectory.

### WELCOME! New Parishioners

Please introduce yourself to one another, as well as to the priest following Mass.  
Also, please call the rectory to register. We want to know our parishioners and to serve your needs.

# Mass for...



## At Blessed Sacrament

Saturday November 8	4:00 pm	Felice and Carmela Cefalo
Sunday November 9	7:30 am 9:00 am 10:30 am	Joseph Landry (2nd ann.) Doris Cox (3rd ann.) James and M. Yvonne Atkinson
Monday November 10	9:00 am	Cunningham Family
Tuesday November 11	9:00 am	Vincent Colarusso
Wednesday November 12	9:00 am	All Deceased Parishioners and Friends
Thursday November 13	9:00 am	David Faragi
Friday November 14	9:00 am	For the People of the Parish
Saturday November 15	9:00 am	Kathleen O'Hearn

## At Saint Margaret

Saturday November 8	4:00 pm 5:30 pm	
Sunday November 9	8:30 am 10:00 am	Margaret Russo Patrick Soriano
Monday November 10	9:00 am	
Tuesday November 11	9:00 am	
Wednesday November 12	9:00 am	
Thursday November 13	9:00 am	
Friday November 14	9:00 am	
Saturday November 15	4:00 pm 5:30 pm	John B. Perillo and Vincent A. Perillo Franciscan Kim Tran

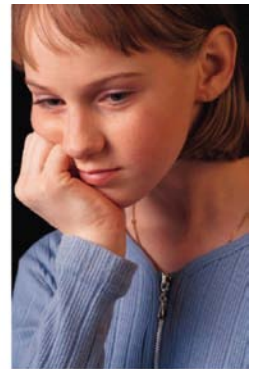


### Scripture for the week of November 9, 2008

9	<b>SUN</b>	Ez 47:1-2, 8-9, 12/1 Cor 3:9c-11, 16-17/Jn 2:13-22
10	<b>Mon</b>	Ti 1:1-9/Lk 17:1-6
11	<b>Tue</b>	Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Lk 17:7-10
12	<b>Wed</b>	Ti 3:1-7/Lk 17:11-19
13	<b>Thu</b>	Phlm 7-20/Lk 17:20-25
14	<b>Fri</b>	2 Jn 4-9/Lk 17:26-37
15	<b>Sat</b>	3 Jn 5-8/Lk 18:1-8
16	<b>SUN</b>	Prv 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31/1 Thes 5:1-6/Mt 25:14-30 or 25:14-15, 19-21

Whatever you do,  
think not of yourself,  
but of God.

-- St Vincent Ferrer





## Thanksgiving Drivers needed!!!

Please call June Cieri at 781-231-1061 if you can deliver Thanksgiving dinners on Saturday November 22<sup>nd</sup> after 10 a.m..

### Thanksgiving Turkeys! Turkeys! Turkeys!

If you are donating a turkey for Thanksgiving, please call the Blessed Sacrament rectory at 781-233-2497 and let us know. We need **70** 10-12 pound turkeys, **70** 13-16 pound turkeys and **25** 18-22 pound turkeys.

### Thanksgiving reminder: Canned goods.

Please drop off any non-perishable items at the Blessed Sacrament Parish Hall on Saturday November 15 from 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon & Sunday November 16 after any of the Masses.

Ecumenical Thanksgiving Service: will be at Saint Margaret Church on Sunday, November 23, at 7:00 p.m. with Father George presiding, and Rev. Martha Leahy of First Congregational Church preaching. Plan on attending this service as we welcome Rev. Martha, who is new to the Saugus community.

Thanksgiving Day Mass: There will be one Mass on Thanksgiving Day, November 27, here in Saugus, and it will be at 8:00 a.m. at Blessed Sacrament Church, 14 Summer Street. Please bring a loaf of bread to be blessed and take home this same loaf of blessed bread for sharing. We also invite you to bring an offering of canned goods or a monetary donation for the poor. Come and begin this beautiful holiday in giving thanks to God from whom all good things come.

### **BLESSED SACRAMENT FINANCIAL BLESSINGS**

Last week's collection was **\$4,325** with **217** envelopes. An additional **\$487** was received from mail-in contributions. **\$2,565** was received for the Renovation Fund. **\$1,620** was collected for the 12 Days of Christmas calendars. Attendance at Mass last weekend was **880** people. .

The collection for the week before was inadvertently omitted in the new bulletin. The collection was **\$4,254.64** with **233** envelopes. An additional **\$151** was received from mail-in contributions. Attendance at Mass was **876** people.

### **ST. MARGARET FINANCIAL BLESSINGS**

The collection for the week of October 26, 2008, was **\$3,763**. Attendance at Mass was **599** people.

The collection for the week of November 2, 2008, was **\$3,404**. Attendance at Mass was **587** people.

## Communion

### **to the Homebound:**

Do you know someone who is unable to come to Mass and who would appreciate receiving Holy Communion on a regular basis?



**If so, call either Rectory:  
St. Margaret 781-233-1040)  
or Blessed Sacrament 781-233-2497 .**

Our Parish has some wonderful Ministers of Holy Communion who would be glad to visit on a regular basis during the year.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

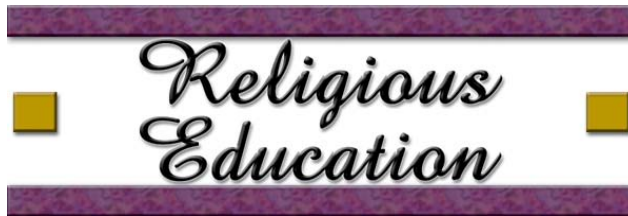
If anyone has bulletin announcements, please email them to [matha@parishmail.com](mailto:matha@parishmail.com) no later than noon on Mondays for the following weekend.

**NOVEMBER 2008**

**Blessed Sacrament Parish, Saugus**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>2. <u>2<sup>nd</sup> Collection</u> <u>Renovation Fund</u> 10:30am Mass Reading of Deceased <u>Parish Members Names</u> <u>REL. ED. CLASSES</u></p>	<p>3. <u>Play Group</u> <u>10:30-11:30am</u> Women's Guild <u>7:00pm Mtg.</u></p>	<p>4. <u>DAISY TROOP</u> <u>3:00-4:00PM</u> Baptism Class <u>7:00pm</u>  K of C Mtg.</p>	<p>5. <u>9:00am Mass for</u> <u>All Deceased</u> <u>Parishioners and</u> <u>Friends</u>  <u>CPPI 7:00-8:30-pm</u></p>	<p>6. <u>9:00am Mass for the</u> <u>People of the Parish</u></p>	<p>7. <u>First Friday Devotions</u> Youth Choir Rehearsal <u>4:45-5:30pm</u></p>	<p>1. <u>2<sup>nd</sup> Collection</u> <u>Renovation Fund</u> <u>Confessions</u> <u>3:00pm</u> BSP Concert</p>
<p>9. <u>REL. ED. CLASSES</u>  BAPTISMS <u>2:00pm</u></p>	<p>10. <u>9:00am Mass for the</u> <u>People of the Parish</u> <u>Play Group</u> <u>10:30-11:30am</u> Finance Council <u>7:00-8:30pm</u> St. Vincent de Paul <u>Mtg. 7:00-9:00pm</u></p>	<p>11. <u>Ministry of St. Stephen</u> <u>Mtg. 7:00-9:00pm</u>  K of C Mtg. Memorial Mass <u>8:00pm</u></p>	<p>12. <u>9:00am Mass for</u> <u>All Deceased</u> <u>Parishioners and</u> <u>Friends</u>  <u>CPPI 7:00-8:30-pm</u></p>	<p>13.</p>	<p>14. <u>9:00am Mass for the</u> <u>People of the Parish</u> Youth Choir Rehearsal <u>4:45-5:30pm</u>  A.A. 8 to 9:30pm</p>	<p>15. <u>Marriage Prep.</u> <u>7:00am-6:00pm</u>  Confessions <u>3:00pm</u></p>
<p>16. <u>REL. ED. CLASSES</u>  Marriage Prep. <u>7:00-10:30am</u></p>	<p>17. <u>Play Group</u> <u>10:30-11:30am</u></p>	<p>18. <u>DAISY TROOP</u> <u>3:00-4:00PM</u> Parish Pastoral Council <u>7:30-9:00pm</u>  K of C Mtg.</p>	<p>19. <u>9:00am Mass for</u> <u>All Deceased</u> <u>Parishioners and</u> <u>Friends</u> <u>Hammersmith</u> <u>2:30pm Mass</u>  <u>CPPI 7:00-8:30-pm</u></p>	<p>20.</p>	<p>21. <u>Youth Choir Rehearsal</u> <u>4:45-5:30pm</u></p>	<p>22. <u>Thanksgiving</u> <u>Food Delivery</u> <u>10:00-11:30am</u>  Confessions <u>3:00pm</u></p>
<p>23. <u>9:00am Mass for the</u> <u>People of the Parish</u> <u>Last Sunday in</u> <u>Ordinary Time</u> <u>REL. ED. CLASSES</u></p>	<p>24. <u>Play Group</u> <u>10:30-11:30pm</u>  St. Vincent de Paul <u>Mtg. 7:00-9:00pm</u></p>	<p>25. <u>K of C Mtg.</u> <u>Dinner 6:00 pm</u></p>	<p>26. <u>9:00am Mass for</u> <u>All Deceased</u> <u>Parishioners and</u> <u>Friends</u>  <u>CPPI 7:00-8:30-pm</u></p>	<p>27. <u>8:00am MASS</u> <u>THANKSGIVING</u></p>	<p>28.</p>	<p>29. <u>Confessions</u> <u>3:00pm</u> <u>Blessing of wreaths</u> <u>at 4:00pm Mass</u></p>
<p>30. <u>First Sunday in</u> <u>Advent</u> Annual Advent Wreath Making</p>	<p>Wreath Making 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. NO REL. ED. FOOD DRIVE</p>					

**MASS SCHEDULE: Daily 9:00am, (Coffee after 9:00am Mass each Wednesday)  
Saturday 4:00pm; Sunday 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am (Coffee after Mass)**



## For Blessed Sacrament

### Level 1-Grade 8

Classes continue this Sunday, November 9 - 10:15 – 11:15 @ Saugus High School

### Confirmation Preparation

*Dates to Remember*

Wednesday Evenings, November 19.

Classes meet in the lower church hall from 7pm until 8:30 pm. Please plan to arrive at 6:50 pm to allow for attendance, etc.

If you have any questions, or would like more information on any of the above, please call Donna Zinna at 781-231-3699.

## Thanksgiving Food Drive

Just a reminder to the students in Grades 1-8 to bring your donations for the St. Stephen Ministry Thanksgiving baskets to class with you next Sunday, November 16.

Grade 1—1 bottle of apple juice

Grade 2—1 bottle of apple juice

Grade 3—2 cans of corn

Grade 4—2 cans of peas

Grade 5—2 cans of cranberry sauce

Grade 6—2 cans of green beans

Grade 7—2 cans, jars, or packets of turkey gravy

Grade 8—2 bags of stuffing mix

Also, if you have any extra sturdy shopping bags with handles, we could surely use those for transporting the donations back to the church.

Thank you for your support of and continued generosity to the St. Stephen Ministry.

## For Saint Margaret's

**Grades 1 through 6:** Classes are held on Sunday mornings from 8:30 to 9:45 a.m. at the Belmonte Middle School.

**Grades 7 & 8:** The next class is Friday, November 14 from 7 to 9 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

**Grade 9 (Confirmation Year I):** Classes are scheduled on Sundays from 4:15 p.m. On Sundays, when there is Confirmation Class, there is a Mass at 5:30 p.m. All are welcome.

**Grade 10 (Confirmation Year II):** The first class for students and sponsors is on Sunday, November 16, at 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Prior to class, there is a 5:30 p.m. Mass for the Students, their sponsors and their families.

**Mass:** On Sundays when there is Confirmation Class there will be Mass at 5:30 p.m. to which Parents, siblings, friends, and parishioners are invited



**We pray for** Peace in the World, an end to war and terrorism, an end to world hunger, our men & women in the Armed Services, **Patrick McMorrow, Michael McMorrow, Joseph DePietro and John Scott.**

**The Sick** **Karen Shirk, Chris McMahon, Father James Field, Kathy Tozza, Tom Colbert, Earl Reed, Richard DeGregorio**

## BLESSED SACRAMENT SECOND COLLECTIONS

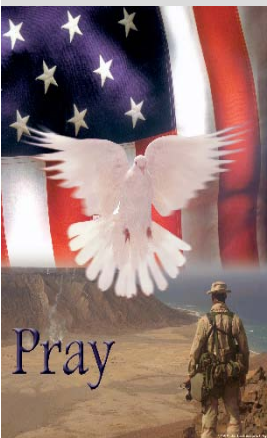
November 22 & 23 — Campaign for  
Human Development  
December 6 & 7 — Renovation  
December 13 & 14 — Retirement Fund  
for Religious

## SAINT MARGARET SECOND COLLECTIONS

November 8 & 9 — Parish Monthly  
November 22 & 23 — Campaign for  
Human Development

### Wrapping Gifts For Soldiers:

Operation Troop Support will be at the Holten-Richmond Middle School, Danvers, MA, on Saturday, November 15, 2008, at 10:00 a.m. to wrap Christmas gifts for soldiers. For more information, contact Marilyn Donovan at 781-231-2757.



Operation Troop Support: This week we will be collecting blankets, pillows, new T-shirts, socks and underwear for our wounded troops. As always, your support is appreciated, and any letter of encouragement you wish to send to our troops will also be appreciated. The collection bins are located at the doors of the church to receive your donations. Thank you.

### CORIs:

If you have not filled out your CORI this fall, please stop by the rectory and fill one out. It is mandated by the Archdiocese to have all volunteers and staff submit a yearly CORI. Rectory office hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. We are to be in 100% compliance with CORI.  
Fr. Dan McCoy

## Knights of Columbus

### MEMBERSHIP ANNOUNCEMENT

Time is one of the most valuable commodities we have in life. Many outside influences are competing for leisure and free time. As a practicing Catholic how we spend that time should be of primary concern. If you believe in the importance of the Church, in friendship, and helping others, consider membership in the Knights of Columbus.

The Knights of Columbus is an organization of Catholic men and their families that derive a great sense of satisfaction from being able to develop lasting friendships with each other while helping the less fortunate. Every day, the K of C provides its members with the opportunity to discover the importance of charity, unity, fraternity and patriotism to our country. We encourage all men of this parish who are not yet members to consider membership in the K of C and those parishioners who are members to help a practical Catholic friend and/or relative and his family discover the opportunities and benefits available in the Knights of Columbus.

After Mass, please stop and take a prospect form and literature available at the back of the Church. You may leave information on how we may contact you at Church or contact the Membership Director. We welcome your interest and invite your participation. Thank you and God Bless.

Lawrence C. Donovan, Grand Knight  
Peter G. DePlacido, FDD, Membership Director  
781.233.4428 or 781.233.9858

**Did You Know?** The Sisters of St. Joseph are offering *Taize Evenings of Prayer* at our beautiful Motherhouse chapel in Brighton. Named after the form of prayerful, reflective singing made famous by the *ecumenical community* in Taize, France, it has attracted thousands of pilgrims since 1957. Most especially, young adults and less young have found “this pilgrimage of trust” a meaningful experience. Two years ago I had the privilege of visiting Taize with some *not-so-young* pilgrims and singing with this *community* in prayer. It was so inspiring! **Our next Evening of Prayer will be held on November 20 at 7:00 p.m.** If you are interested in attending or joining a group who plan to attend, please call Sr. Mary O’Rourke at 781-233-1046 before November 14. You may want to check out our website at [www.cjsboston.org](http://www.cjsboston.org). We also have two videos on **You Tube**-Sisters of St. Joseph, Boston. Check it out.

Sisters of St. Joseph

**The United Parish Food Pantry** is at the Clifftondale Congregational Church, 50 Essex Street. On the last Sunday of each month Blessed Sacrament collects food for the food pantry. On the second Sunday of each month Saint Margaret collects food for the food pantry. Volunteers are also needed. If you are free on Friday mornings, you are needed. Drop by the Pantry at 9:00 a.m. or call Carol Cashman (781-233-9460) to volunteer. The Pantry is open Fridays from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. **The next Food Collection Weekend for Blessed Sacrament is November 29 and 30. The next Food Collection Weekend for Saint Margaret is December 13 and 14.** Your donation of food is always needed. Kindly look at the expiration date on your food donation. Food items that have gone beyond the expiration date may not be given out. They can only be thrown out! Thank you for your understanding and your generosity.

**Are You Crafty?** Do you make home-made jewelry, candles, soaps, sewing projects, wood projects, floral arrangements, or any other craft which you would like to donate for St. Margaret’s Crafty Creations table at our Christmas Stroll weekend in December? Yes, we are thinking ahead to the Christmas Stroll because we want to collect as many items as we can to show off our parishioners’ talents. All proceeds will go to St. Margaret Parish’s ongoing projects. If you have such items to contribute or would like further information, please contact Bev Gorman (781-233-8306) or Corinne Riley (781-231-7995).

### **The 12 Days of Christmas Fundraising**

**Calendar:** All registered parishioners should have received three Christmas Fundraising Calendars by now. If possible, we hope that you will make a donation for these calendars. If you should need more of them, please let us know. Thank you for your help in this effort.

**The Grand Annual Collection:** For the past several years, the Parish has asked your support of this collection. A parish wide mailing has been sent to all registered households asking once again to support this Parish collection which is used entirely to support our Parish programs and property.

The annual St. Vincent de Paul **Blanket Drive** at St. Margaret will take place in December. New blankets, as well as clean usable older blankets, are needed. The Saint Vincent de Paul society wishes to thank everyone who donated socks at their recent sock drive.



**Advent Wreath Making:** The Third Annual Advent Wreath Making and Blessing will be held on Sunday, November

30, in the Lower Church Hall at Blessed Sacrament. We will begin at 2:00 p.m. so that all participants will be finished creating their wreaths at approximately the same time for the blessing that follows. (Materials for the wreaths will not be distributed before 2:00 p.m.) The cost will be \$5 per wreath, which will cover the cost of all materials and supplies. Refreshments will be provided! In order to assist us in providing the necessary supplies and refreshments, please fill out the form at the entrances of the church and return to either rectory at Blessed Sacrament or St. Margaret. We also need assistance with the set-up and clean-up. Please volunteer your time if you are able to do that. Come join the fun!

**Expectant Parents' Blessing:** Advent is a season of joyful expectancy; therefore, it is a wonderful time to invoke God's blessing upon expectant parents. Awaiting the birth or adoption of a child is both a time of joyful waiting and some anxiety. Let the Lord and the Church community reach out to you with a blessing of support, comfort, and reassurance. We invite all expectant parents to attend the 10:30 a.m. Mass at Blessed Sacrament on December 14. At this Mass, expectant parents will receive a blessing and a small gift. Family members who are able to attend will also receive a blessing. *"It was you who created my inmost self, and put me together in my mother's womb. You know me through and through from having watched my bones take shape when I was being formed in secret, knitted together in the limbo of the womb."* Psalm 139



**ST. PAUL CENTER  
FOR BIBLICAL THEOLOGY**

*By Dr. Scott Hahn*

### **Members of the Wedding**

According to marriage customs of Jesus' day, a bride was first "betrothed" to her husband but continued for a time to live with her family. Then, at the appointed hour, some months later, the groom would come to claim her, leading her family and bridal party to the wedding feast that would celebrate and inaugurate their new life together.

This is the background to the parable of the last judgment we hear in today's Gospel.

In the parable's symbolism, Jesus is the Bridegroom (see Mark 2:19). In this, He fulfills God's ancient promise to join himself forever to His chosen people as a husband cleaves to his bride (see Hosea 2:16-20). The virgins of the bridal party represent us, the members of the Church.

We were "betrothed" to Jesus in baptism (see 2 Corinthians 11:2; Ephesians 5:25-27) and are called to lives of holiness and devotion until He comes again to lead us to the heavenly wedding feast at the end of time (see Revelation 19:7-9; 21:1-4).

As St. Paul warns in today's Epistle, Jesus is coming again, though we know not the day nor the hour.

We need to keep vigil throughout the dark night of this time in which our Bridegroom seems long delayed. We need to keep our souls' lamps filled with the oil of perseverance and desire for God - virtues that are extolled in today's First Reading and Psalm.

We are to seek Him in love, meditating upon His kindness, calling upon His name, striving to be ever more worthy of Him, to be found without spot or blemish when He comes.

If we do this, we will be counted as wise and the oil for our lamps will not run dry (see 1 Kings 17:16). We will perceive the Bridegroom, the Wisdom of God (see Proverbs 8:22-31,35; 9:1-5), hastening toward us, beckoning us to the table He has prepared, the rich banquet which will satisfy our souls.

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### TRUE or FALSE ?

1. Jacob stopped for the night at a shrine.
2. Jacob had a dream while he slept.
3. He dreamed of angels and devils fighting.
4. He saw a stairway reaching to the heavens.
5. The stairway was entirely deserted.
6. Satan whispered into Jacob's ear.
7. Zacchaeus was a chief tax collector.
8. Zacchaeus was a big man.
9. Zacchaeus climbed onto a roof to see Jesus.
10. People thought that Zacchaeus was a sinner.

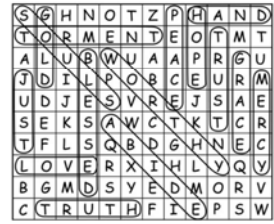
#### ANSWERS

1 true, 2 true, 3 false, 4 true, 5 false, 6 false, 7 true, 8 false, 9 false, 10 true.

### CROSSWORD

(Most answers are in today's readings)

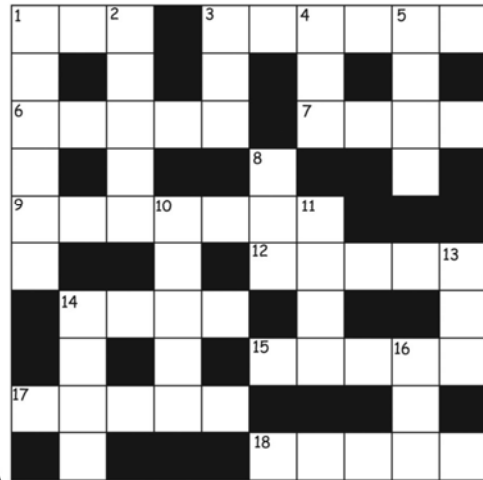
Last week's wordsearch



#### CLUES ACROSS

1. It shines
3. Jacob took one for a pillow
6. Correct
7. Missing
9. Large groups of people
12. This planet
14. Top part of the body
15. To pay back
17. Heavenly light and strength
18. We drink this

#### CLUES DOWN



1. A place of worship
2. Follows day
3. Put in place
4. Used in anointing
5. The sun rises there
8. First numeral above zero
10. Father of Jacob
11. Rescue
13. Dried grass
14. Hurt; damage
16. Wonder

### PICTURE PUZZLE

THE READING: GENESIS 28: 11-18

JACOB'S DREAM

THESE ITEMS ARE HIDDEN IN THE PICTURE. CAN YOU FIND THEM?

