## Two kinds of laughter

When Sarah heard that she should become pregnant she laughed with scorn because she thought the idea was ridiculous; when Sarah had given birth she laughed with joy because she was so happy.

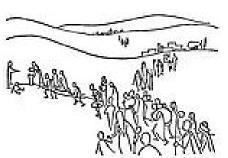
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# Gonet Balletin

Second Sunday after Pentecost June II, 2023



### Today's lessons:

Genesis 18:1-15 (21:1-7)

Many years after Abraham had received God's promise to make him 'father of many nations', God comes to Abraham in the form of three strangers who announce that soon Sarah will give birth to a son. In chapter 21 the promise is finally fulfilled.

Psalm 116:1-2, 12-19 Romans 5:1-8 I praise God because he has listened to me. Through Jesus Christ, we who were God's enemies have peace with God.

Matthew 9:35—10:8 (9-23)

When Jesus sees the number of people who need his help he sends out his disciples as his authorised representatives, to multiply his ministry.



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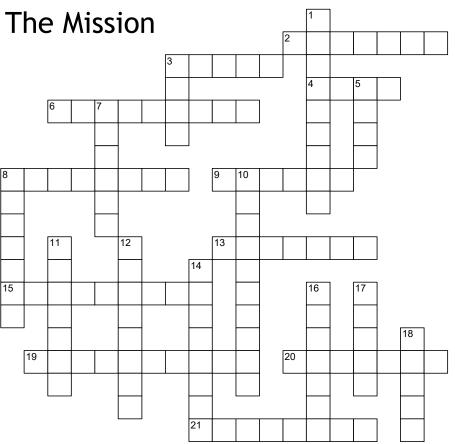
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MATTHEW 9:35-16:0



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### **Across**

- 2 illness
- 3 large number of people in one place
- 4 big town
- 6 lawful power or control
- 8 without protection or support
- 9 the people of the First Covenant
- 13 money given in exchange for a good or service
- 15 Jewish place of worship
- 19 pity
- 20 person who does hard work
- 21 someone tending to a flock

### Down

- 1 Jesus' followers
- heal
- 5 compactly settled area
- 7 number of disciples sent out by Jesus
- 8 crop
- 10 people who lived in the area between Galilee and Judea
- 11 area where a monarch rules
- 12 make known
- 14 non-Jews
- 16 purify
- 17 evil spirit
- 18 instruct

# Surprising turn of event

Often we take it for granted that God loves us, no matter what. But Paul reminds us that God's unconditional love should surprise us: he has done for us what we would not do for others!

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