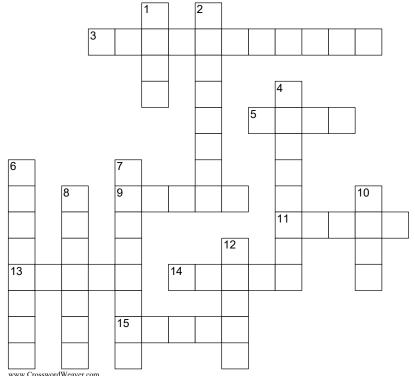
### Intercession

It really seems as if Moses can't leave the Israelites alone for one moment without them turning away from God.

Lucky for them that Moses doesn't decide to leave them to their own devices, but instead talks to God on their behalf!



#### Across

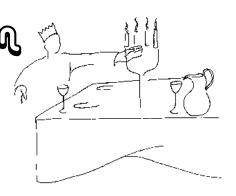
- 3 stubborn
- 5 metal often used for rings
- 9 picture
- where sacrifices to a god are made
- 13 led Israel out of Egypt
- 14 Moses' brother
- 15 Where the Israelites lived as slaves

### Down

- 1 take someone's life
- 2 aift to God
- 4 opposite of 'valley'
- 6 keep in mind
- 7 catastrophe
- 8 adore
- 10 young ox
- 12 anger

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#### Today's lessons:

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Exodus 32:1-14 While Moses is on Mount Sinai, receiving the Ten

Commandments, the people get Aaron to make a god they can see, the Golden Calf. When Moses returns, he tries to save the people from God's

anger.

Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23 It's amazing how God continues to love his people in spite of all the stupid and wicked things they

keep on doing.

Philippians 4:1-9 At the end of his letter from prison, the apostle Paul reminds the Philippians to lead lives that reflect

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invitation to a royal wedding. Everything's ready, only the guests don't show up. Instead of spoiling the whole celebration, new guests are invited; hopefully they appreciate the honour more than the

original ones!



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## A Letter From Behind Bars

It's a strange message from someone who is sitting in prison: no fresh underwear, no cigarettes, no files in a cake, but this is what Paul wants from the Philippians:

# BENEVOLENT GRUNTERS OK TEENY-WEENY SOLO.

No, the man has not gone mental, but his message has been scrambled, so that the prison guards won't know what it's all about. Do you?!


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are often just as stupid and wicked as the Israelites making the As we, God's people by baptism, are often just as s Golden Calf, Psalm 106 is a good song for us, too.

about us than we think about him: (This puzzle is based on the text of Evangelical Lutheran Worship) may think more

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