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## The Presentation of Christ in the Temple 2 February, 2025

### Luke 2:27

Guided by the Spirit, Simeon came into the temple; and when the parents brought in the child Jesus, to do for him what was customary under the law

Dear God, just as You're faithful to keep Your promises, help us be faithful in keeping our promises. In Jesus' name, **amen.**



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



V	C	Y	U	K	S	N	Z	W	O	X	R	H	M	G	D	I	Q	T	P	J	F	L	B	A	E
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. 21-26-6-4-6 \_\_\_\_\_
2. 21-10-6-26-20-13 \_\_\_\_\_
3. 14-25-12-3 \_\_\_\_\_
4. 6-17-14-26-10-7 \_\_\_\_\_
5. 16-26-1-10-4-19 \_\_\_\_\_
6. 19-26-14-20-23-26 \_\_\_\_\_
7. 2-13-17-23-16 \_\_\_\_\_
8. 20-12-10-14-17-6-26-16 \_\_\_\_\_

MARY	CHILD	PROMISED	DEVOUT
JESUS	TEMPLE	JOSEPH	SIMEON



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

SPIRIT	RIGHTEOUS	PRAISED	COURTS	TEMPLE
CHILD	DEVOUT	LIGHT	JOSEPH	JESUS
PARENTS	SALVATION	ISRAEL	REVEALED	PIGEONS
SIMEON	PROMISED	DOVES	SACRIFICE	MARY

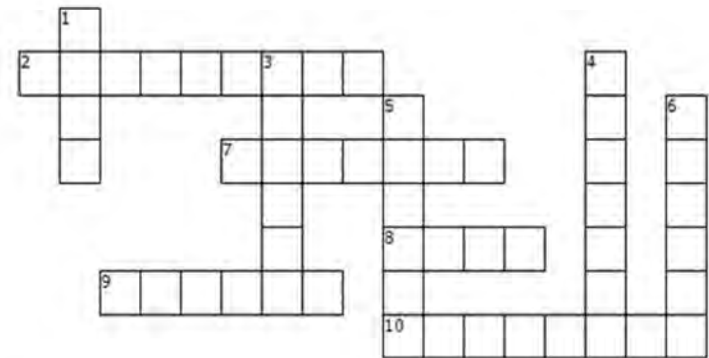




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### ACROSS

2. Deliverance from the penalty of sin
7. Something you said that you would do
8. The organs for seeing in the faces of humans and animals
9. A building dedicated to religious ceremonies or worship
10. The town where Mary, Joseph, and Jesus lived

### DOWN

1. The mother of Jesus
3. The homeland of the Jewish people
4. A person who is not Jewish
5. The man who was promised he would not die until he had seen the Messiah
6. The earthly father of Jesus

TEMPLE	SALVATION	MARY	NAZARETH	ISRAEL
SIMEON	JOSEPH	GENTILE	PROMISE	EYES