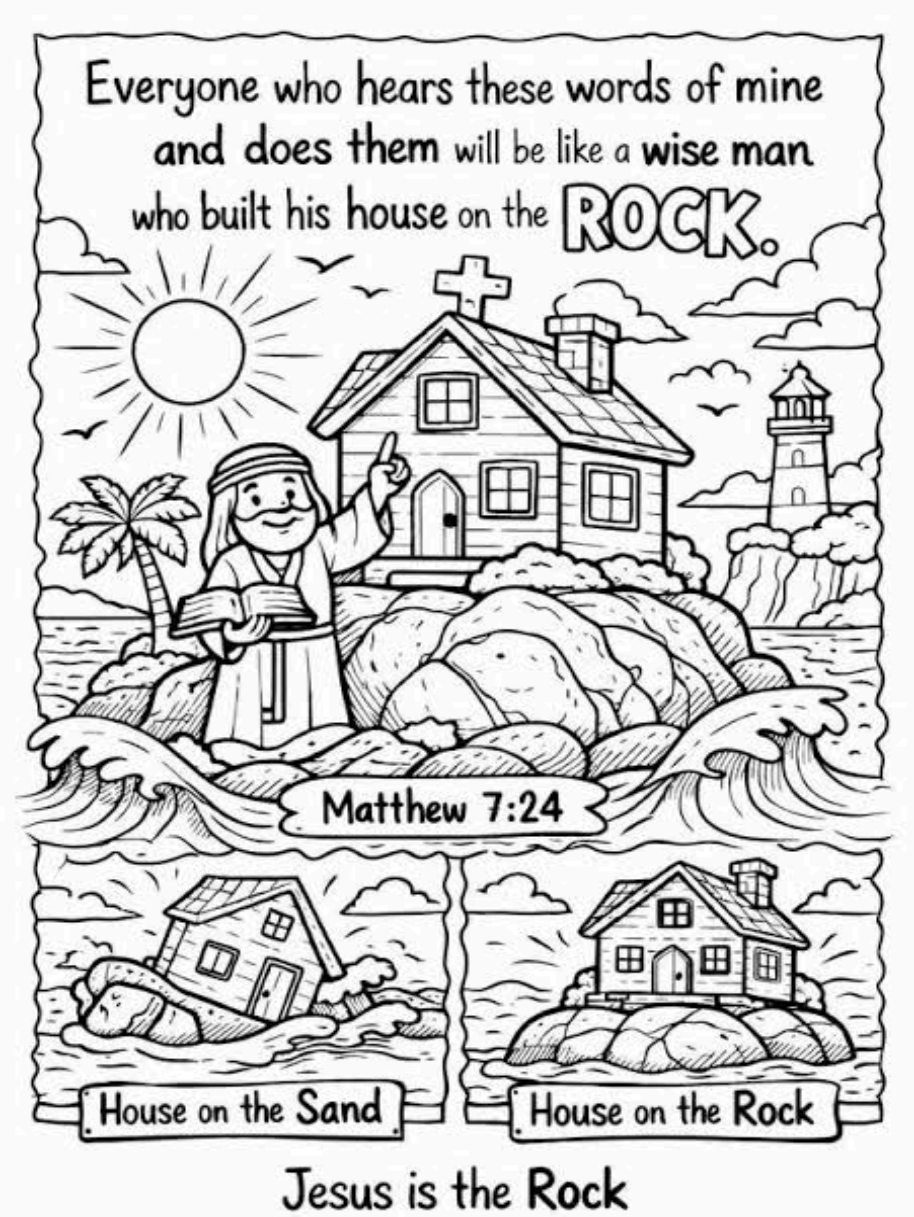
October 24

Everyone that heareth these sayings of mine, and doeth them not, shall be likened unto a foolish man, which built his house upon the sand. *Matthew 7:26*

God's teachings in the Bible are the foundation upon which we build our lives; they are true and never change. But sand shifts, and strong winds can destroy anything built upon it. Let us base our lives on the firm foundation of God's Word, rather than on the creeds and traditions of men. Luke 6:49

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Insert the vowels; ‘a, e, i, o, and u,’ into the words from Luke 6:46-49 ERV. Try to identify the words without looking up the scripture.

"Why d__ y__ __ c__ll m__, ' L__rd, L__rd,' b__t y__ __ d__n't d__ wh__t __ s__y?

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"B__t th__ p__ __pl__ wh__ h__ __r my w__rds __nd d__ n__t ob__y __r__ l__k__ __ m__n wh__ b__ __lds __ h__ __s__ w__th__ __t pr__p__r__ng __ f__ __nd__t__ __n. Wh__n th__ fl__ __ds c__m__, th__ h__ __s__ f__lls d__wn __ __s__ly __nd __s c__mpl__t__ly d__str__y__d."

A favorite song, based on Matthew 7:24-26, is an energetic song that helps us to keep close to Jesus. Below are the lyrics to the song. For the melody, you can look up the song on Youtube and follow along with a joyful noise.

The Wise Man Built His House

The wise man built his house upon the rock.
The wise man built his house upon the rock.
The wise man built his house upon the rock,
And the rains came tumbling down.

The rains came down and the floods came up,
The rains came down and the floods came up,
The rains came down and the floods came up,
And the wise man's house stood firm.

The foolish man built his house upon the sand.
The foolish man built his house upon the sand.
The foolish man built his house upon the sand.
And the rains came tumbling down.

The rains came down and the floods came up,
The rains came down and the floods came up,
The rains came down and the floods came up,
And the foolish man's house went splat!

So build your house on the Lord Jesus Christ!
So build your house on the Lord Jesus Christ!
So build your house on the Lord Jesus Christ!
And the blessings will come down.

The blessing will come down as the prayers go up.
The blessing will come down as the prayers go up.
The blessing will come down as the prayers go up.
So build your house on the Lord Jesus Christ.