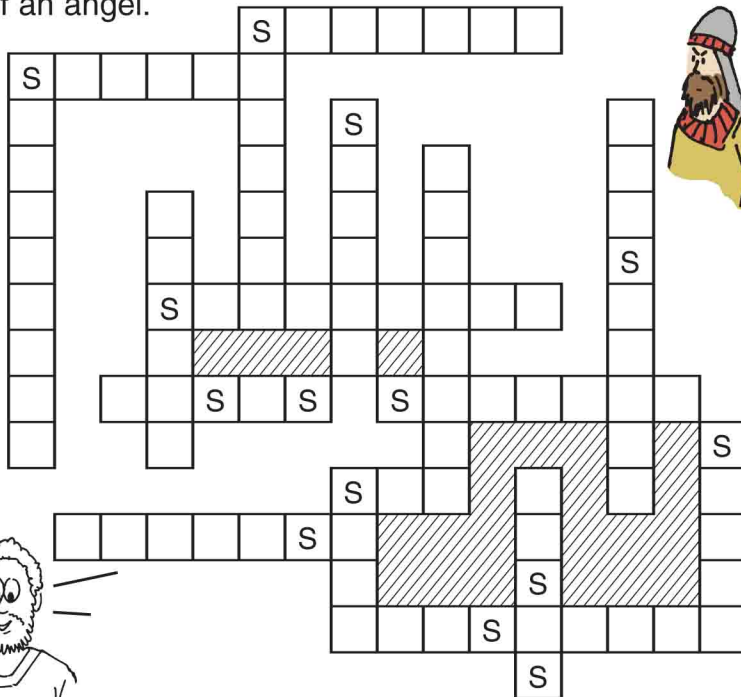




God's workers often run into serious difficulties, but God is always with them.

Fit all the capitalized words in the story into the crossword.

Members of the SYNAGOGUE argued with STEPHEN but could not STAND up AGAINST his WISDOM or the SPIRIT by whom he spoke. They SECRETLY PERSUADED false witnesses to SAY "We have heard Stephen speak BLASPHEMY against MOSES." They STIRRED up the people, SEIZED Stephen and brought him before the SANHEDRIN. They complained he would not STOP saying that JESUS would change the customs that MOSES had handed down to them. All who were SITTING there saw that his face was like the face of an angel.



Ages 7-12

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Seven Leaders Chosen

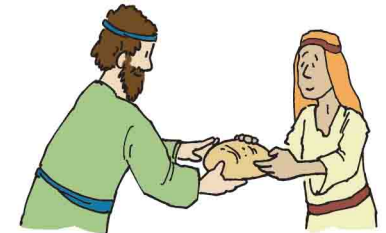
As the numbers of people in the church at Jerusalem increased, so did the responsibilities of the apostles who led the church.

Supply the same letter in every blank to complete the story.



In those ___ays when the number of ___isciples was increasing, the Grecian Jews complained ___ because their wi___ows were overloo___ in the ___aily ___istribution of foo___.

The 12 apostles sai___, "It woul___ not be right for us to neglect the ministry of the Wor___ of Go___ in or___er to wait on tables."



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The 12 apostles looked for 7 helpers who could take care of daily church tasks while the apostles preached God's Word.

Find and circle the names of the 7 helpers that were chosen for the apostles.

Stephen Philip Procorus
Nicanor Timon Parmenas Nicolas

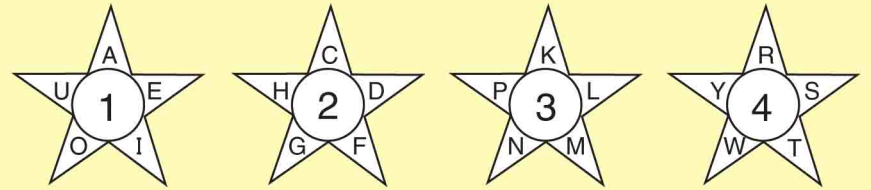


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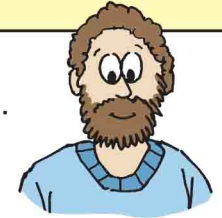


One of the 7 men had an outstanding reputation in Jerusalem.

Use the code to find who it was and what he did.



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and _____

... did _____

and _____

... _____ with _____