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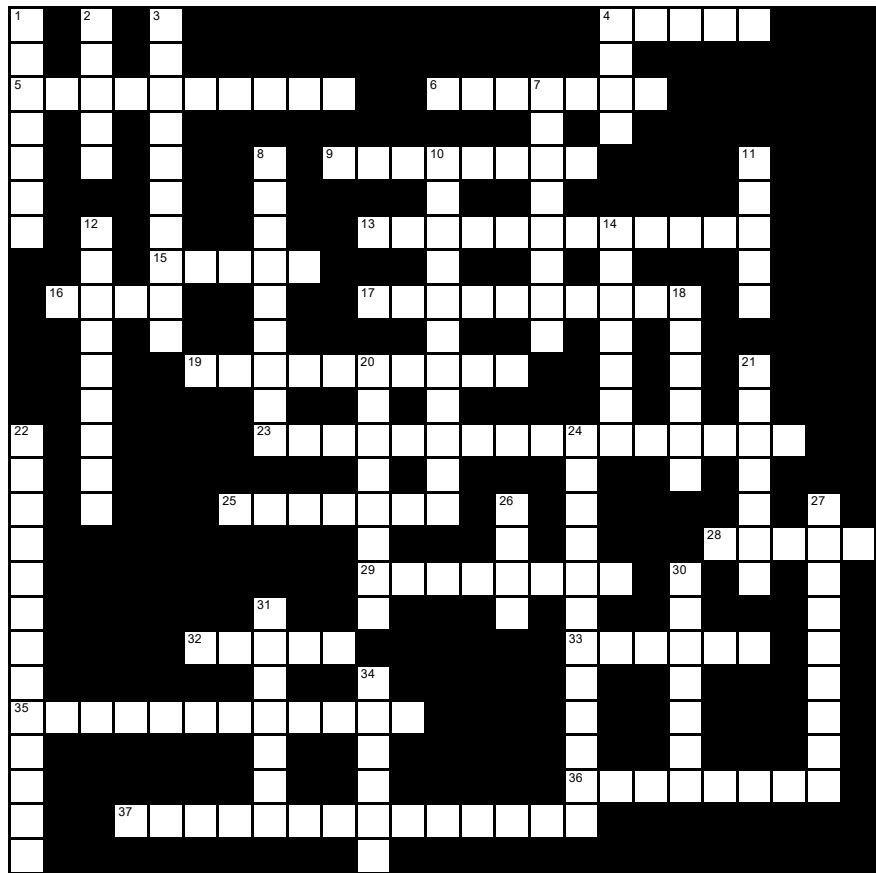
Encountering Jesus in the New Testament
Chapter 6 The Gospel of Matthew

Date _____

Across

- 4 This parable shows that despite opposition and indifference to Jesus' message, the Kingdom of Heaven will have success (5)
- 5 Jesus is the master teacher whose five _____ given during the Sermon on the Mount address how to live as a Christian (10)
- 6 The baptismal _____: "in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the holy Spirit" (7)
- 9 Infidelity in marriage whereby a married person has sexual intercourse with someone who is not the person's spouse (8)
- 13 Tradition attributes the Gospel of Matthew to Levi, the _____, who became one of the Twelve Apostles (3,9)
- 15 Jesus accepts his confession of him as the Christ on the road to Caesarea Philippi (5)
- 16 Anti-Semitism is a form of prejudice against _____ (4)
- 17 Eight blessings preached by Jesus in the Sermon on the Mount that respond to the natural human desire for happiness (10)
- 19 Matthew's audience was predominantly Greek-speaking Jewish Christians interested in how Jesus fulfilled the _____ of Hebrew Scriptures (10)
- 23 Jesus' first discourse in Matthew's Gospel (6,2,3,5)
- 25 In this parable Jesus teaches the importance of making good use of the time the Lord has provided (7)
- 28 The Gospel makes both implicit and explicit connections between _____ and Jesus (5)
- 29 Jesus teaches that mere _____ observance of the Law is not enough (8)
- 32 Scholars believe that Matthew was written in _____ sometime in the 80s for a predominantly _____-speaking Jewish Christian church (same word in both blanks) (5)
- 33 Matthew is the only Gospel in which the word for _____ (ekklesia) appears (6)
- 35 Small leather capsules that are fastened on the forehead or on the upper left arm of Jewish men which contain miniature scrolls with four passages from Jewish law (12)
- 36 A sustained comparison where many story elements correspond to some reality outside the story (8)
- 37 A term having to do with the end times or the "last things" (14)

Down



- 1 Matthew has the most references to the Old Testament and _____ of the four Gospels (7)
- 2 The head of the Church (5)
- 3 Means "revelation" or "unveiling" (10)
- 4 A simile used by Jesus to describe his followers: "the _____ of the earth" (4)
- 7 The Gospel of Matthew presents Jesus' teachings on judgment, messiahship, the Church, and _____ (8)
- 8 A list of criticisms leveled by Jesus against the Pharisees and scribes in Matthew 23:13-36 (5,4)
- 10 The law of reasonable retaliation, a system of strict justice, of "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth" (3,8)
- 11 Matthew's Gospel is known as the "_____ Gospel" because it is well ordered and contains detailed teaching lessons (5)
- 12 An unsubstantiated opinion or preformed judgment about an individual or group (9)
- 14 Jesus' final discourse in Matthew's Gospel is sometimes called the eschatological discourse from the Greek word eschaton, which means "_____"
- (3,4)
- 18 Matthew's genealogy presents Jesus as Israel's promised _____ (6)
- 20 Means "God is with us" (8)
- 21 Jesus knows the intimate connection between the Church and God's _____ (7)
- 22 Jesus warns about these people who vie for your attention and come from many directions (5,8)
- 24 A structure of sacred leadership, ordained leaders consisting of the pope, bishops, priests, and deacons (12)
- 26 The Gospel of Matthew contains about 80 percent of the text of this other Gospel (4)
- 27 Matthew's Gospel begins with a _____ of Jesus, tracing his ancestry to both David and Abraham (9)
- 30 A short story that illustrates a moral or spiritual lesson (7)
- 31 The Jewish term for "hell" (7)
- 34 Matthew's audience was struggling to discover how Judaism could continue now that the _____ was destroyed (6)