

# THE JOURNEY JOURNAL

 February 2021 Edition

**Welcome** to the February 2021 Edition of The Journey Journal! Here is a quick list of what you can find in this month's newsletter: Reminders, Black History Month, President's Day, Pray With Us, Riddles & Games, and an extra Calendar + Coloring Page.

## **Starting Off With a Couple of Reminders:**

1. **Covid-19 Vaccinations:** After months of scientific testing and anticipation, the Covid-19 vaccinations are now finally available. There is high demand for the vaccine and the CDC is releasing the vaccines in phases with those at highest risk getting the vaccinations first and lower risk populations getting the vaccine later in the year. If you are planning on taking the vaccine here are some helpful links to register for the vaccine. You can search for appointments at each location, as they become available.

<https://covidvaccine.nj.gov/>

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2. **Remember:** Mask mandates and social distancing should still be followed even after vaccination to keep everyone safe!

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# Black History Month



February is Black History Month; a month where we take the time to acknowledge the hard work and accomplishments of millions of black Americans. Though they have not always been acknowledged by American society, black Americans have contributed boundless amounts of hard work, knowledge, and creativity that have helped shape our society. Everyday we are surrounded by black inventions such as the ironing board which Sarah Boone, a black inventor, designed, or the three-light traffic light that we see on roads today created by Garret Morgan. This Black History Month, and everyday, it is important to recognize the lasting impact that black Americans have made on our society. Equally important is to recognize discrimination in our daily lives and actively work to eliminate it so that everyone can enjoy equal rights and freedom.

For information on the history of Black History Month visit:  
<https://www.history.com/topics/black-history/black-history-month>

# Remembering Past & Present Presidents



Presidents' Day is a federal holiday celebrated on the third Monday in February; Presidents' Day 2021 will occur on Monday, February 15. Originally established in 1885 in recognition of President George Washington, the holiday became popularly known as Presidents' Day after it was moved as part of 1971's Uniform Monday Holiday Act, an attempt to create more three day weekends for the nation's workers. While several states still have individual holidays honoring the birthdays of Washington, Abraham Lincoln and other figures, Presidents' Day is now popularly viewed as a day to celebrate all U.S. presidents, past and present.

# Pray With Us

Let Us Pray:

Loving God, we know that You are the provider of all things. We pray this month as we start with a new President that You Lord, protect and guide our President and all of those around him. We ask that each leader honor Your holy name that they may be filled with wisdom. We ask today Lord that each of us be able to trust more and forgive more. Help us to show our neighbor what love really looks like. We know that only love can transform an enemy into a friend. As Martin Luther King Jr. said “darkness cannot drive out darkness; only light can do that. Hate cannot drive out hate; only love can do that”. You, Lord, are the Light, help us let Your Light shine brightly through us onto others so that hate no longer exists.

Lead us O Lord away from ignorance, fear, racism and all other injustices. Guide us to be thy perfect light. Shine brightly my friends!

Pastor Carol

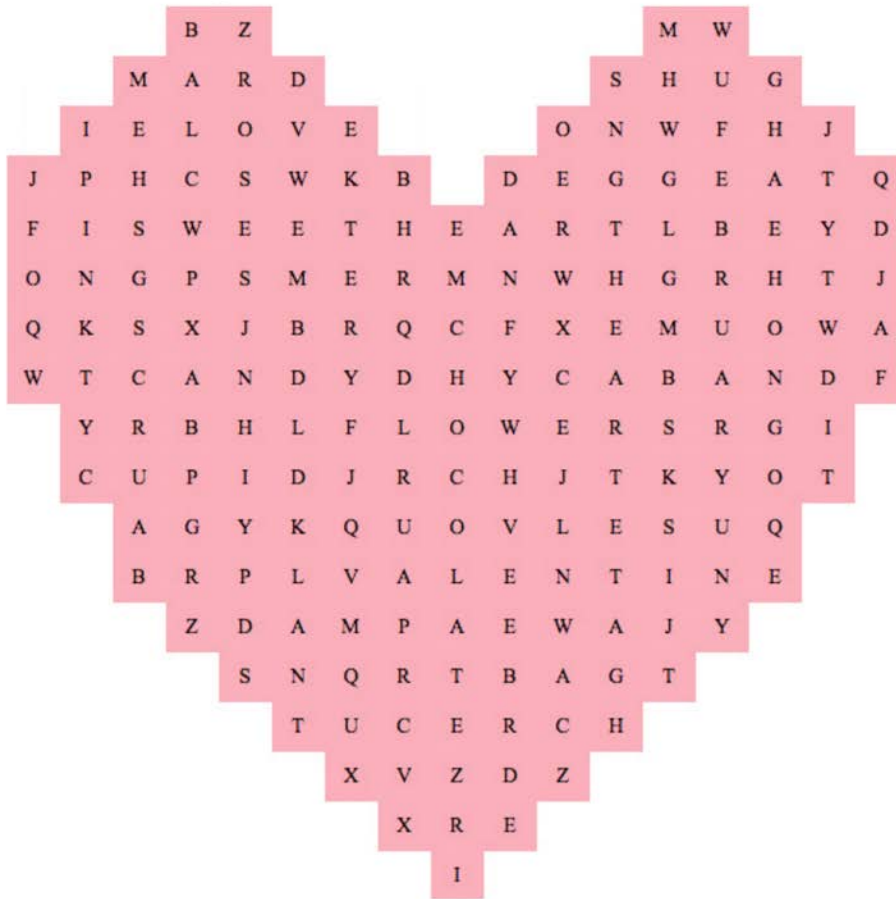
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# Riddles & Games



## Word Search

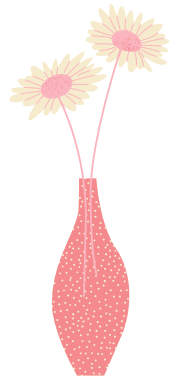
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- HUG
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- HEART
- SWEETHEART
- CARD
- SWEET

## Math Squares

### Fill in the missing numbers

The missing values are the whole numbers between 1 and 9. Each number is only used once. Each row and column is a math equation. Remember that multiplication and division are performed before addition and subtraction.

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# FEBRUARY

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