

# The Five Churches Statue Twist

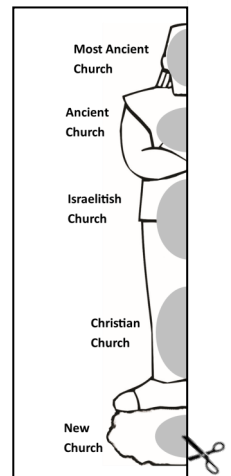
Learn the correspondences of the statue seen by Nebuchadnezzar in the book Daniel. The statue and the rock that destroyed it each represent one of the Five Churches described in the Writings of Emanuel Swedenborg. In turn these churches correspond to major figures in the Word, times of the day and year, the ages of a person's life and various metals.

By twisting the two pieces of this project around their own arm, students will learn which of these things match the churches.

**Materials Needed:** cardstock or other heavy paper for printing, scissors, tape or glue.

## Directions:

1. Print on cardstock or other heavy paper.
2. Fold statue page in half along the dotted line.
3. While paper is folded, cut out the gray ovals as shown. Cutting does not need to be exact.
4. Line a blank piece of cardstock along the gray line on the statue page and tape or glue. For smooth sliding, you may want to tape along the whole back of the join.
5. Line a blank piece of cardstock along the gray line on the words page and tape or glue. For smooth sliding, you may want to tape along the whole front of the join.
6. Wrap the words page around a child's forearm with the words on the outside. Cut off any excess and tape the ends together, being careful not to cover up any of the words.
7. Wrap the statue page around the outside of the word paper. It should be tight enough not to fall off, but loose enough that it can turn around the arm while the word paper stays still. Cut off excess paper and tape the ends together.
8. As students twist the statue paper around their arm, the words associated with each church will appear in the cut out spaces.



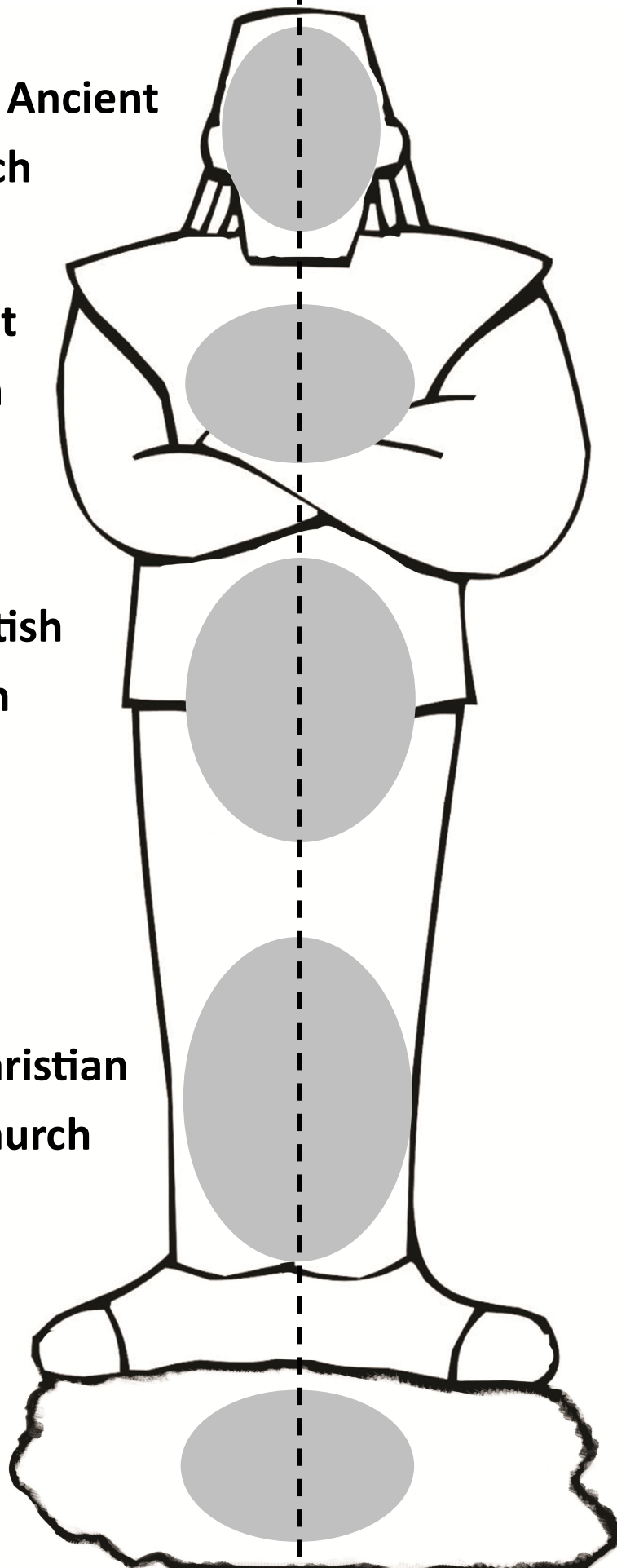
**Most Ancient  
Church**

**Ancient  
Church**

**Israelitish  
Church**

**Christian  
Church**

**New  
Church**



Infancy

Gold

Spring

Dawn

Adam

Childhood

Silver

Summer

Noon

Noah

Adulthood

Bronze

Autumn

Afternoon

Moses

Old Age

Iron

Winter

Night

Jesus

Resurrection

Rock

Eternal  
Spring

New Dawn

Holy City