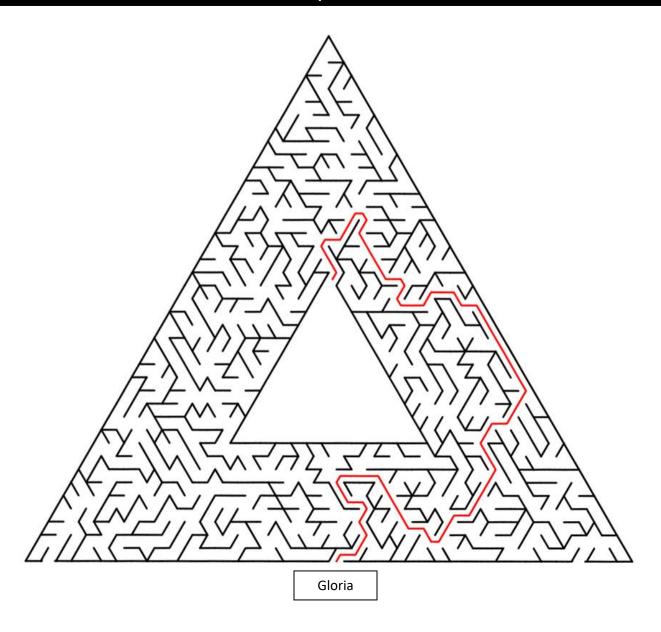
Pre-Advent / December 2



First SUNDAY of Advent / December 3

Advent Wreath

1st Sunday: Dec 10

3rd Sunday: Dec 17

4th Sunday: Dec 24

Creation

Day 7—The SABBATH
Day of Rest and Worship

Day 6

Day 2

Day 5

Day 1

Day 1

Day 4

Mass coloring page

candles lit at Mass: 1

Time

Color of lit candle: Violet (purple)

Mass Quiz

- 1. Violet
- 2. One
- 3. Violet (Purple)
- 4. (BONUS) Gloria (Glory to God in the highest)
- 5. Isaiah
- 6. A.
- 7. Face, saved
- 8. b. Corinthians
- 9. Son
- 10. Mark
- 11. A.

MONDAY / December 4

Creation Part 2

- 1. Be
- 2. fruit
- 3. multiply
- 4. earth
- 5. sub
- 6. have ("half")
- 7. dom ("dome")
- 8. birds
- 9. air
- 10. fish
- 11. sea
- 12. thing

Liturgical Colors

Top Left: White

Top Center: Red

Top Right: Green

Bottom Left: Violet

Bottom Center: Black

Bottom Right: Rose

TUESDAY / December 5

The Fall of Man

- 1. fruit
- 2. evil
- 3. garden
- 4. serpent
- 5. bite
- 6. Genesis
- 7. woman
- 8. sword
- 9. apple
- 10. cherubim
- 11. Bible

First gospel

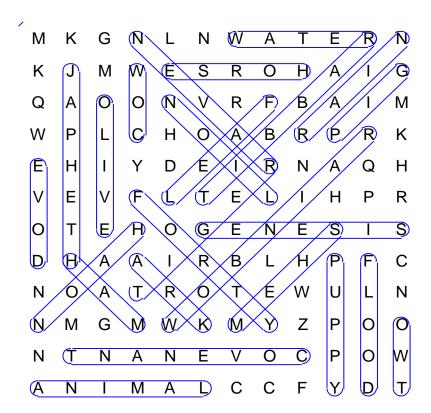
Saint Nicholas Day scramble

The unscrambled words are the following in this order:

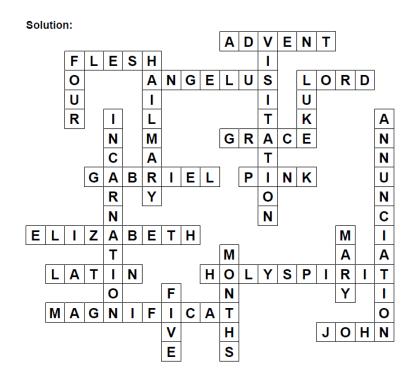
Saint, Nicholas, patron, saint, children, saint, Nicholas, children

WEDNESDAY / December 6

Noah and the Ark



ANGELUS



THURSDAY / December 7

<u>Abram</u>

Plain: ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

Cipher: RZECLUXVOADTYSKQGIJMPFBHNW

Promise #1: "I will make you a great nation."

Promise #2: "I will make your name great." (This means you will have lots of descendants.)

Promise #3: "I will make you a blessing to all the families of the earth."

God also changed Abram's name to what? Abraham (see Genesis 17:4-5)

God also changed Abram's wife's name from Sarai to what? Sarah (see Genesis 17:15-16)

The Immaculate Conception

- 1. St. Anne
- 2. Mary

FRIDAY / December 8

Isaac

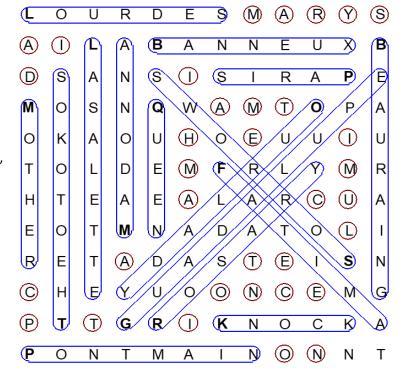
- 1. Isaac
- 2. God
- 3. The wood of the Cross
- 4. An angel
- 5. Noah

Mass Quiz - Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

- 1. White (they could also be gold and silver)
- 2. BONUS: The Gloria (Glory to God in the Highest)
- 3. Genesis
- 4. new; deeds
- 5. a
- 6. resurrection
- 7. Luke
- 8. The Blessed Virgin Mary and the Archangel Gabriel
- 9. Holy Spirit
- 10. c
- 11. BONUS 3: The 1st Joyful Mystery
- 12. BONUS 4: The Angelus

Immaculate Conception word search

Mary said, "I am the immaculate conception"

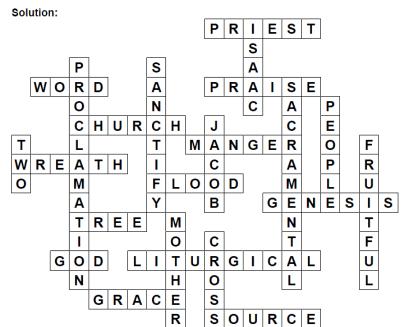


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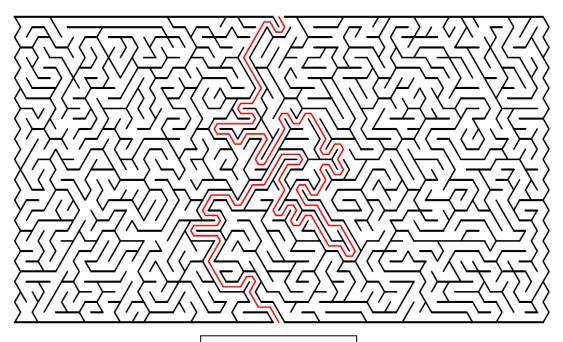
- 1. Annunciation
- 2. The Blessed Virgin Mary and the Archangel Gabriel

SATURDAY / December 9

<u>Jacob</u>



St. Juan Diego



To prove who she was

Second SUNDAY of Advent / December 10

Joseph, Son of Jacob

Tent reminds you of Abraham.

Sticks remind you of Isaac.

Ladder reminds you of Jacob.

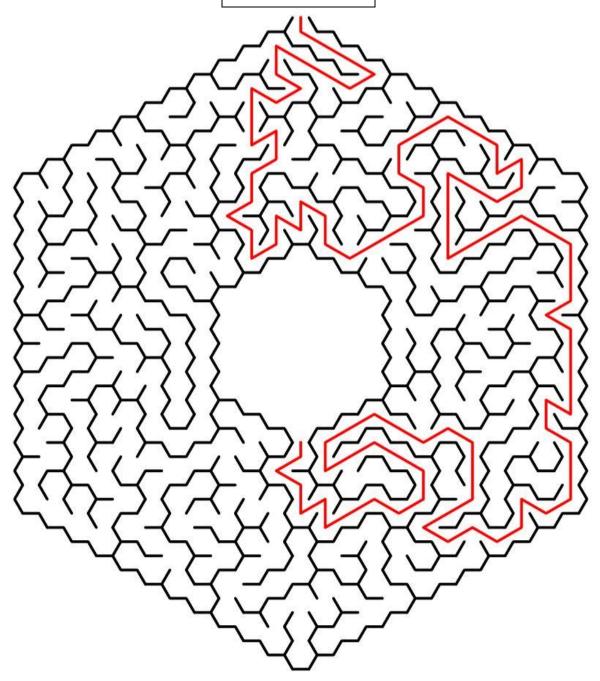
Coat reminds you of Joseph.

Mass Quiz

- 1. Violet (purple)
- 2. Two
- 3. Violet (purple)
- 4. Isaiah
- 5. C
- 6. John the Baptist
- 7. Kindness; salvation
- 8. B
- 9. A
- 10. Mark
- 11. B

MONDAY / December 11

Moses was angry because the Israelites were being



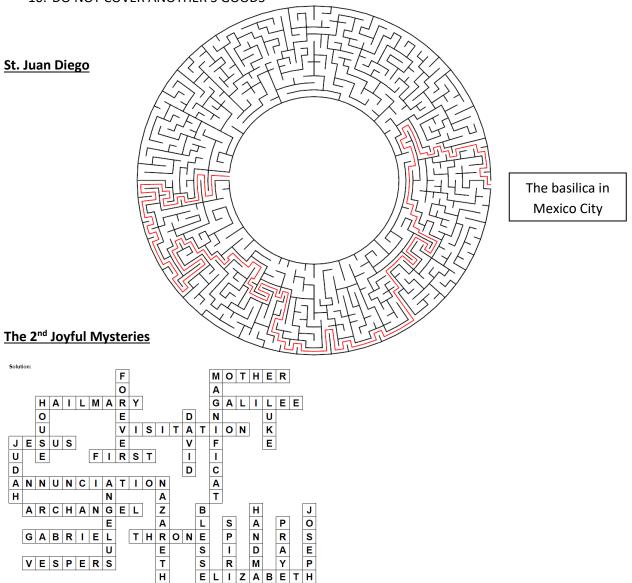
St Juan Diego

- 1. A priest
- 2. He was dying, so he wanted the sacrament of Anointing of the Sick.

TUESDAY / December 12

More about Moses

- 1. HAVE NO OTHER GODS BEFORE ME
- 2. DO NOT ABUSE MY NAME
- 3. KEEP THE SABBATH HOLY
- 4. HONOR YOUR FATHER AND MOTHER
- 5. DO NOT KILL
- 6. DO NOT COMMIT ADULTERY
- 7. DO NOT STEAL
- 8. DO NOT LIE
- 9. DO NOT COVET ANOTHER'S SPOUSE
- 10. DO NOT COVER ANOTHER'S GOODS



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WEDNESDAY / December 13

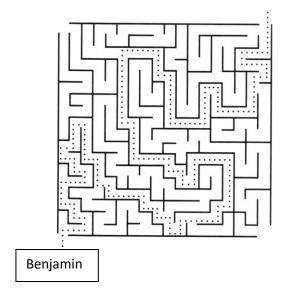
<u>Samuel</u>

Letter jumbles:

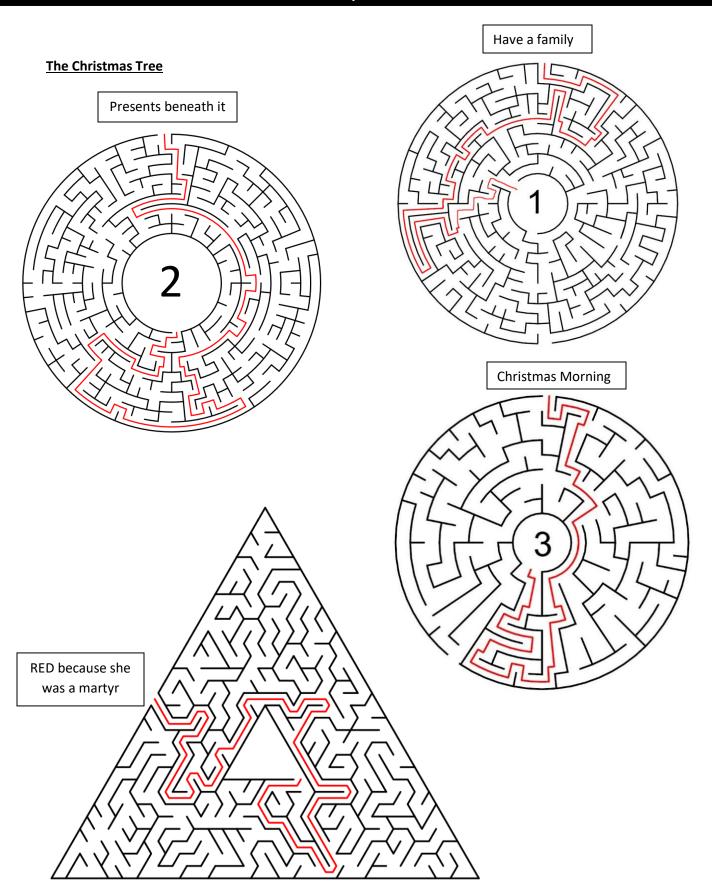
- 1. SPEAK, LORD, FOR THY SERVANT HEARS
- 2. KING OF ISRAEL
- 3. DISOBEYED GOD
- 4. Benjamin

Where God wants Samuel to go:

Jesse (in) Bethlehem



WEDNESDAY / December 13



THURSDAY / December 14

<u>Jesse code-breaker</u>
Bethlehem
Jesse
Anoint
Seven
Field
Sheep
Anoint
David
Jesus
The Holy Rosary
Simeon

FRIDAY / December 15

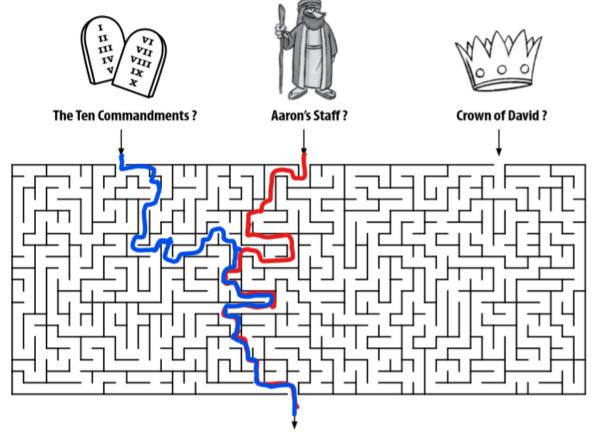
David

- 1. David played the harp (and it helped calm King Saul).
- 2. David became the King of Israel.
- 3. David killed Goliath with a slingshot.
- 4. God!

First 'O Antiphon'

- 1. Dec 17: O Wisdom
- 2. Dec 18: O Lord of Lords
- 3. Dec 19: O Flower of Jesse
- 4. Dec 20: O Key of David
- 5. Dec 21: O Radiant Dawn
- 6. Dec 22: O King of Nations
- 7. Dec 23: O Emmanuel

SATURDAY / December 16



The Ark of the Covenant

Isaiah's Prophecies

- 1. Mighty God
- 2. Throne of David
- 3. There will be no end

Third SUNDAY of Advent / December 17

Candle Color

Rose

Mass Quiz

- 1. Rose (or some may wear violet)
- 2. Three
- 3. 2 purples (violets), 1 rose
- 4. BONUS: Rejoice!
- 5. Isaiah
- 6. A, B, C, & D are all correct
- 7. My God
- 8. Mary
- 9. The Magnificat
- 10. C
- 11. A, B, & C are all correct
- 12. John
- 13. A & C

MONDAY / December 18

Elisha

The slingshot reminds me of David.

The Temple reminds me of Solomon.

The stump reminds me of Jesse.

The crown reminds me of Saul.

The stone tablets remind me of Moses.

The raven reminds me of Elijah.

The Holy Rosary

1st Joyful Mystery: The Annunciation

Two people: Angel Gabriel and Mary

Where: Nazareth

2nd Joyful Mystery: The Visitation

Four people: Mary, Elizabeth, John, and Jesus

3rd Joyful Mystery: The Nativity

Who was present: Mary, Joseph, and Jesus

Where: Bethlehem

4th Joyful Mystery: The Presentation

Five people: Mary, Joseph, Jesus, Simeon, and Anna

Where: Jerusalem

5th Joyful Mystery: Finding Jesus in the Temple

Who else was present: Jesus, Mary, and Joseph

Where: Jerusalem

TUESDAY / December 19

<u>Isaiah</u>

Cryptogram solutions:

Holy, Holy, is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of His glory.

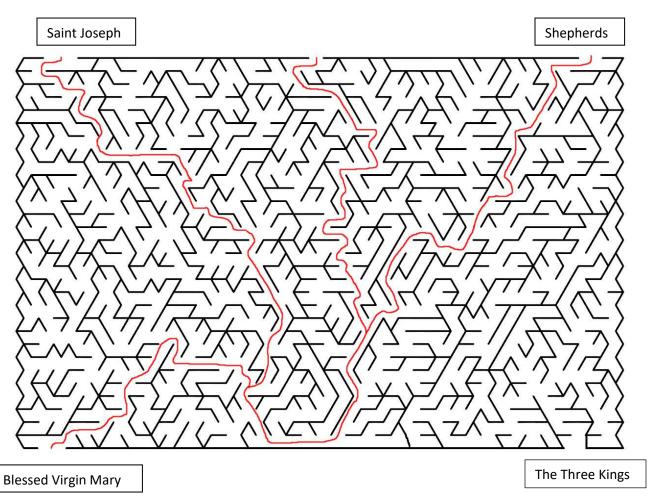
Plain: ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ

Cipher: I W L R F N C Z B U T M X E K O A H Q J D P S Y G H

Where have you heard this? At Mass (just before we kneel down during the Eucharistic Prayer)

Miles to Bethlehem

About 80 miles, perhaps more depending on their route.

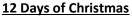


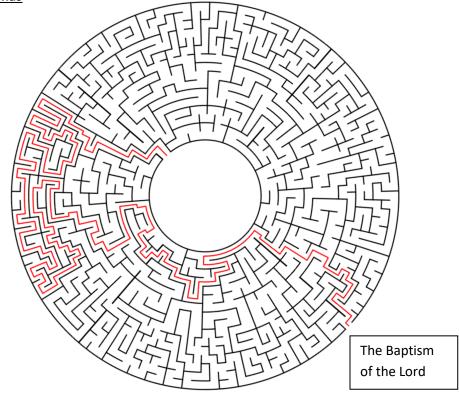
THURSDAY / December 21

Zechariah, Elizabeth, and John the Baptist

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SATURDAY / December 23

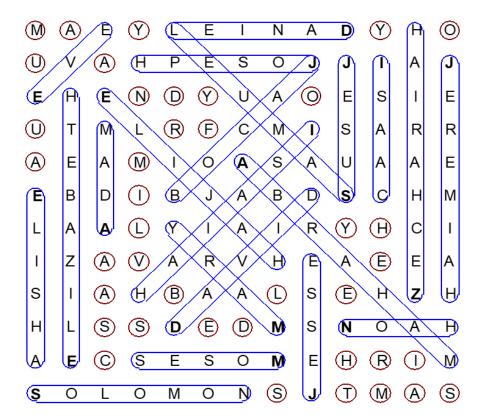
Feasts of the Christmas Season



Fourth SUNDAY in Advent / December 24

Christmas Eve

May you and your family have a blessed Christmas!



Coloring Page

The Annunciation

Mass Quiz

- 1. Violet (purple)
- 2. Four
- 3. 3 violets (purples), 1 rose
- 4. A
- 5. B
- 6. A
- 7. Ever; goodness
- 8. C
- 9. C
- 10. Luke
- 11. Gabriel and Mary
- 12. David
- 13. The first Joyful mystery (the Annunciation)