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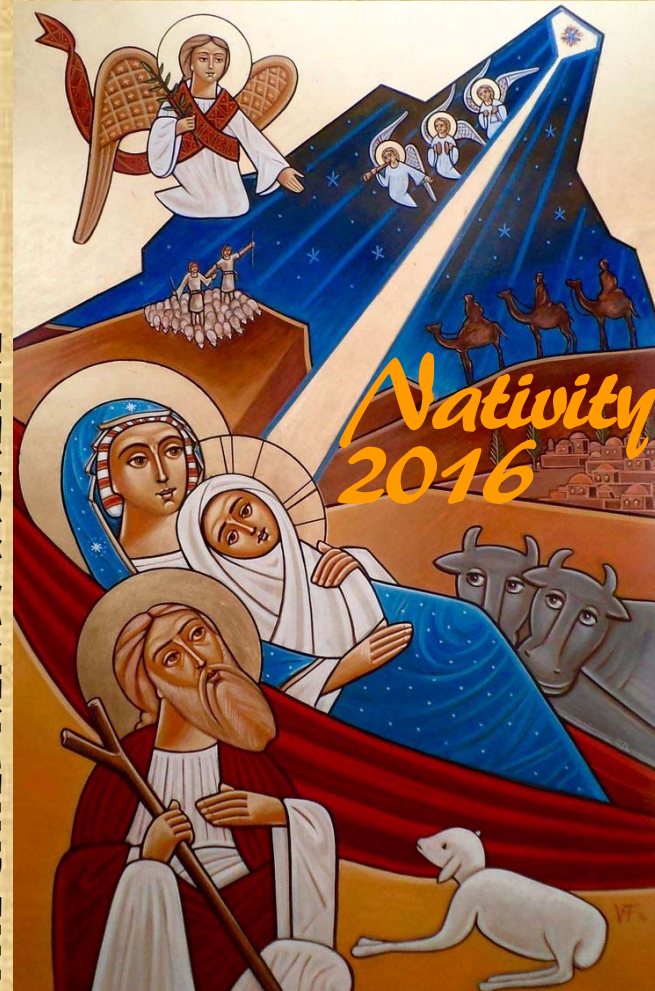
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"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life."

- John 3:16



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# YOUR PAGE



If you need help solving the puzzles in this magazine, feel free to ask your parents, an older brother or sister or anyone else. We really encourage you to try all the puzzles and hand in your magazine.

To hand in your magazine, you can:

- Give your magazine to your Sunday school teacher
- ***St. Mark's Cathedral only:*** Put it in the Contest Box, which is located right beside the Sunday school bulletin board beside the Sunday school rooms. It is black and has a picture of the front cover of this magazine on it.

**Also... Your Own Work and Comments are ALWAYS Welcome!!!**

We want you to hand in pictures, contests, or anything else you would like to share with us.

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# Nativity Word Search

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| DREAM     | MYRRH        | BETHLEHEM |
| JERUSALEM | NAZARETH     | MANGER    |
| STAR      | GOD          | LORD      |
| GREAT     | JEWS         |           |



# Memorization

## The Trisagion



Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, Who was born of the Virgin, have mercy on us.

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, Who was crucified for us, have mercy on us.

Holy God, Holy Mighty, Holy Immortal, Who rose from the dead and ascended into the heavens, have mercy on us.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit, now and forever and unto the ages of all ages. Amen.

O Holy Trinity, have mercy on us. O Holy Trinity, have mercy on us. O Holy Trinity, have mercy on us.

O Lord, forgive us our sins. O Lord, forgive us our iniquities. O Lord, forgive us our trespasses.

O Lord, visit the sick of Your people, heal them for the sake of Your holy name. Our fathers and brothers who have slept, O Lord, repose their souls.

O You Who are without sin, Lord have mercy on us. O You Who are without sin, Lord help us and receive our supplications. For Yours is the glory, the dominion, and triple holiness. Lord have mercy. Lord have mercy. Lord bless. Amen.

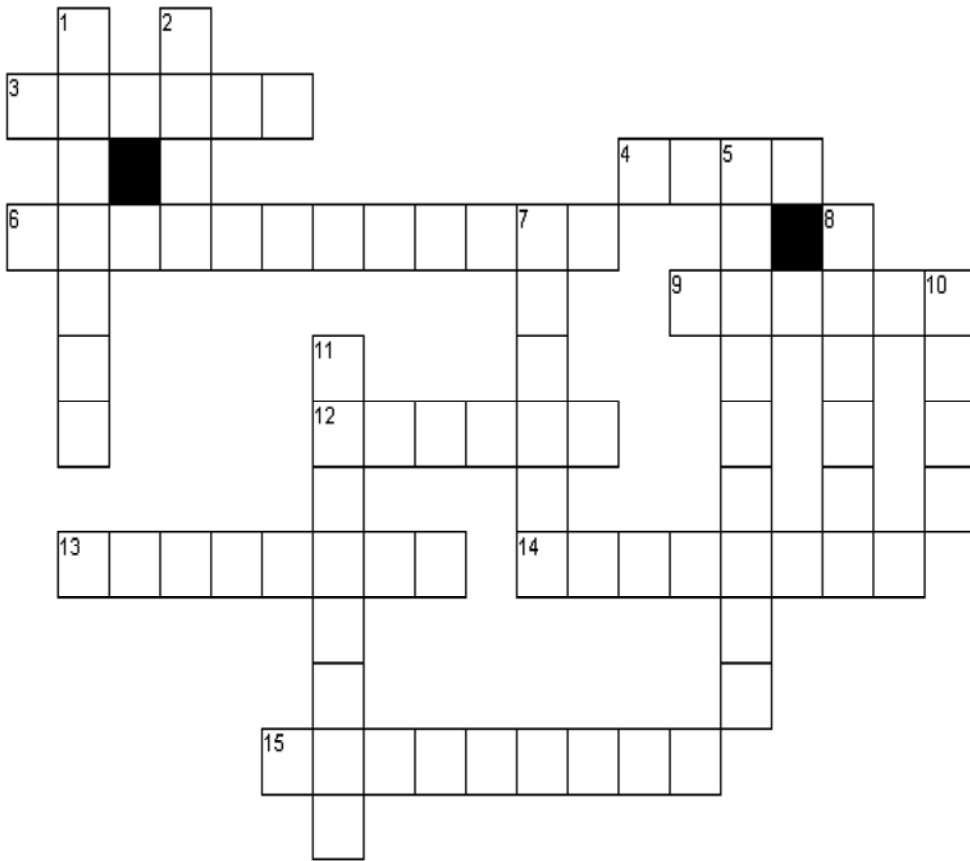
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Date memorization complete: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Nativity Crossword



# Let's Learn Coptic!!!

*My Coptic Church*

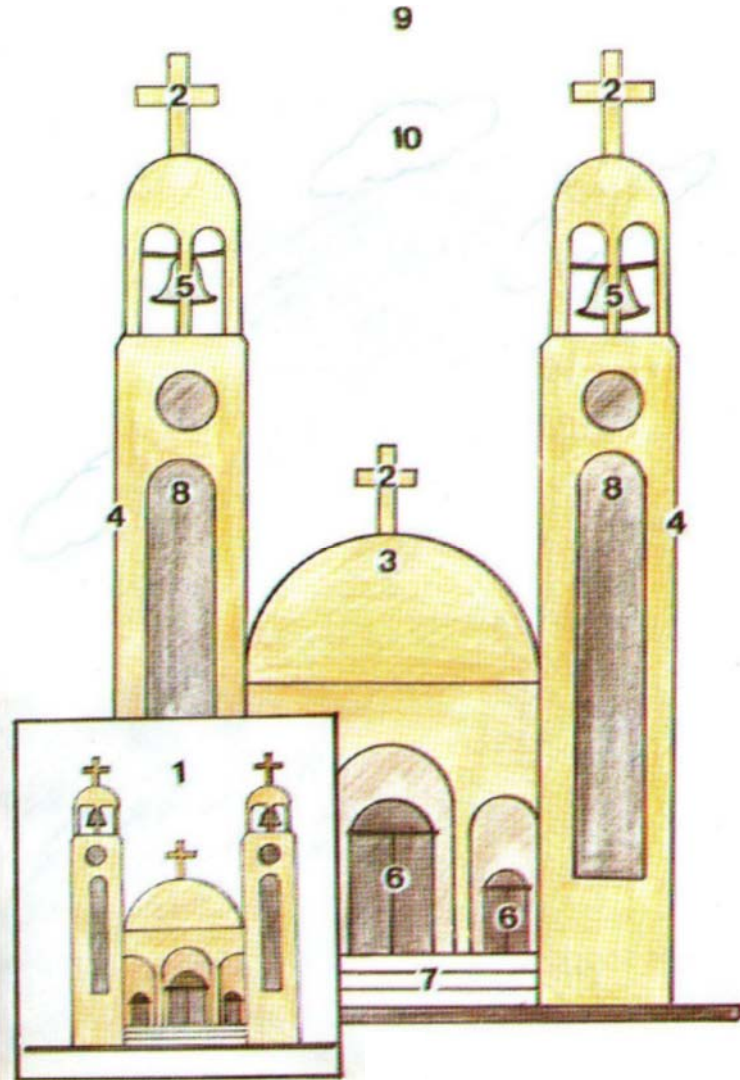
Please see the labels on the picture on page 8 ...  
below are definitions of the labels in Coptic.

	Coptic	Please copy the	Pronuncia-	Meaning in
1	ⲉⲕⲕⲗⲏⲥⲓⲁ	ⲉⲕⲕⲗⲏⲥⲓⲁ	Ti-ek-ek-lee-seya	Church
2	ⲠⲓⲤⲁⲩⲣⲟⲥ	ⲠⲓⲤⲁⲩⲣⲟⲥ	Pi-stav-ros	Cross
3	ⲉⲥⲕⲏⲏⲏ	ⲉⲥⲕⲏⲏⲏ	Ti-es-kee-nee	Dome
4	ⲉⲗⲓⲕⲏⲓⲁ	ⲉⲗⲓⲕⲏⲓⲁ	Ti-li-khnia	Lampstand
5	Ⲡⲓⲩⲉⲕⲉⲗⲕⲓⲗ	Ⲡⲓⲩⲉⲕⲉⲗⲕⲓⲗ	Pi-esh-kel-kil	Bell
6	ⲉⲡⲓⲗⲏ	ⲉⲡⲓⲗⲏ	Ti-pi-li	Door
7	ⲏⲓⲙⲟⲩⲕⲓ	ⲏⲓⲙⲟⲩⲕⲓ	Ni-moo-ki	Stairs
8	ⲟⲩⲕⲁⲑⲏⲟⲩ	ⲟⲩⲕⲁⲑⲏⲟⲩ	Ou-ka-thi-you	Window
9	ⲉⲧⲉ	ⲉⲧⲉ	et-fe	Heaven
10	ⲟⲩⲥⲏⲡⲓ	ⲟⲩⲥⲏⲡⲓ	Ou-chee-pi	Cloud



# Let's Learn Coptic!!!

My Coptic Church



## Nativity Crossword

Answer the following questions to fill in the Nativity Crossword on page 4.

### Across

3. The angel told Mary: "Fear not, Mary: for thou hast found \_\_\_\_\_ with God."
4. The star that led the three wise men to Jesus was pointing in this direction.
6. The three wise men brought Jesus gifts of gold, \_\_\_\_\_, and myrrh.
9. When Mary went to visit Elizabeth, the babe in her womb \_\_\_\_\_ as soon as she heard the salutation of Mary.
12. Jesus was born in a \_\_\_\_\_, because there was no room for him in the inn.
13. Mary's response to the angel was: "Behold the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Lord; be it unto me according to thy word."
14. The angel of God was then sent to the Virgin Mary in a city of Galilee named \_\_\_\_\_.
15. This is the city in which Jesus was born.

### Down

1. Before appearing to Mary, this angel went to Zacharias to declare to him that Elizabeth (his wife) shall bear a son.
2. The angel said that this shall be the name of Zacharias' son.
5. The angel of the Lord appeared to these simple people to announce to them the birth of Jesus.
7. It was revealed unto this man by the Holy Spirit, that he should not see death before he had seen the Lord's Christ.
8. The angel explained to St. Mary that Jesus would be born of the Holy \_\_\_\_\_.
10. Zacharias was made \_\_\_\_\_ for a period of time, because of his lack of belief in the angel's declaration.
11. This means: "God is with us".



# Nativity Word Unscramble

Please read Matthew 1:18—2:23 and Luke 1 & 2 and then unscramble the following words.

- 1) ssuej \_\_\_\_\_
- 2) ryam \_\_\_\_\_
- 3) nmiaelmu \_\_\_\_\_
- 4) spojeh \_\_\_\_\_
- 5) ebmteehlh \_\_\_\_\_
- 6) odhre \_\_\_\_\_
- 7) afsecernknin \_\_\_\_\_
- 8) rymrh \_\_\_\_\_
- 9) erajhmei \_\_\_\_\_
- 10) lahrce \_\_\_\_\_

# Nativity Sudoku

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