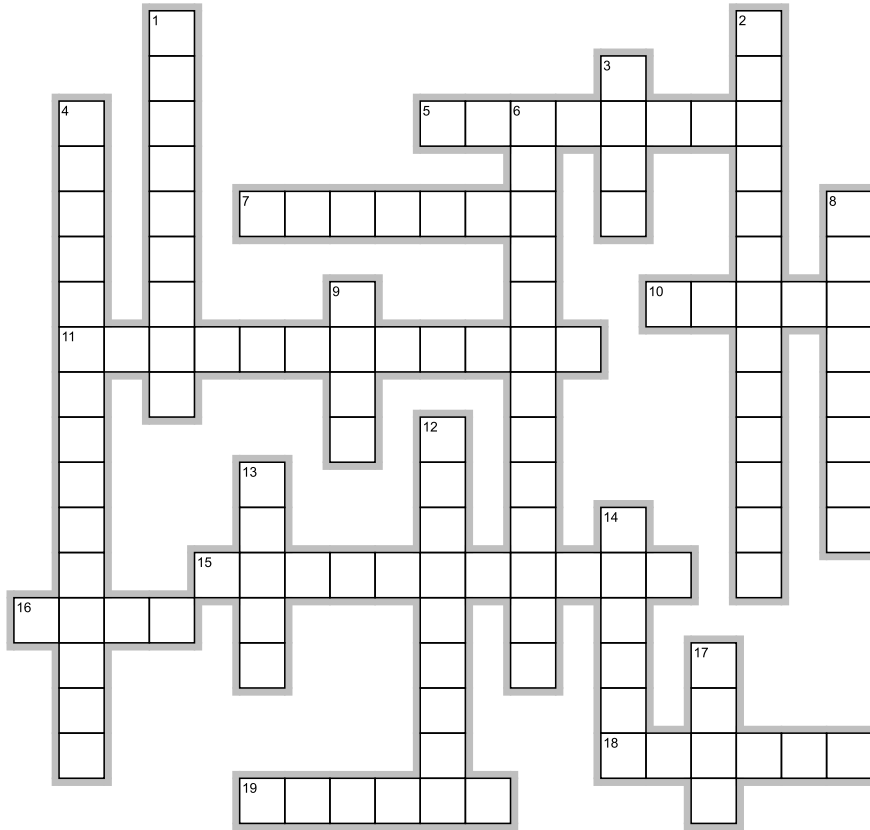


Easter Crossword Puzzle

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Across

5. Jewish holiday celebrated around the time of Easter
7. The Paschal _____ (means "three days") runs from Holy Thursday until the evening of Easter.
10. Easter begins at this church service, celebrated the night before Easter Sunday
11. Easter celebrates the _____ of Christ from the dead
15. _____ Sunday. The second Sunday of Easter (2 words).
16. The date of Easter is calculated based on the phases of the _____.
18. Two disciples were walking toward this village when they met the risen Jesus
19. Natural season when Easter falls

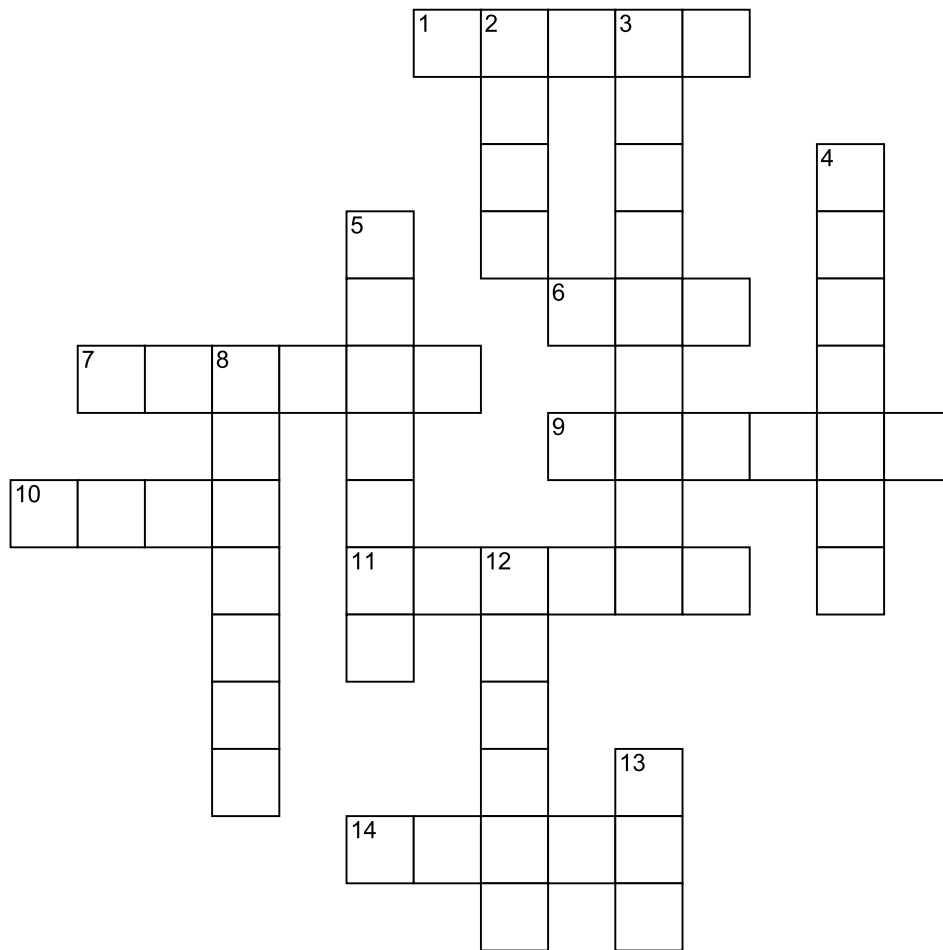
different Sundays (2 words)

6. The legend of the Easter egg is derived from this man, who carried the cross of Jesus (3 words)
8. The week before Easter in the Church (2 words)
9. Penitential season of fasting before Easter
12. Holiday celebrated 40 days after Easter Sunday
13. The liturgical color of Easter
14. Eight day period from Easter Sunday until the next Sunday
17. Traditional meat served at Easter; also a title of Jesus from the book of Revelation

Down

1. Holiday 50 days after Easter Sunday; the birthday of the Church
2. The first witness to the resurrection (two words)
3. The empty _____, what the disciples and others found when they looked for the body of Jesus
4. These Christians calculate the date of Easter differently, so sometimes we celebrate Easter on

Easter



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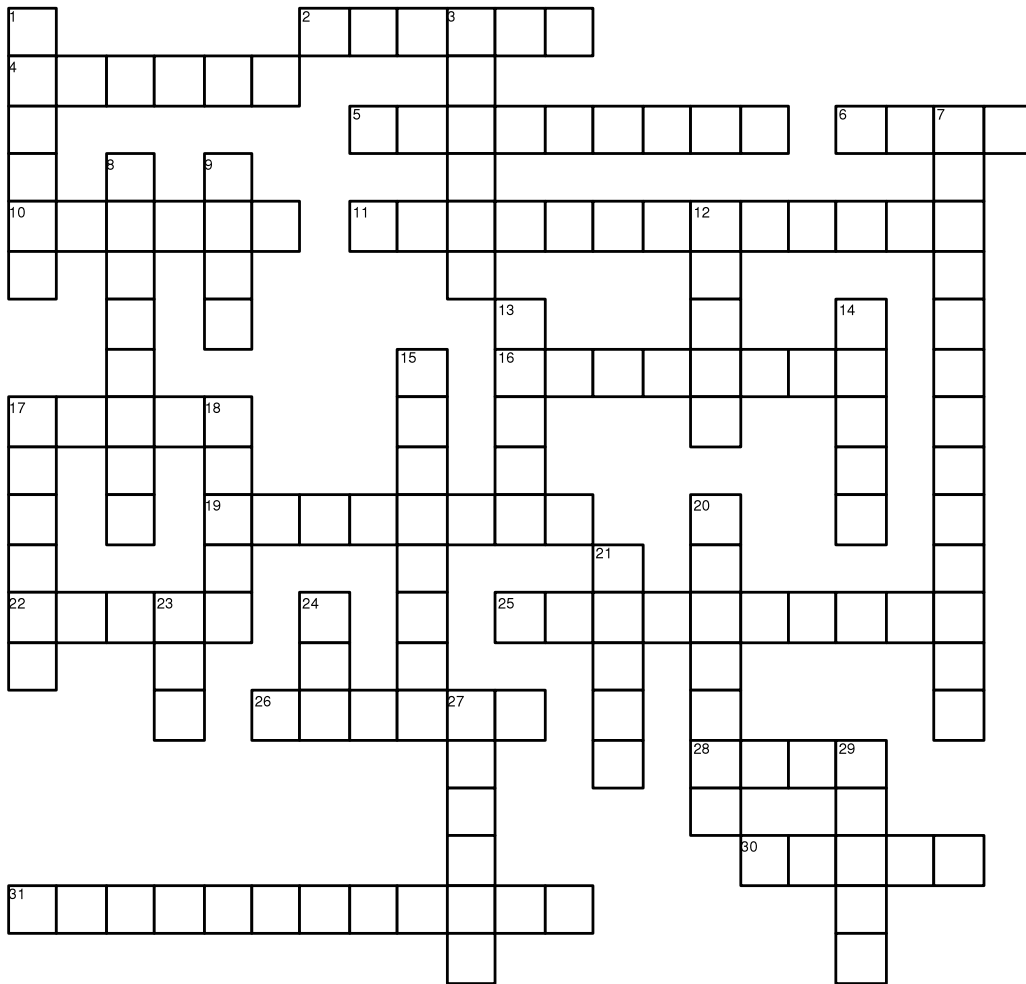
ACROSS

- 1 baby chicken
- 6 the way rabbits move
- 7 small animal with long ears and a short tail
- 9 light color, for example, light yellow
- 10 chickens hatch from these
- 11 spring holiday that is on a Sunday
- 14 baby rabbit

DOWN

- 2 to search or look for something
- 3 type of candy Easter rabbits are often made of
- 4 fancy hats women wear at Easter
- 5 small yellow animal that says "cheep, cheep"
- 8 children put their Easter eggs in these
- 12 season that Easter is in
- 13 liquid used to color Easter eggs

The First Easter



ACROSS

- 2 Resurrection Day.
 4 40 days after His resurrection, Jesus ascended to _____.
 5 This came seven weeks after the resurrection.
 6 Joseph of Arimathea provided this for Christ.
 10 This apostle would not believe that Christ had risen until he saw and touched the nail prints in Christ's hands.
 11 The final meal Christ shared with his disciples.
 16 The religious festival Jesus had come to Jerusalem to celebrate.
 17 This disciple denied knowing Jesus.
 19 _____ guarded the Jesus' tomb to make sure His disciples didn't steal His body.
 22 The soldiers put a crown of _____ on Christ's head.
 25 Where Christ went to pray before His arrest.

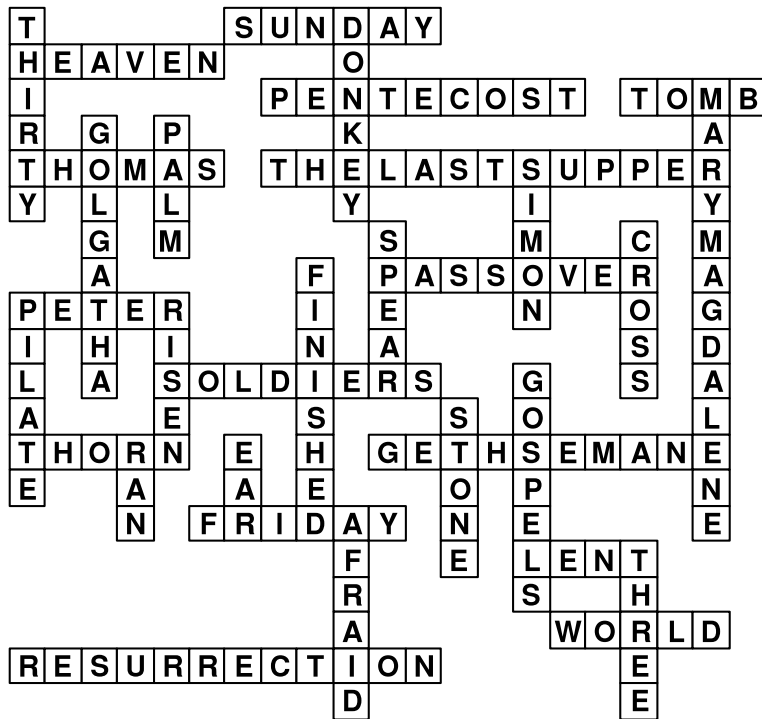
- 26 The day Christ is believed to have been crucified.
 28 The 40 days (not including Sundays) prior to Easter.
 30 Following His resurrection, Jesus told His disciples to go into all the _____ and preach the Gospel.
 31 Easter celebrates the _____ of Jesus.

DOWN

- 1 Judas Iscariot received _____ of silver for betraying Jesus.
 3 The animal Christ rode into Jerusalem,
 7 She was the first to see Jesus after His resurrection.
 8 The place of the skull.
 9 One week before Christ's crucifixion, multitudes greeted him by cheering and waving _____ branches.
 12 He helped Jesus carry His cross.
 13 A soldier pierced Christ's side with this.

- 14 Jesus was nailed to a _____.
 15 "It is _____."
 17 He sentenced Jesus to death.
 18 "He is not here, for He is _____ as He said."
 20 The Biblical account of the resurrection may be found in all four books of the New Testament known as the _____.
 21 An angel rolled away the _____ covering the entrance to the tomb.
 23 Peter and John _____ to the tomb of Jesus after hearing that His body was no longer there.
 24 Peter cut off a soldier's _____ in his attempt to prevent Christ's arrest.
 27 When those guarding the tomb saw the angel, they were _____.
 29 The number of days Jesus spent in the tomb.

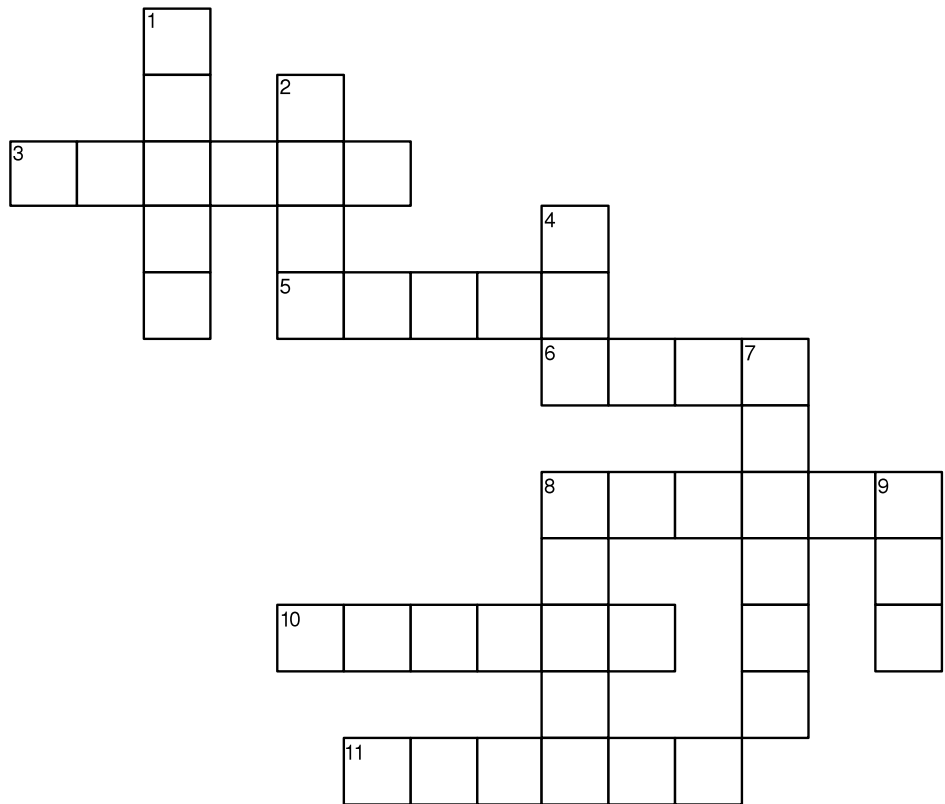
Answer Key



Easter Fun

Word Bank

basket
bunny
candy
chick
church
dye
eggs
hop
lamb
rabbit
spring
Sunday



ACROSS

- 3 Easter always falls on this day.
- 5 The Easter _____.
- 6 We decorate these.
- 8 A place many people go on Easter.
- 10 A bunny is a young _____.
- 11 This is filled with eggs and candy.

DOWN

- 1 Sweet treats.
- 2 A baby sheep.
- 4 Used to color eggs.
- 7 The season of Easter.
- 8 A baby chicken.
- 9 Bunnies don't walk; they _____.



Answer Key

