

St Peter's Church

Entry £1

Christmas Quiz



£25 cash prize

Please send completed entries to:
Mrs B Shuttleworth, 13 Romulus Close, Dorchester, DT1 2TH by 11th January 2010
Or hand in at St Peter's Church

Name:..... Tel no:.....

1. In which year was Mr Blobby the UK Christmas number 1 song? **1993**
2. What is the more common name for the plant "viscum"? **Mistletoe**
3. In the New Testament which is the only gospel to mention the 3 kings? **Matthew**
4. What colour is the Grinch? **Green**
5. What is the last ghost called in 'A Christmas Carol'? **Christmas yet to come**
6. On Christmas Day 1950, what was stolen from Westminster Abbey? **Stone of scone**
7. From which country is the Trafalgar Square Christmas tree a gift? **Norway**
8. In which author's novel is it "always winter but never Christmas"? **C S Lewis**
9. In which ocean is Christmas Island? **Indian**
10. Who wrote the song "I'm dreaming of a white Christmas"? **Irving Berlin**
11. What does Amahl play as he leads the procession in *Amahl and the Night visitors*? **Reed pipe**
12. In 'the 12 days of Christmas' how many gifts are given in total? **364**
13. Which female solo artist was born on Christmas Day 1971? **Dido**
14. Which word comes from a Greek word meaning "we can act anything"? **Pantomime**
15. Whose is 1st voice heard on original recording of 'Do they know it's Christmas'? **Paul Young**
16. Which carol contains line "the world in solemn stillness lay"? **It came upon a midnight clear**
17. Who wrote the poem 'The Cultivation of Christmas Trees'? **T S Elliot**
18. Which pantomime character marries Alice Fitzwarren? **Dick Whittington**
19. Which WWII First Lady wrote a Christmas story about a girl named Martha? **Elinor Roosevelt**
20. Which of Santa's reindeer isn't mentioned in 'The Night Before Christmas'? **Rudolph**

Christmas around the world; match the greetings and the language

Answer

Glædelig Jul	Danish	1 Hungarian
Kellemes Karacsonyi unnepeket	Hungarian	2 Hindi
Sawadee Pee Mai	Thai	3 Spanish
Shub Naya Baras	Hindi	4 Danish
Feliz Navidad	Spanish	5 Thai

Anagrams: the answers are all food or drink associated with Christmas

Bolsters usurps	Brussel sprouts
Epics mien	Mince pies
Indwell emu	Mulled wine
Ethnic guffstunts	Chestnut stuffing
Abase cured	Bread sauce

First lines: The answers are the first lines of Christmas songs/carols

A I A M N C F A B	Away in a manger
W W I T A	We're walking in the air
A I W F C I M T F T	All I want for Christmas is my two front teeth
O I R D C S A L C S	Once in royal David's city stood a lowly cattle shed
L C I G Y M H	Last Christmas I gave you my heart

Cryptic Christmas:

Stole time arranging this plant (9)	Mistletoe
In satin, seldom found on a tree (6)	Tinsel
Ornamental art form shares (11)	Decorations
Light part of music and learning (6)	Candle
Carl had no song (5)	Carol