**LOCKDOWN QUIZ December 2020**

**CHRISTMAS!**

We hope you have fun sharing and solving this quiz!

All the answers are on the theme of Christmas.

Some are straightforward general knowledge-type questions, others may be more cryptic, including anagrams, hidden words, or homophones.

We are raising money on behalf of St John’s Church Harpenden to build a new Parish Centre, which will be a transformational project for the church and the community. If you would like to find out more about the project and make a donation (suggestion £2), please visit <https://justgiving.com/campaign/stjohnsquiz/>

Many thanks!

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|  |  | **Answer** |
| 1 | Does she sing songs at Christmas? (5) | Carol |
| 2 | The Cockney eyes these tasty treats (5, 4) | Mince Pies |
| 3 | It might be aflame after dinner (9,7) | Christmas Pudding |
| 4 | She’s a little prickly at this time of year (5) | Holly |
| 5 | The birth, a little crib and a play (8) | Nativity |
| 6 | The silent stars go by above this little town (9) | Bethlehem |
| 7 | A country on your dinner table (6) | Turkey |
| 8 | Became very popular in England after a picture in the Illustrated London News in 1848 (9,4) | Christmas Tree |
| 9 | A Christmas cake you might find in a forest (4,3) | Yule Log |
| 10 | Not being foolish, they traversed afar (3, 5, 4, 3) | The Three Wise Men |
| 11 | Would you find them in a pie? (9) | Shepherds |
| 12 | It was a guide for number 10(4) | Star |
| 13 | When she’s fully grown, she might climb a tree (3) | Ivy |
| 14 | I hear these lectures have been delivered since 1948 (6) | Wreath |
| 15 | Lights for this service of music and lessons (7) | Candles |
| 16 | Enlist tipsy help for decorating (6) | Tinsel |
| 17 | Where hay and a strawman germinate (6) | Manger |
| 18 | Don’t let yours miss the last post (9,5) | Christmas Cards |
| 19 | They came from the realms of glory (6) | Angels |
| 20 | Traditionally there are eight of these (8) | Reindeer |
| 21 | This extra one had a red nose (7) | Rudolph |
| 22 | Artisan takes credit for delivering children’s presents (5) | Santa |
| 23 | Stole time arranging this plant (9) | Mistletoe |
| 24 | Crazy? (8) | Crackers |
| 25 | Chestnut, apricot, sage and onion (8) | Stuffing |
| 26 | Filling an undergarment (8) | Stocking |
| 27 | Sounds like it’s not out but there’s no room here (3) | Inn |
| 28 | Steady place for the animals (6) | Stable |
| 29 | Where it was ‘always winter but never Christmas’ (6) | Narnia |
| 30 | Repents excitedly to receive a gift (7) | Present |
| 31 | Behind closed doors it’s a picture (6,8) | Advent Calendar |
| 32 | My true love’s third gift (5, 6, 4) | Three French Hens |
| 33 | Medals for the tree? (11) | Decorations |
| 34 | Magical ice crystals now falling (4) | Snow |
| 35 | Tiny illuminations for tiny creatures (5,6) | Fairy Lights |
| 36 | Traditional Dutch drink found in a snowball (8) | Advocaat |
| 37 | The last day of the year Scots style (8) | Hogmanay |
| 38 | Sinatra at home with unusual scene for a kingly gift (12) | Frankincense |
| 39 | A strange goat (3,6) | Rum Butter |
| 40 | Sounds like you’ll enjoy another name for Christmas (4) | Yule |
| 41 | An insignificant dessert (6) | Trifle |
| 42 | Pondered then a little moan (6,4) | Mulled wine |
| 43 | When Bruno met Tyson (6,3) | Boxing Day |
| 44 | Au (4) | Gold |
| 45 | A quiet supporter of King Arthur, we hear (6,5) | Silent Night |
| 46 | Sounds like fast rhyming music brings news about our presents (8,5) | Wrapping Paper |
| 47 | Stephen initially guided swift transport (4) | Sled |
| 48 | Where Santa lives (5,4) | North Pole |
| 49 | Santa’s route in (7) | Chimney |
| 50 | Abandon keys to the trusted steed (6) | Donkey |
| 51 | See us at Mass transforming these fruits (8) | Satsumas |
| 52 | Pleasure from Ankara (7,7) | Turkish Delight |
| 53 | Shoots on the table (7) | Sprouts |
| 54 | Chocolates or fungi found in the woods (8) | Truffles |
| 55 | Not even this creature was stirring (5) | Mouse |
| 56 | Miser ordered ‘Go score’ (7) | Scrooge |
| 57 | The Times’ headwear that comes out with a bang (5,3) | Paper hat |
| 58 | Cheat (4) | Crib |
| 59 | Sounds to alarm us (5) | Bells |
| 60 | What are we dreaming of? (1,5,9) | A White Christmas |