

## Pastor's Column

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### Epiphany Quiz

- How many Wise Men (Magi) visited Joseph, Jesus, and Mary?**
  - \_\_\_ *Two*
  - \_\_\_ *Nobody knows*
  - \_\_\_ *Three*
  - \_\_\_ *Four*
- Which King of Israel wanted to kill the baby who would grow to become the Messiah?**
  - \_\_\_ *Flavius Josephus*
  - \_\_\_ *Caesar Augustus*
  - \_\_\_ *Herod*
  - \_\_\_ *Quirinius*
- Who wrote the text of the Epiphany carol "We Three Kings of Orient Are"?**
  - \_\_\_ *Phillips Brooks*
  - \_\_\_ *Father Josef Mohr*
  - \_\_\_ *Charles Wesley*
  - \_\_\_ *John Henry Hopkins, Jr.*
- The story of the visit of the Wise Men (Magi) appears in the Gospel according to whom?**
  - \_\_\_ *Mark*
  - \_\_\_ *John*
  - \_\_\_ *Luke*
  - \_\_\_ *Matthew*
- Which of the following is not a kind of Three Kings Cake?**
  - \_\_\_ *La Rosca de Reyes*
  - \_\_\_ *Dreikonigskuchen*
  - \_\_\_ *Galette des Rois*
  - \_\_\_ *Kulitch*
- Whose poem "The Journey of the Magi" begins "A cold coming we had of it, just the worst time of the year for a journey, and such a long journey"?**
  - \_\_\_ *William Butler Yeats*
  - \_\_\_ *T.S. Eliot*
  - \_\_\_ *O. Henry*
  - \_\_\_ *Henry Wadsworth Longfellow*
- What is the origin and meaning of the word "epiphany"?**
  - \_\_\_ *From the Greek, meaning "to show forth"*
  - \_\_\_ *From the Latin, meaning "astrologers or magicians"*
  - \_\_\_ *From the Greek, meaning "before Lent"*
  - \_\_\_ *From the German, meaning "after Christmas"*
- What are/were the three traditional names assigned to the Wise Men (Magi)?**
  - \_\_\_ *Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego*
  - \_\_\_ *Huey, Dewey, and Louie*
  - \_\_\_ *Caspar, Melchior, and Balthasar*
  - \_\_\_ *Peter, Paul, and James*
- "The Adoration of the Magi" was commissioned in the late 15th century as an altarpiece for the Augustinian monks of San Donato a Scopeto in Florence. It was unfinished and now hangs in the Uffizi Gallery in Florence. Who painted it?**
  - \_\_\_ *Leonardo da Vinci*
  - \_\_\_ *Fra Angelico and Fra Filippo Lippi*
  - \_\_\_ *Andrea del Verrocchio*
  - \_\_\_ *Sandro Botticelli*
- What is myrrh?**
  - \_\_\_ *The Arabic word for silver*
  - \_\_\_ *The dried sap of an African tree used anciently in embalming ointments and burned at funerals*
  - \_\_\_ *Nutmeg*
  - \_\_\_ *A mercurial compound used to treat flesh wounds*

Answers will be given in next week's bulletin. This is an "open-book" quiz. Feel free to research the answers if you wish! Have fun...

Fr. Mike