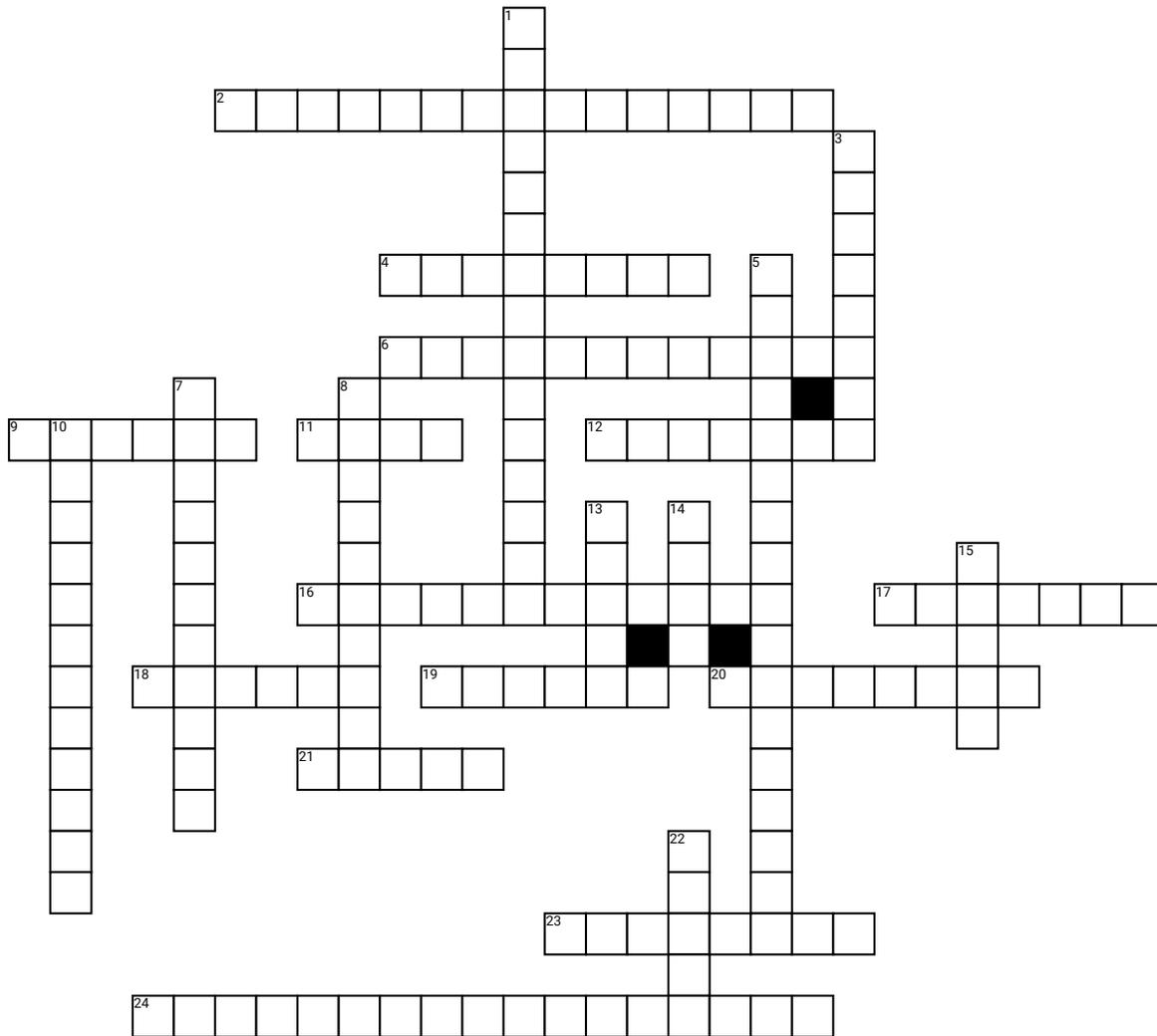


# Advent Crossword 2020



## Across

2. Before income tax, this is what police heard about (11, 4)  
 4. Cleaner with a dress, oddly, will be game (8)  
 6. Unconditional love, OK? (8, 4)  
 9. In satin seldom found on a tree (6)  
 11. Yuletide mother is in army (4)  
 12. Diner we befuddled -- with this? (3, 4)  
 16. Stocking up time? (9, 3)  
 17. By the sound of it, financial gain inspired teacher (7)  
 18. Passionate character in book is serenaded (6)

19. Country not celebrating Christmas? (6)

20. My dog's nose twitches (8)  
 21. Hand round second song (5)  
 23. High spirits when hamper is ordered (8)  
 24. Beneficent monarch sews clean when confused (4, 4, 9)

## Down

1. Met expectations (7, 8)  
 3. Sweetheart who kept on sending Christmas presents (4, 4)  
 5. Most elite ensemble in a particular branch to produce a Christmas ballad (3, 9, 5)

7. Ornamental art form shares (11)

8. Draw on such fresh morning air? (4, 6)

10. \_\_\_\_\_ (1, 6, 1, 4)

13. What Father Christmas doesn't do in a quiet way (5)

14. Christmas A B C D E F G H I J K M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z? (4)

15. Criticise cook (5)

22. Features one we might expect to find in ship? (5)