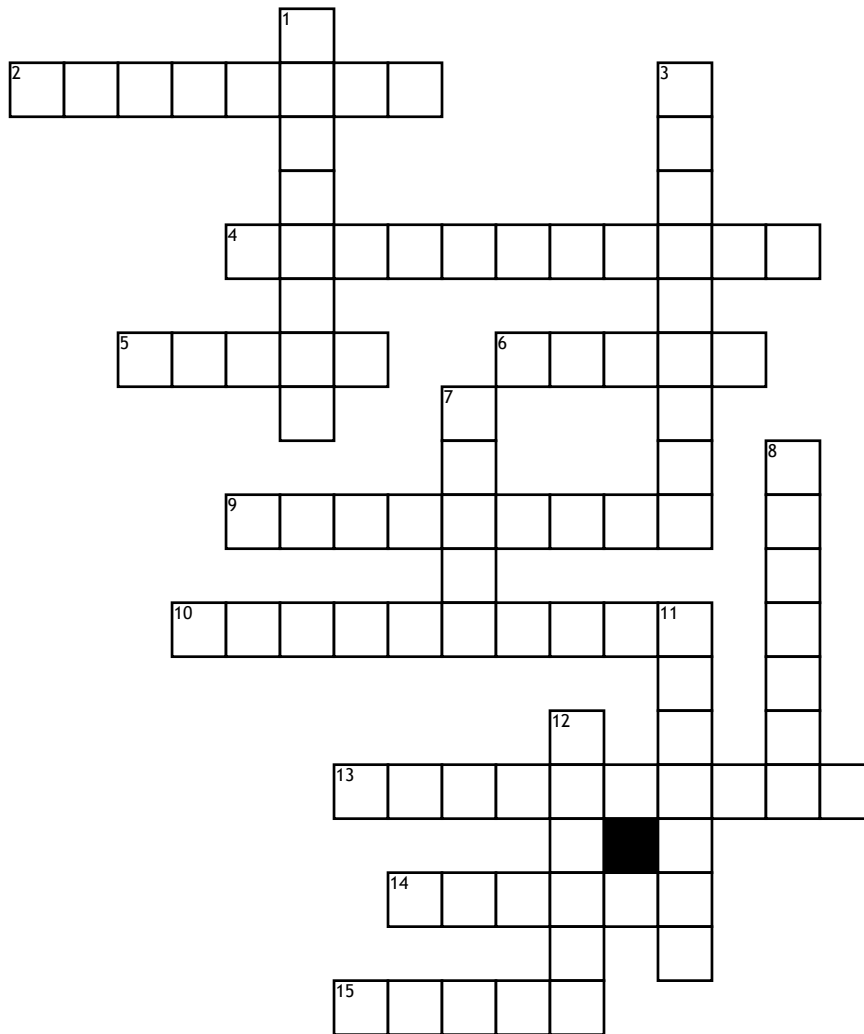


Christianity Early Popes



Across

2. Considered the first Apostolic Father, his letter to the Corinthian church is one of the oldest Christian documents today
 4. Christians venerate him as a patron saint of the order since some sources depict him as a hermit living on Mount Carmel
 5. First successor to Peter, died a martyr and was buried on Vatican Hill
 6. Declared that Easter should be celebrated only on a Sunday and ordered the publication of the Liber Pontificalis
 9. Declared against the Montanists

10. Under him, the position of Christians grew constantly worse with the government

13. Declared that priests are to never be married and that marriage should not be contracted between relatives

14. Divided Rome into 25 parishes, name is included in the Roman Canon of the Mass

15. Declared that marriage was valid only as a sacrament blessed by a priest and he inaugurated Easter as an annual festival in Rome

Down

1. Martyr who condemned the heresies of Montanism, Gnostics, and Marcionism, decreed that priests are not allowed to have long hair

3. No confirmation he died a martyr, elected during the reign of Emperor Domitian

7. Crucified upside down in the Vatican

8. Determined the different prerogatives of the clergy, instituted godparents to help the new borns

11. Martyr who is buried next to St. Peter

12. First Pope from Africa, changed the language of mass from Greek to Latin

Word Bank

Evaristus

Cletus

Anicetus

Linus

Zephyrinus

Pius1

Peter

Telesphorus

Victor

Sixtus1

Soter

Eleuterus

Hyginus

Callixtus1

Clement1