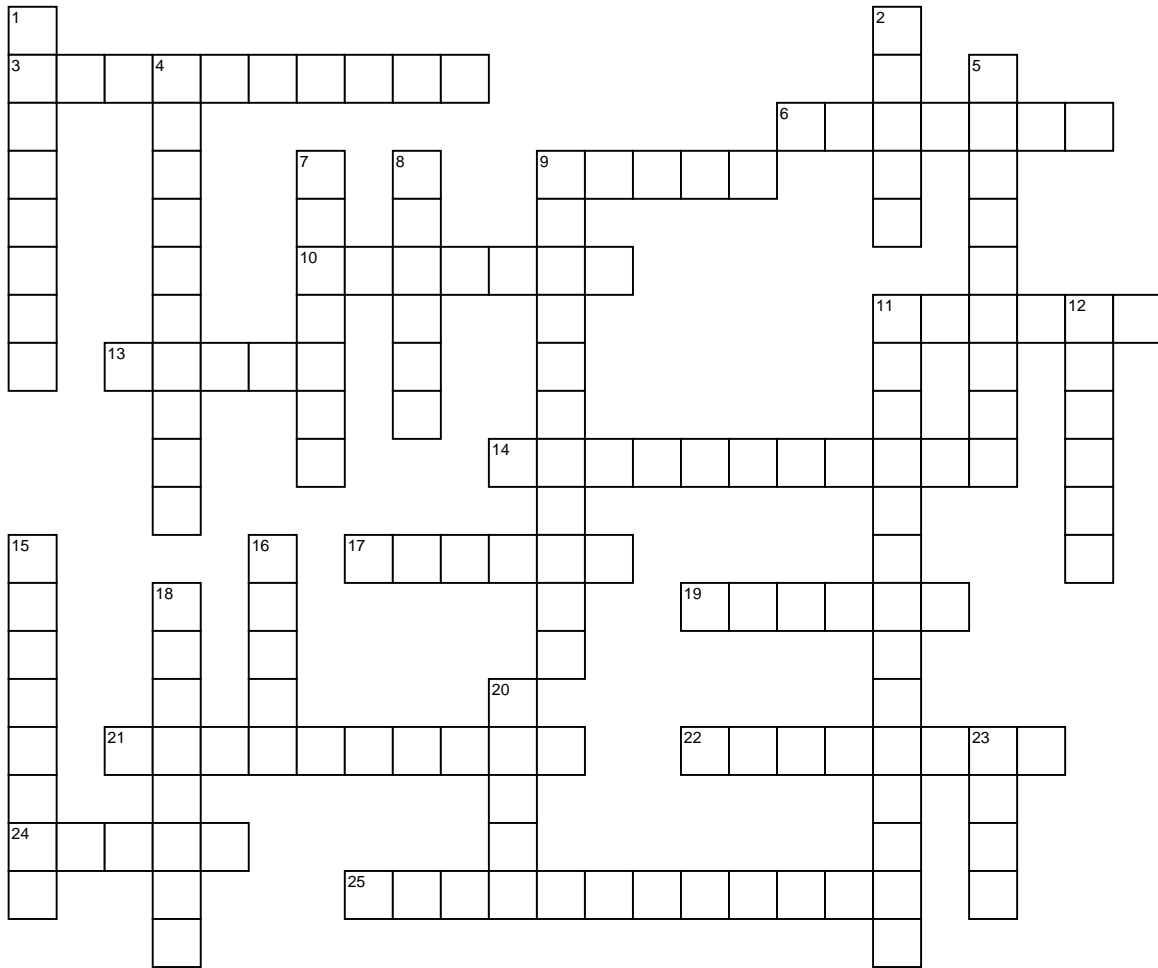


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## ACROSS

- 3 The kind of stonework used to build monks' huts in Co. Kerry
- 6 Name of university where the Book of Kells is kept
- 9 Long, central part of a high cross
- 10 Early Irish convent was located here
- 11 Monk who wrote/drew manuscripts
- 13 Clare saint, founded a monastery near Kilrush
- 14 The most famous early Irish manuscript (4,2,5)
- 17 Irish city founded by Scandinavian raiders
- 19 A famous chalice was found here
- 21 Tallest building in an Early Irish monastery (5,5)
- 22 Some monasteries had seven of these
- 24 Yearly record of events kept by Irish monks
- 25 An early Christian monastery in Co. Offaly

## DOWN

- 1 Island near Kilrush containing the ruins of an Early Irish monastery
- 2 A monk wrote with this
- 4 A monk's living quarters
- 5 Stone monument in an Early Irish monastery (4,5)
- 7 Raiders from Scandanavia
- 8 Manuscript pages were called this
- 9 Room where manuscripts were made
- 11 Monastery on a rocky island off the coast of Kerry (7,7)
- 12 Early Irish female saint
- 15 General shape of a monastic enclosure
- 16 Language of the Book of Kells
- 18 Ireland was known as the island of saints and ?
- 20 Saint who founded a monastery at Glendalough, Co. Wicklow
- 23 Saint who founded a monastery on the Aran Islands

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Solution:

