

Bennochy Parish Church of Scotland
(Charity No. SC 005628)

“This time of Year” QUIZ

1	The shortest day of the year is?	21 st December
2	Where did Jesus grow up?	Nazareth
3	November 30 th – whose Day is that?	Saint Andrew
4	Where did the name Hogmanay come from?	French ‘ <i>hoginane</i> ’- <i>gala</i>
5	Name the Ballet that takes place at this time of year	The Nutcracker
6	This World Cup’s Final takes place when?	Sunday December 18th
7	16 1 14 20 15 13 9 13 5 - translate into letters !	Pantomime
8	How many days from November 21 st to February 4 th ?	75
9	She was born in November 1948 – an awfy good singer!	Lulu
10	Who gave the first Royal Christmas Broadcast?	King George V
11	Stollen is a traditional cake ---- which country?	Germany
12	ESGIUNOERBHREGDA (anag.) -- enjoy it!	Gingerbread House
13	Who was the first to discover the South Pole?	Roald Amundsen
14	When does <i>Up Helly A’</i> happen in Shetland?	Last Tuesday in January
15	Isaac Newton, Humphrey Bogart, Annie Lennox – connection?	25th Dec. Birthdays
16	Who was Cupid?	One of Santa’s reindeers
17	In which town do the Fire Balls happen?	Stonehaven
18	Song sung before The Bells on Hogmanay?	Auld Lang Syne
19	What colour are mistletoe berries?	White
20	Where did the word Yule come from?	Old Norse (pagan feast)
21	When is Burns Night?	25 January
22	What is a Helleborus?	A Christmas Rose
23	12 days of Christmas – what was the 7 th day gift??	7 swans a-swimming
24	Which Christmas Carol came from Kirkcaldy?	Child in a Manger
25	Coming, arrival, -- 20,14,5,22,4,1 --- in reverse!	Advent
26	Who was born in East Wemyss on 28 th January 1908?	Jimmy Shand
27	What does January 6 th get called?	Epiphany
28	Geimhreadh is Winter in which language?	Gaelic
29	What is so special about the month of February?	Shortest month
30	Christmas Day 2023 will be on what day of the week?	Monday

Answers available on Friday 6th January