

# The Immaculate Conception

**FRIDAY**

December 7



**Tomorrow is the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

—watch the Holy Heroes Answer Kid explain what “Immaculate Conception” means to you!



**Below is a coloring page  
from our friends at  
CatholicLiving.com.**



Tomorrow, December 8th, is a **HOLY DAY of OBLIGATION**

—it’s the **PATRONAL FEAST DAY** of the United States!

**Remember to go to Mass!**



**Below are some questions for you to ANSWER about the picture.**

1. Who is the mommy shown with the baby in her womb? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Who is the baby? \_\_\_\_\_

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We call the mother of Jesus, the Blessed Virgin Mary, by many different names

—such as Our Lady of Guadalupe, Our Lady of Fatima, and others. But all the names still refer to the same person.

*Think about it: your own mother is sometimes called by her first name or a nickname or even just Mom!*

**Whom did the Blessed Virgin Mary tell Saint Bernadette in Lourdes, France, that she was?**

**SOLVE** the **WORD SEARCH** to find out what she said!

L O U R D E S M A R Y S  
A I L A B A N N E U X B  
D S A N S I S I R A P E  
M O S N Q W A M T O P A  
O K A O U H O E U U I U  
T O L D E M F R L Y M R  
H T E A E A L A R C U A  
E O T M N A D A T O L I  
R E T A D A S T E I S N  
C H E Y U O O N C E M G  
P T T G R I K N O C K A  
P O N T M A I N O N , "

## WORD LIST

Banneux	Mother
Beauraing	Our Lady
Fatima	Paris
Guadalupe	Pontmain
Knock	Queen
La Salette	Rosary
Lourdes	Sorrows
Madonna	Theotokos

**There's a secret message in this word search!**

When you have found all the words in the WORD LIST above, circle the **UNUSED LETTERS** in the grid and put them in order into the blank spaces below to find out what the Blessed Virgin Mary told Saint Bernadette at Lourdes!

**Fill in the blank spaces below with the unused letters to find out what the Blessed Virgin Mary told Saint Bernadette!**

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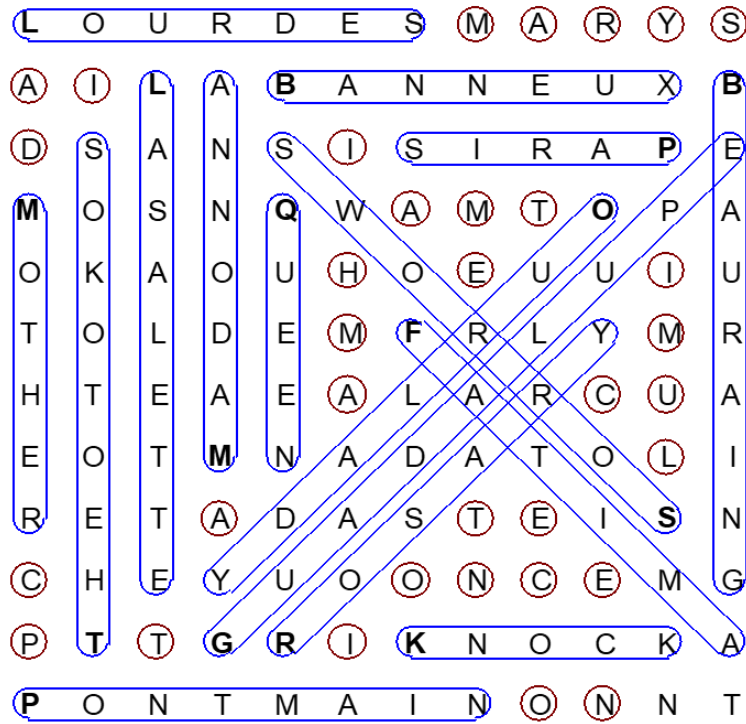


Now that you've solved the word search, you're ready for our online Saint Smarts quiz!

# FRIDAY / December 7 – ANSWER KEY

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1. St. Anne
2. Mary



## Immaculate Conception word search

Mary said, "I am the immaculate conception"