

Puzzle #793

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ACROSS

- It all started with a movie, which starred an up-andcoming star with Mo.
 _____, which was based on a violent robbery in St. Louis.
- "When you go across the Jordan into the land of ____...destroy all their stone figures and molten images..." (Nm. 33:51-52).
- 11. After the first great prophet Elijah was taken up in a whirlwind, this successor received, as requested, a double portion of Elijah's power (see 2 Kgs. 2:9-12).
- 13. This State hosts the Jimmy Carter Pres. Library (abbr.).
- 14. ____ *missa est;* last words of the Latin Mass, meaning Go, the Mass is ended.
- 15. Southeastern Asia country bordering Vietnam.
- 16. "Habitat for Humanity is a cause that is ____ and dear to my heart," —Reba McEntire.
- 18. Distress letters.
- 20. The official State Sport of this State is surfing (abbr.).
- 21. Letters for audio/visual.
- 22. It's either this ____ that.
- 23. A type of sign.
- 25. Yale Univ. in this State was the 1st school in the U.S. to offer a PhD degree (abbr.).
- 26. Moon of Jupiter.
- 27. Chemical ltrs. for sodium.
- 28. "The Great St. Louis Bank

- Robbery" movie starring Steve McQueen was shot on ____ at the bank near Tower Grove park and The Hill in St. Louis. The bank is still there and operating as a bank on that site.
- 31. I had a ____ with the flu last week that really set me
- 32. After the 7th inning, no hits, no runs, no _____.
- 33. Boy Scout ____: Be prepared.
- 34. Forensic TV series.
- 35. Future Farmers of America (____) remains committed to the individual student not only for developing needed production farmers but for all the opportunities and career pathways beaconing in the agricultural industry, the biggest industry in Mo.
- 36. Sacre _____! A French expression of surprise or dismay. It literally means Holy Blue! It's a phrase used to avoid cussing, used instead of Sacre Dieu, meaning Holy God.
- 38. Country code for Singapore.
- 40. After leaving his home in Mo., McQueen drifted through jobs, joined the U.S. ____ for 3 years, and finally got a bit part in a play in NYC which rather amazingly led to his career in movies and TV.
- 43. Arab leader.
- 46. Part of the family of sabers, cutlasses or epees.
- 48. Pope Paul _____ was the Pope that did the heavy lifting of leading the Church through Vatican II and its implementation.
- 49. Letters of the original 12-step program.
- 51. Prefix for them or other.
- 52. "I had neither kith nor kin in England, therefore I was free as air or as free as an income of ____ shillings and sixpence will allow a man to be," —Dr.

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- John Watson in *A Study in Scarlet*, Sir Arthur Conan Doyle.
- 55. When the boss announced the salary increases, there were ____ all around.
- 58. Japan is known as the Land of the ____ Sun.
- 59. She had everything in her purse but the kitchen ____!
- 60. "In _____, the garden of God..." (Ez. 28:13).
- 62. "I have myself been rushed by big antlered ___ males, which is something like being charged by a tractor carrying a dead tree in its bucket," —Switchbacks, True Stories from the Canadian Rockies, Sid Marty.
- 63. Paris's river.
- 64. Washing clothes in Shake-speare's time was a nasty chore. "Urine (from chamber pots) was a proven strategy for whitening cloths and getting out stains. After soaking the linen in the urine, it was placed in a large ____ where lye and potash would be poured over it several times to clean it,"

- —Did Shakespeare Wash His Laundry?; blog by C. Cash.
- 67. Dir. from St. Francis Xavier parish in Taos, Mo. to Holy Cross parish in Cuba, Mo.
- 68. State that borders as many States as Mo.—8 (abbr.).
- 69. Some of the movies Mc-Queen starred in were "Bullitt," "The Thomas Crown Affair," "The Great _____," "The Magnificent Seven," etc. etc. He also starred as a bounty hunter in the TV series "Wanted: Dead or Alive."

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- 1. "...there can never be any real discrepancy between faith and _____," Catechism of the Cath. Ch., #159.
- 2. "___ Man River"; moving song by Paul Robeson expressing a slave's perspective of life on the levee; from the musical "Showboat."
- 3. There are three Holy _____ consecrated by the bishop used in Baptism, Confir-

- mation, Ordination, and Sacrament of the Sick.
- 4. Agency responsible for airport security.
- 5. The movie, "The Great St. Louis Bank Robbery" (1959), was based on a real 1953 _____ at Southwest Bank involving a hostage, tear gas, dozens of police, dead robbers and a suicide.
- 6. Site of Jesus's first miracle in John's gospel.
- 7. "There ____ compelling historical reasons to conclude that the Gospels were written well within the lifetimes of the apostles and eyewitnesses to Jesus," —*The Case for Jesus*, Dr. Brant Pitre.
- 8. "Oscar Wilde's calculated and measured ____ of worldly cynicism epitomized the 'naughty nineties.' Astonishingly, on his deathbed, he was received into the Catholic Church," —Wilde Through the Looking Glass, Literary Converts, Joseph Pearce.
- "Cajuns are devout Roman Catholics, up to a point. They believe in God, but they also believe God winks _____ a lot of little things," —New Orleans; Charles Kuralt's America.
- 10. Because of all her anxieties about everything, we called her a _____ Nellie.

- 12. "Even on earth the sacraments existed _____ a permanent reminder that the division of soul and body was neither wholesome nor final,"—*Perelandra*, C.S. Lewis.
- 17. One of the lead ____ in "The Great St. Louis Bank Robbery" movie was the coming-up star Steve McQueen.
- 19. ____ pro nobis; pray for us.
- 20. Some would say it's helpful for your tax preparer to be a _____.
- 21. Artificial intelligence (_____) is said to be the next leap forward in technology.
- 23. At the casino, I only play the ____ machines, not the card games.
- 24. Halloween month.
- 25. Steve McQueen, abandoned by his parents, spent most of his child-hood with his grandparents on a farm raising hogs near Slater, Mo. (in our diocese). At age 14, he ran away to join a _____.
- 29. Tea in Madrid.
- 30. "...you shall be visited by the Lord of hosts, with thunder, earthquake and great _____..." (Isaiah 29:6).
- 31. Male hogs.
- 33. ____, Inc. is a co-op started in Brunswick, Mo. in 1914. It now has sales of

- over one billion dollars annually. As a co-op, it has 45,000 members with corporate offices in Columbia.
- 35. As a kid, I had no internet or cable TV or streaming, etc. I considered myself very lucky to have my AM/____ transistor radio.
- 37. 1960s hallucinogenic drug.
- 39. "To the one who has, more will be ____..." (Mark 4:25).
- 41. "Even when ____ _ through a dark valley..." —Psalms 23:4 (2 wds.).
- 42. "____ among the gods can equal you, O Lord..." (Psalms 86:8).
- 44. "Lucia stared hard at the Lady. The form was transparent in varied _____ of yellow, white, and blue," ___ The Third Secret, Steve Berry.
- 45. By the 1960s, Steve McQueen was nicknamed "The ____ of Cool." Eventually he would star in over 30 movies.
- 47. "Be pleased to look upon these offerings with a ____ and kindly countenance..." —from Eucharistic Prayer #1 in the Mass.
- 49. Donkeys.
- 50. "Don't judge a man until you have walked __ _ in his moccasins," —quote arguably attributed to an

- old Cherokee saying (2 wds.).
- 53. The actress embarrassingly forgot her _____.
- 54. "Washington rode up close to the rear entryway (of Mt. Vernon), glanced out past the house to the stunning _____ of the Potomac..." —*The Glorious Cause*, Jeff Shaara.
- 56. My jokester brother would always write out his checks in red _____.
- 57. What will happen in the future remains to be _____.
- 61. 501 in Caesar's Rome.
- 63. Abbr. before a saint's name.
- 65. "Welcome, in the Lion's name. Come further ____ and further in," —*The Last Battle,* C.S. Lewis.
- 66. "Sometime, Aquila thought, a man needed to just ____ with other men for a little while, to talk about things as casual as fishing or as serious as the Law," —*Priscilla and Aquila*, Lois Henderson and Harold Smith.