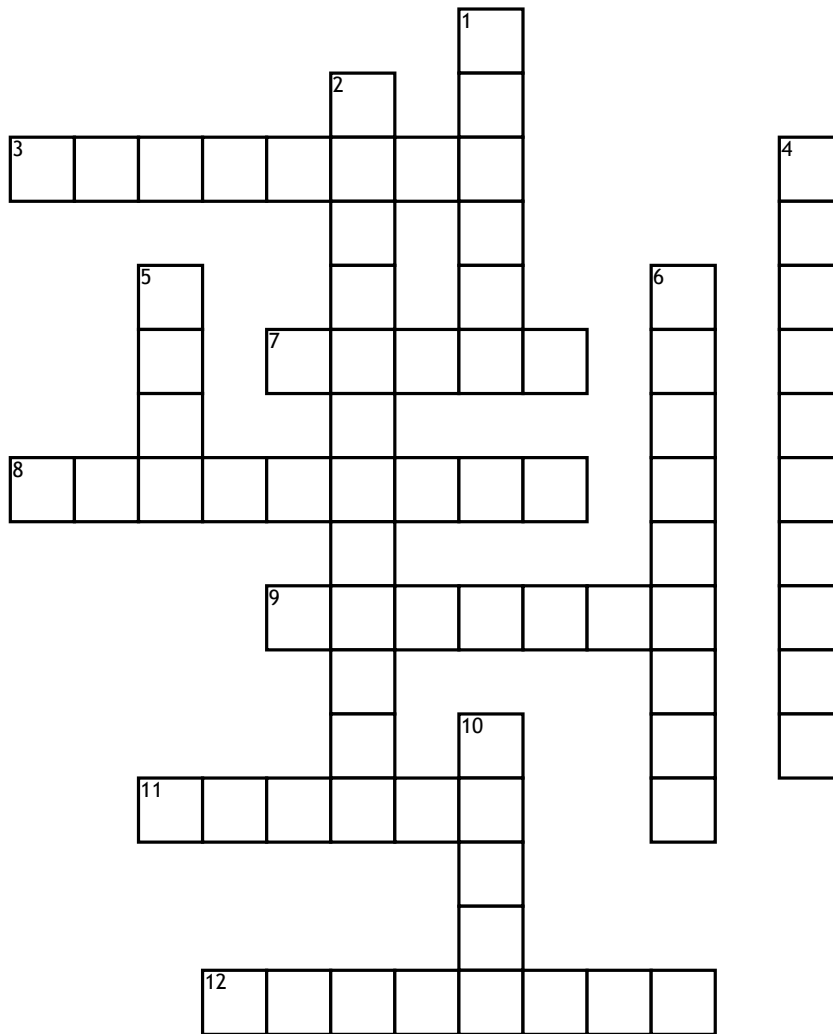


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# Buddhist Holidays



**Across**

3. Magha Puja, also called Sangha Day or \_\_\_\_\_ Assembly Day.

7. Vesak is also known as \_\_\_\_\_.

8. Bursting \_\_\_\_\_ is another important part of traditional New Year celebrations

9. According to Buddhist traditions, no celebrations or festivals are considered to be complete until and unless one lights \_\_\_\_\_.

11. "Fourfold assembly" refers to all followers of \_\_\_\_\_.

12. On the day of Buddhist New Year, people take a look on their past lives, and try to identify and rectify the \_\_\_\_\_.

**Down**

1. Vesak is a holiday that celebrates the birth of Gautama \_\_\_\_\_.

2. Vesak day is \_\_\_\_\_ annually at the UN headquarters.

4. Uposatha is a day for practicing buddhist teachings and \_\_\_\_\_.

5. Uposatha is an observance day with \_\_\_\_\_ Holy days.

6. The Buddha taught that the Uposatha Day is for \_\_\_\_\_ of the defiled mind resulting in inner calm and joy.

10. \_\_\_\_\_ Puja is called "Sangha Day" because it is a day to show appreciation to the monastic sangha.

**Word Bank**

Magha

Meditation

Fourfold

Four

mistakes

Cleansing

Commemorated

Fireworks

Candles

Buddha

Buddha

Wesak