

Pub Quiz round: Historic Places of Worship Questions and Answers

	QUESTION	ANSWER
1	How many churches are there on Antarctica? (multiple choice) A. 0 B. 3 C. 8 D. 15	C. Eight
2	What do you call a group of gargoyles?	The collective noun for gargoyles is 'An Audacity'
3	Islam, Judaism and Christianity each have a holy book setting out religious teachings. Name them.	Islam - Quran Judaism - Torah Christianity - Bible
4	Pope Urban VII issued the first ever smoking ban, stopping the use of tobacco products inside churches. In what year? (Multiple choice) A. 1490 B. 1590 C. 1690 D.1790	B. 1590 (he was Pope for just thirteen days - the shortest reigning Pope in the history of the Catholic Church)
5	Goblin, Ghost and Vampire are all types of what?	Bats.
6	What is the largest part of a church?	The Nave
7	The mosque formerly known as the 'London Jamme Masjid' was established in 1743. Before it became a mosque, the same building was a used as a church and also a synagogue to serve multiple refugee communities fleeing religious persecution from Europe. Can you name the street it is on, famous for refugee settlement, art and international cuisine?	Brick Lane, the Brick Lane Jamme Masjid. (It was first established as a Protestant Chapel by the Huguenot refugee community fleeing Catholic France. In the late 19th Century it became the Spitalfields Great Synagogue for a growing Jewish refugee community also fleeing persecution in Russia and Central Europe. The area gradually became home to a Muslim community largely of Bangladeshi origin, and in 1970 the building became a mosque)
8	How many Archbishops of Canterbury have been murdered?	In total 5 archbishops have been murdered: Alphege (bludgeoned by drunken Danes), Thomas Becket (assassinated by knights), Simon Sudbury (beheaded in the Peasants' Revolt), Thomas Cranmer (burned at the stake), and William Laud (beheaded for treason).