ACROSS
1 Chief minister of the Persian king in the Book of Esther
6 Cartoon Andy
10 The Garden of Eden might have been in this modern-day state
14 Fragrance
15 Height (comb.)
16 List from which to choose
17 Refute by evidence
18 Road to the Colosseum
19 Longish skirt
20 Member of an order founded by St. Paul of the Cross
22 Single entity
23 Payment due letters
24 Lot's wife was turned into a pillar of this
26 Egyptian spirit of the dead
29 US Speaker and convert to Catholicism
32 Miracle of the ____ and fishes
36 Move rapidly
38 Collars
40 German submarine
41 Bye bye
42 Slant
44 Home of St. Rose
45 Choose
47 Kentucky fort
48 Coll. course
49 Containing lime
51 Sewing case
53 “and his kingdom will have no ____”
54 French-speaking Canadian diocese
56 Genetic marker (abbr.)
58 “Behold the ____ of God” (Jn 1:36)
62 The back of
63 “Auld Lang ____”
64 Piece of work
65 Rock add-on
66 Stag party attendee?

DOWN
1 Angelic strings?
2 Space
3 Attacks
4 Entertain
5 Country
6 First murderer
7 Globe opening
8 Squeeze
9 Door
10 Characteristic of God
11 Restraint
12 “_____ repeat…”
13 Cease
21 Auguries
25 Catholic comedian Costello
26 St. Juan Diego, for example
27 Australian marsupial
28 Vacation spot
30 “…____ through the valley of the shadow of death” (Ps 23:4)
31 Beef cut
33 “A ____ of one crying in the desert” (Lk 3:4)
34 First name of a prominent 20th century Irish statesman
35 Rise to one's feet
37 Hanukkah group
38 Small blemish
40 Ooze out
43 Abbr. for two NT epistles
45 Stir up
46 Abbr. for two NT epistles
48 An Eastern rite
49 Element of Baptism, in Madrid
50 Filth
52 “No one can ____ two masters” (Mt 6:24)
55 Subtle qualities
57 Our ____ of Lourdes
59 Continent

Answer to previous puzzle

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AIDA PIA FAU RAH DOG NAY SPOUSE GAUDY DEED
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