

ACROSS

- 1 Children's weekend classes in religious instruction (6,6)
- 8 Disconnect or loosen (5)
- 9 Outrageously shocking event (7)
- 10 ___ scratchings, pub snack (4)
- 11 Quiet and sheltered from view (8)
- 14 Brainbox, egghead (6)
- 15 Makes petty criticisms (at) (6)
- 17 Atypical protagonist (4-4)
- 18 Go up (4)
- 21 Event put on by a kennel club (3,4)
- 23 Ringo ____, Beatles drummer (5)
- 24 Pristine quality (12)

DOWN

- 1 Assume a drooping posture (5)
- 2 Sum left after all deductions (3,6)
- 3 Say positively (4)
- 4 Ordered technique (6)
- 5 Point of the coastline running out to sea (8)
- 6 Curious (3)
- 7 Cutting edges (6)
- 12 Copy (9)
- 13 Immediately (4,4)
- 14 ___ butter, pudding accompaniment (6)
- 16 Look casually, shop around (6)
- 19 UK noblemen (5)
- 20 Ancient goddess of Egypt (4)
- 22 Breach (3)

