**Words of the Week**

**Questions**

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|  |  | Please Explain the words in English |
| 1. angelology | n. |  |
| 2. cherubim | n |  |
| 3. archangel | n |  |
| 4. Satan | n |  |
| 5.convert | v |  |
| 6. intensive | a. |  |
| 7. speculation | n |  |
| 8. annunciation | n |  |
| 9. opaque | a |  |
| 10. transparent | a. |  |
| 11. melancholy | a. |  |
| 12. shamrock | n. |  |

**Answers**

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| 1. angelology | n. | theological dogma or speculation concerning angels |
| 2. cherubim | n | a representation of an angelic being in art, depicted as a chubby, healthy-looking child with wings |
| 3. archangel | n | an angel of high rank (in traditional Christian angelology, a being of the eighth order of the ninefold celestial hierarchy) |
| 4. Satan | n | from Hebrew *śāṭān*, literally *‘adversary’* |
| 5.convert | **v** | change one's religious faith or other beliefs |
| 6.intensive | a | concentrated on a single area or subject or into a short time |
| 7. speculation | n | the forming of a theory without firm evidence |
| 8. annunciation | n | the announcement of the incarnation by the angel Gabriel to Mary (Luke 1:26–38) |
| 9. opaque | a | not able to be seen through |
| 10. transparent | a. | allowing light to pass through so that objects behind can be distinctly seen |
| 11. melancholy | a | sad and pensive |
| 12. shamrock | n | a low-growing clover-like plant with three-lobed leaves, used as the national emblem of Ireland |