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Across

- 1** Exciting new footbridge over Merri Creek linking Kingfisher Gardens, East Brunswick and Beavers Road, Northcote named after distinctive cry of local black crow (5-5)
- 9** Arthur Miller *or* Andy Muirhead *or* Angela Merkel *or* Annus Mundi (initials)
- 10** Chewy yeast roll in Polish Ashkenazi cuisine resembling a bagel but without the hole
- 11** Gloomy religious service held prior to Easter Sunday involving gradual extinguishing of candles and a sudden loud noise (strepitus) occurring in darkness near the end (hence the name)
- 13** Biblical high priest of Shiloh (in pre-Temple period) known for instructing the young Prophet Samuel, the wickedness of his sons (taking the best meat from the sacrifices and committing adultery with the women serving at the entrance to the sanctuary) and unusual death from falling off chair backwards and breaking neck on being told the Philistines had defeated the Israelite army and captured the Ark of G-d
- 14** Brett Sinclair *or* Bon Scott *or* Bugsy Siegel *or* Bobby Sands *or* *British Sounds* (initials)
- 15** Al Gore *or* Anthony Gormley (initials)
- 16** J-Horror classic about cursed 90s technology known for extremely scary end with ghost of Sadako crawling out of TV
- 18** Major arterial in inner north with Northcote Social Club, Terra Madre, Psarakos Market and *Street Dogz*
- 20** City in Netherlands known for historic treaty of 1993 creating European Union and drug tourism
- 22** Handmaid of Biblical matriarch Leah given to patriarch Jacob (when Leah could no longer conceive to assist in creation of twelve tribes of Israel) in peculiar etiological myth establishing immutable racial hierarchies in cosmology of exilic Levitical authors
- 23** Controversial 90s punk/grunge/riot grrrl band from LA (*Pretend We're Dead* etc.) (1-1)
- 24** Neat to an all-consuming, neurotic degree from Freudian stages of psychosexual development (not oral, phallic, Oedipal, latency or genital)
- 25** *Shook Ones* (initials)
- 26** Slender dagger with needle-like point such as in chilling final encounter between Lacenaire (Marcel Herrand) and the Comte (Louis Salou) in Turkish bath in *Les Enfants du Paradis*
- 28** Mixed up US state associated with Bob Ross, Sarah Palin, the Birdman of Alcatraz and Jewel

Down

- 1** Touching symbol of Palestinian resistance, solidarity, self-determination and statehood
- 2** Haunting Joni Mitchell song about famous aviatrix
- 3** Ron Barassi era (initials)
- 4** Participant in idealistic movement to create an agrarian, socialist paradise ("making the desert bloom" etc.) in nascent Zionist entity
- 5** Peloponnesian, Punic, Opium, Zulu, Six Day, Cold, Gulf, American, on Terror, drugs etc.

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- 6** Awesome Lorde album (initials)
- 7** Grass grown as grain in northern Europe since ancient times due to special tolerance of cold and poor soil (also seaside suburb on Mornington Peninsula between Blairgowrie and Tootgarook)
- 8** High honour bestowed on subjects by British monarch for outstanding service to country (Paul McCartney, Elton John, Barry Gibb, Alan Bates etc.)
- 12** "The pesto, cheese & tomato toastie and the iced soy latte were divine!!" New café at 126C Nicholson Street, East Brunswick receiving rave reviews (run by Nina)
- 15** Filled with horror or shock
- 17** George Sand *or* Gus Schultz *or* Great Satan (initials)
- 18** "That which is hateful unto you, do not do to your neighbor. This is the whole of the Torah; the rest is commentary" Celebrated rabbi (died Jerusalem 10 CE) best known for encapsulation of Judaism for impatient student (while standing on one leg) called The Golden Rule (leading to famous question "Who is my neighbour?")
- 19** *Insane Clown President* (initials)
- 21** Iranian coins introduced in 18th century each worth 1,250 dinars
- 24** Awesome *Tool* album (initials)
- 26** Saudi Arabia *or* Steve Austin *or* Selim Ahmed (initials)
- 27** Celebrated authors of *Summa Theologica* called "one of the classics of the history of philosophy and one of the most influential works of Western literature" and *A Strong Australia* called "a load of self-centred rubbish, denial, resentment and hatred" (initials)