Puzzle Time!

What's the absolute best thing you can put into a pie? To find out, fill in the boxes that contain letters in the word “GIVING.” Then write the remaining letters from left to right in the blanks provided.

G  N  Y  I  V  O  U  V  G  N  R  I  T  I  E  V  G  E  T  N  H

Modern-day MYSTERY

Samantha was reading in her journal and came across this entry: “Two days ago, I was 8 years old. Next year, I can’t wait to turn 11!” She didn’t make a mistake in her math. How is this possible?

Answer on page 39.

Olive Squares

Carter has arranged his olives on his plate in a most spectacular way! How many squares can you make by connecting lines between the olives? Hint: not all squares are the same size, and think diagonally!

Answer on page 39.