Crossword

Across
1 Country that has been at peace since 1814. (6)
4 Structure often dedicated to peace, as in London’s Battersea Park, for example. (6)
9 Building. (7)
10 “Love all, _____ a few, do wrong to none.” – Shakespeare. (5)
11 Location of the 2012 Earth Summit. (3)
12 To record in a book or diary. (5)
13 Egyptian leader and co-winner of Nobel Peace Prize in 1978. (5)
14 Prime minister who claimed “peace for our time”. (11)
19 A namesake of 2 down called this “the cruellest month”. (5)
21 Cessation of hostilities. (5)
23 The Prophet’s rightful successor, according to Shias. (3)
24 Such as planted for peace at Coventry Cathedral by John and Yoko in June 1968. (5)
25 French artist who inspired Picasso’s ‘dove of peace’ emblem. (7)
26 Chaos and destruction, the opposite of 15 down. (6)
27 Seven who perform in 15 down. (6)

Down
1 Surname of singer who asked where all the flowers had gone. (6)
2 She wrote: “An election is coming, Universal peace is declared, and the foxes … prolonging the lives of poultry.” (5)
3 A witty remark. (7)
5 They might sing in 15 down. (5)

6 Catholic institution brought into the public eye by The Da Vinci Code. (4,3)
7 Shrewd. (6)
8 ‘Most serene’ epithet for Venice. (11)
15 Agreement, working together in peace. (7)
16 Conciliatory attitude, shown by the last album of The Beatles. (3,2,2)
17 Peace in Arabic. (6)
18 You’ll certainly find peace and quiet here. (6)
20 A long spear with a hard pointed head. (5)
22 To disturb something’s balance or stability. (5)