

# Easter Activity Pack

Sunday 5th April 2026



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# What is Easter?

Easter is the most important festival in the Christian calendar. It celebrates Jesus rising from the dead, three days after he was executed. This year, Easter is held on Sunday 5th April. The week leading up to Easter is called Holy Week.

## **Holy Week**

Within Holy Week there are several memorable days celebrated by Christians.

Palm Sunday is the Sunday before Easter Sunday. Palm Sunday celebrates Jesus's arrival in Jerusalem riding on a donkey. Crowds of people came out of the city to greet him, throwing down palm branches on the road.

Maundy Thursday is the Thursday before Easter Sunday. Christians remember when Jesus ate the Passover meal with his disciples, breaking bread and drinking wine. This is often referred to as the Last Supper.

Good Friday is the Friday before Easter Sunday. It commemorates the execution of Jesus by crucifixion. Good Friday is a day of mourning in the Church.

Easter Sunday marks Jesus's resurrection. After Jesus was crucified on the Friday, his body was taken down from the cross and buried in a cave tomb. The tomb was guarded by Roman soldiers and an enormous stone covered the entrance.

On Sunday Mary Magdalene and some of Jesus's disciples visited the tomb. They found the stone had been moved and that Jesus's body had gone. Jesus was seen later that day by Mary and the disciples, and for forty days afterwards by many people.

# Easter Menu

Mains

Served with

Desserts



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# Easter Quiz

- 1. How many chocolate Easter eggs are sold a year in the UK?**
  - a. 50 million
  - b. 80 million
  - c. 100 million
  
- 2. Where is the most popular Easter parade held each year?**
  - a. New York
  - b. London
  - c. Paris
  
- 3. The first Easter eggs were dyed what colour?**
  - a. Blue
  - b. Yellow
  - c. Red
  
- 4. What baked good is traditionally eaten on Good Friday?**
  - a. Scone
  - b. Croissant
  - c. Hot Cross Bun
  
- 5. What is the name of the fruitcake with marzipan balls traditionally served at tea time on Easter?**
  - a. Chiffon Cake
  - b. Simnel
  - c. Genoise

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**6. In what country did the tradition of the Easter bunny originate?**

- a. France
- b. USA
- c. Germany

**7. Where is the largest Easter egg museum in the world?**

- a. Poland
- b. Scotland
- c. Sweden

**8. The Sunday before Easter is called what?**

- a. Lent Sunday
- b. Palm Sunday
- c. Shrove Sunday

**9. Dyeing Easter eggs is a tradition that began in which country?**

- a. Ukraine
- b. Poland
- c. Germany

**10. What's the name of the jeweller who decorated Easter eggs for royalty?**

- a. Harry Winston
- b. Cartier
- c. Peter Karl Faberge

# *Easter Quiz Answers*

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**2. a - New York**

**3. c - Red**

**4. c - Hot Cross Bun**

**5. b - Simnel**

**6. c - Germany**

**7. a - Poland**

**8. b - Palm Sunday**

**9. a - Ukraine**

**10. c - Faberge**

# Easter Wordsearch

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# Egg Decorating

Egg decorating has been a popular art form throughout history because of the attractive, smooth, oval shape of the egg, and the ancient associations with eggs as a religious and cultural symbol. Egg decorating has been associated with Easter in recent times, but was practiced independently by many ancient cultures.

Colour in the eggs below, after you've coloured them in why not cut them out, stick them onto Easter cards or even make easter bunting out of them!

