

Key question for the topic
 What is the meaning of the Easter Story and how is this linked to finding salvation through Jesus Christ?

KEY VOCABULARY

'Holy Week' - Holy Week is the week leading up to Easter during which Christians remember the last week of Jesus' life.
Palm Sunday—The Sunday that starts 'Holy Week' when Jesus rode into Jerusalem.
Maundy Thursday— the day when Jesus had his final supper with his disciples.
Good Friday— the day that Jesus was put to death on the cross.
Easter Sunday— Jesus rose from the dead and was resurrected by God.
Resurrection— the rising of Jesus Christ from the dead.
Salvation—to be rescued or saved from evil.
Sins— an action that breaks the Christian law and goes against God.
Disciples—followers of Jesus Christ who accept and spread his teachings.
Crucifixion— the act of Jesus' death on the cross.

Further Reading

Check out: <http://request.org.uk/festivals/holy-week-and-easter/the-easter-story-2/> where you can watch some great videos about the Easter Story!

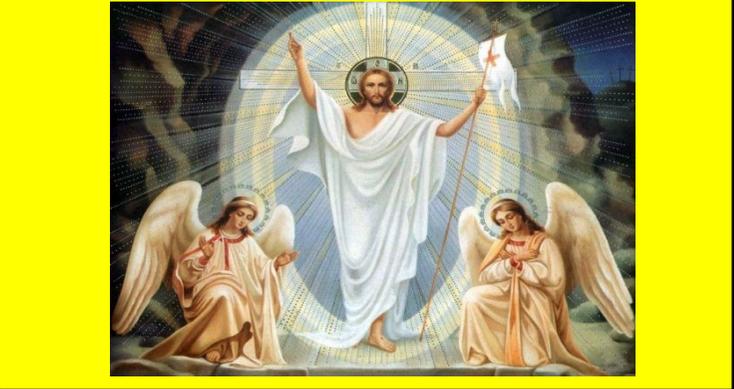
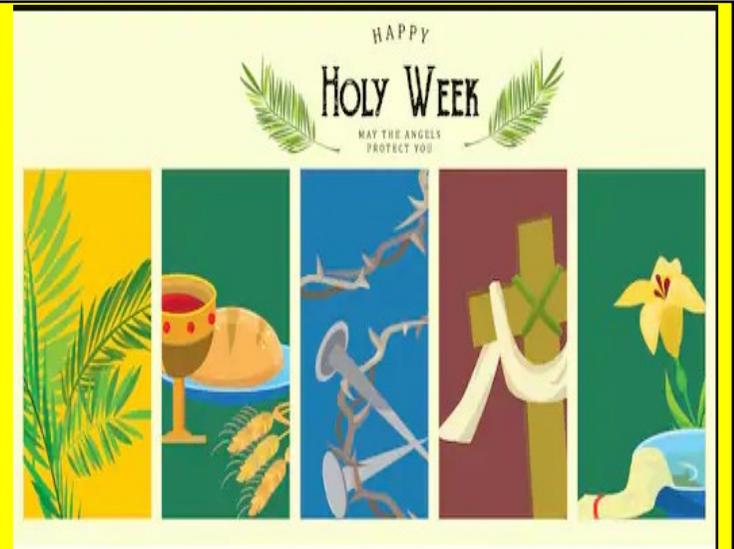
KEY FACTS

Good Friday is the day that Jesus died. It is called Good Friday as Jesus died for the good of mankind. Jesus' death was symbolic in that he was dying for our sins.

Two days later, Jesus was resurrected by God. This day is called Easter Sunday and is not fixed to a specific day. It usually falls between March 22nd and April 25th. It is supposed to fall on the first Sunday after the full moon following March 21st.

On Easter Sunday, many people eat Easter Eggs. Christians believe that Easter eggs symbolise new life and resurrection. Decorating Easter Eggs was traditionally a sign of the empty tomb when Jesus rose from the dead.

QUESTIONS TO DEEPEN YOUR LEARNING



You might like to...

Have a go at making some Hot Cross Buns. Find the recipe at: <https://www.bbcgoodfood.com/recipes/10119/easy-hot-cross-buns> Take some pictures or bring them into school!

Character	Critical Thinking	Creativity	Communication	Citizenship	Collaboration
Which parts of this do I need to understand?	Why do I need to know about this?	What am I curious about?	How could I present what I understand?	How could this information help people?	What can I learn from others about this?