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CHRISTIANITY – HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

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Keywords:

Holy
Week

Resurrection

Easter
Sunday

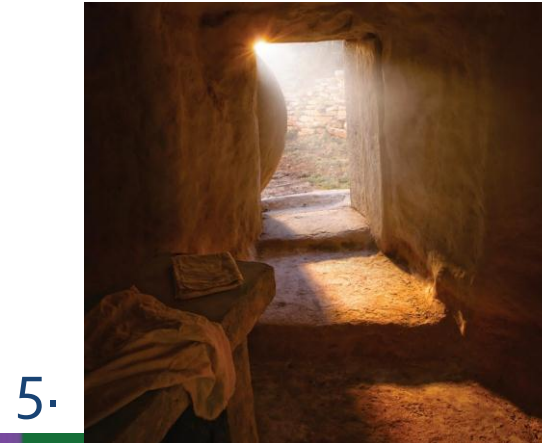
Palm
Sunday

Good
Friday

Crucifixion

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(5 MINUTES)



Which of these images do you recognise?

What do they mean?

What is Holy week?

What is Easter?

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- **Holy Week** is the last week of **Lent** - *period of six weeks, 40 days not including Sundays*, leading up to Easter, the most important festival in the Christian calendar.



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- It starts with **Palm Sunday**, which commemorates Jesus' arrival in Jerusalem over 2000 years ago.
- During Holy Week, the story of Jesus' last supper and trial are commemorated.



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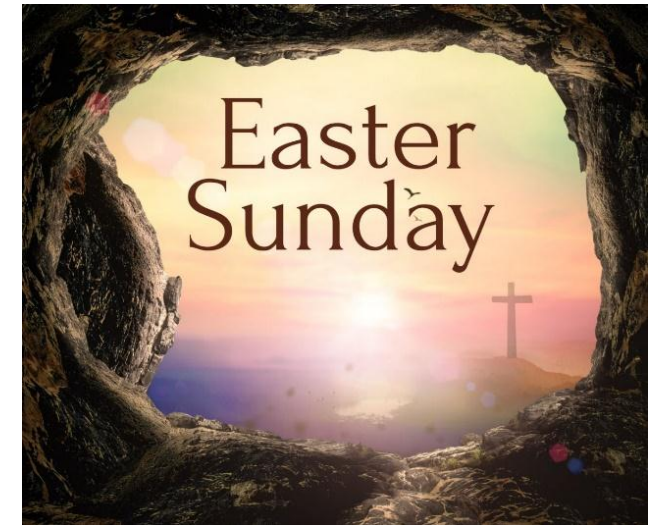
- **Good Friday** is a day of mourning in many Christian churches as Jesus' crucifixion is remembered.



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- **Easter Sunday** is the day when Christians remember the resurrection of Jesus with church services, candles, acclamations, great food and Easter eggs.



ACTIVITY 1:

WRITE A LETTER BACK TO MR. TERRY VISION, WHERE YOU ANSWER TO HIS REQUEST.

Mr. Terry Vision says on his letter:

Dear Year 4,

I would like to inform you that I am starting this new television show called "*Traditional Celebrations*" and I need your help. This will be showing on TV every Sunday, at 8pm, and it is crucial that you participate.

This being said, I would like you to do some research on what is Holy Week and Easter.

From your new friend,

Terry Vision

P.S. Please answer to this letter as soon as you can, as I will be airing this show for the first time on Sunday, the 28th March.



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How to structure your letter:

- Start by writing your address on the top right corner
- Then, below it, write the date
- Start your letter with a polite greeting, eg. "Dear Mr Terry,"
- Then, start your first paragraph by explaining why you are writing this letter: "I am writing you this letter because ..."
- On the two following paragraphs you will answer his question of what is Holy week and Easter based on your research.
- Sign your letter
- Write a P.S in case you forgot to mention something

	Street Town POSTCODE
	00th Month 0000
Name Street Town POSTCODE	
Dear Sir / Madam,	
Introduction	
Main point of the letter...	
2 nd main point of the letter...	
3 rd main point of the letter...	
Second guessing – 'I know you may say that staff were ill but.....'	
Conclusion of letter – 'What you want to happen from writing your letter (apology/refund etc. Also add 'Thank you for your co-operation.'	