

Vocabulary		
Word	Picture	Definition
Christian		A follower of Christianity.
Jew		A follower of Judaism
Belong		To be part of a group.
Easter		A Christian celebration in Spring
Salvation		To save something from harm or ruin.
Incarnation		The embodiment of God as a person.
Church		A place for Christian worship.
Holy		Devoted to the service of God
Resurrection		The rising of Christ from the dead

Salvation

For Christians, Jesus' life, death and **resurrection** is seen as salvation. Jesus, as God in the flesh (**incarnation**), shows people what God is like, in his teachings and example. Jesus' name means 'he saves'. His death is seen by Christians as a sacrifice, the supreme example of God's love for people, and the model for Christian living. One way of looking at this is that Jesus' death and **resurrection** heals the damage done by sin: so, if people ask for forgiveness, it is freely given, because Jesus has already paid the punishment. The death and resurrection should not be seen as a complete end to sin, however: sins can be forgiven by God through Jesus.

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Palm Sunday

Sunday before Easter. Celebration of Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem. Observed with palm branches, parades, and celebration.



Maundy Thursday

Thursday before Easter. Commemorates the Last Supper. Often observed with foot washing, stripping of the altar, and overnight prayer vigil to keep watch with Jesus in the garden.



Good Friday

Friday before Easter. Most solemn day of the church year. Observes the day Jesus was crucified. Observed by praying the Stations of the Cross and three hours of silent prayer while Jesus was on the cross.



Holy Saturday

Saturday before Easter. Observes the day Jesus was in the tomb. This is a day of somber reflection, reflecting on what we'd miss in a world without Jesus.



Easter Sunday

Hallelujah! Christ has risen! This day we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus. Sing hallelujahs and celebrate with great joy.



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