

Using Youtube listen to songs by a Christian children's band called 'Awesome Cutlery'. Search for songs 'Jesus When You Died' and 'He has Risen'. Why do Christians want to say 'thankyou' to Jesus?



Using paper plates create a 'Calvary' scene with the hill and three crosses. Discuss why this is an important part of the story for Christians

Create a scavenger hunt of items from the Easter story, such as palm leaves and a donkey, a table with food, hand cuffs, cross, nails (not sharp – I'd suggest fake!), tomb, grave clothes, angel, women (who went to the tomb). Gather these together to tell the story of Easter.

Baking Time! Why not create some 'Resurrection rolls', telling the Easter story of Jesus' body being put into the tomb but not being there when his friends went to see him. Place the marshmallow in the middle and find it gone when you take them out of the oven!

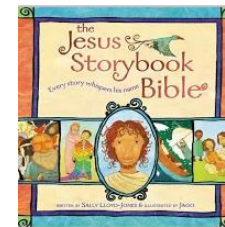


Using Youtube, listen to a reading of the Easter story. Search for 'The Story of Easter' by Saddleback Kids.



# KS1 Easter Extravaganza with insight

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Using Youtube search for 'The Jesus Story Book Bible'. Here you can watch Easter videos as well as many other stories that explain why Jesus is so important to Christians

Using soil, rocks, a plant pot and lollipop sticks create an Easter Garden with a hill, tomb and three crosses.



Using playdough create key symbols from the Easter story, such as a cross, crown of thorns, cup of wine with bread (from the Last Supper)

Using Lego create different parts of the Easter story, such as

- Jesus arriving on a donkey
- The Last Supper
- Jesus and his Disciples in the Garden of Gethsemane
- Jesus on Cross
- The empty tomb



## Resurrection Rolls:

Method can be found at :

<https://joyfoodsunshine.com/homemade-resurrection-rolls/>

### Ingredients:

For the dough:

½ cup warm milk (118ml) 105 degrees F (180-200 degrees c)

1 TBS granulated sugar

2 tsp yeast (active dry)

3 TBS butter melted

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1 egg lightly beaten at room temperature

½ tsp pure vanilla extract

½ tsp sea salt

½ tsp ground cinnamon

2 cups all-purpose flour (402g) or 1 cup all-purpose flour (201g) 1 cup whole wheat pastry flour (201g)!

Other Ingredients:

8 large marshmallows

3 TBS granulated sugar

1 tsp ground cinnamon

2 TBS butter melted



### Method:

- Mix the ingredients for the dough together
- Roll your dough into a circular shape
- Cut the dough into pizza shaped pieces
- Dip marshmallows into the melted butter (**this represents Jesus' body**)
- Roll the marshmallows into the cinnamon sugar (**representing the culture of putting spices on a body**)
- Place the marshmallow onto the dough slice. Roll these in very tight making sure there are NO HOLES OR GAPS! (**Jesus' body was placed in the tomb**)
- Place the rolls on a baking tray
- Once the rolls are taken out of the oven let them cool down
- Decorate with a cross on the top using icing sugar
- Cut open and find an empty tomb! (**When the women went to take spices for Jesus' body he wasn't there, he was alive again!**)

\*Please note that other resurrection roll recipes can be found online if you would prefer a recipe with UK measurements!