

Easter

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Spring holidays

- water pouring –

Boys pour water over girls to stay healthy and fresh. It is a big fun.



Habits and traditions

Making whips



Painting Easter eggs

For dying eggs red-brown colour people used to boil the eggs in onion peels.

Symbols of Easter



Easter food

- Ham
- Eggs
- Easter cheese-lump
- Pie flatbread-mazanec
- Easter honeysuckle



Easter three days



Green Thursday - represents

last supper of Jesus in Olive hill. The colour comes from olives. Since we don't grow olives in our country people typically eat spinach or other green dishes on this day. From this day all bells in churches stay silent.

Good Friday -represents
crucifixion of Jesus. There are no masses
in the church and people don't eat meat.



White Saturday – people cook and bake meals for
the next day. The first mass starts in the evening with the bells
ringing again.



Easter Sunday

- Sunday is believed to be the biggest fest of the year. It was not allowed to cook or cut with knife. The food was put into baskets and taken to church for blessing.



- Jesus get up from the dead



Easter Monday

Easter Monday is loved by boys and hated by girls. From early morning boys visit houses and flats with girls and splash water on them. This is how they wish them good health. The girls are also whipped by a whip made of willow twigs to be fresh and bendy as the whips. Then the boys get decorated eggs, chocolates, sweets and money.



Thank you for your attention!

