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March 25 - April 1

March 25 - Palm Sunday

March 29 - Maundy Thursday

March 30 - Good Friday

April 1 - Easter Sunday



HOLY WEEK

The key to many customs and traditions in Lent is what down through the ages has come to be known as Holy Week, the last week in Lent. It has become a tradition to trace the activities of Jesus that led to the cross of Calvary. Holy Week begins with **Palm Sunday** as a reminder of

Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. The people along the roadside waved palms and shouted "Hosanna" the Hebrew word for "save now." (See Matthew 21:1-11, Mark 11:1-10, Luke 19:28-40, and John 12:12-19.) Many churches today bless the palms and distribute them in the form of crosses to be worn by the worshipers.

MAUNDY THURSDAY

Maundy Thursday lifts up the event of the Lord's Last Supper that was celebrated in the Upper Room at the time of the Jewish Passover. It is the basis for the establishment of

Mary McLeod Bethune



From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

Born: Mary Jane McLeod, July 10, 1875, [Mayesville, South Carolina](#), U.S.

Died: May 18, 1955 (aged 79), [Daytona Beach, Florida](#), U.S.

Occupation: Educator, Author, and African American Civil Rights Leader

Spouse: Albertus Bethune, m. 1898, died 1918

Children: 1
Mary Jane McLeod

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