

Resurrection Garden

Resurrection Sunday, Easter Sunday, Palm Sunday, Good Friday. These are celebration days and days of remembrance.

Are you looking for ways to inspire children during this Easter season? Try creating a Resurrection Garden!



Here is the Cast of Characters:

Pick up the terra-cotta saucer, small terra-cotta planter, potting soil and fast-growing grass seed at our local hardware store.

Ideally, you plant your Resurrection Garden at the start of Holy Week, Palm Sunday. The goal is to plant it, wait and watch for it to sprout and grow a pot full of grass by Easter/Resurrection Sunday. It works, you will have grass seven days later - the prettiest grass you have ever seen!



Palm Sunday

Palm Sunday is the day that we remember and celebrate the day Jesus entered into Jerusalem as Savior and King. Read Matthew 21: 1-11 aloud as a family.

Then say, "Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest heaven!" Matthew 21:9

1. Add your collected rocks to the bottom of your planter to build it up.



2. Add your soil and small terra-cotta planter to the larger planter to create your soil bed.



3. Add grass seeds to your soil bed.



4. Use a water bottle and spray your entire planter and saturate your grass seeds.



5. Add additional rocks to your planter as decoration. You can add peat moss or any other garden decorations. Be creative. Let your kids be creative!



6. Water your garden daily using a spray bottle.



Good Friday

Read Matthew 27:32- 56 aloud as a family.

1. On Good Friday collect the sticks and tie 3 crosses together. You can use yarn or twine (or even dental floss) to tie your crosses together. You then place the 3 crosses at the top of your garden pressed into the soil.
2. Add a large stone to cover the opening of the tomb.

Easter/Resurrection Morning

Read Luke 24

Remove stone from the tomb.

**HAPPY RESURRECTION
DAY!!**

