<!doctype html>

<html class="no-js" lang="">

<head>

<meta charset="utf-8">

<meta http-equiv="X-UA-Compatible" content="IE=edge,chrome=1">

<title>Easter</title>

<meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1">

<link rel="stylesheet" href="../plugins/font-awesome/css/font-awesome.min.css">

<link rel="stylesheet" href="../css/bootstrap.min.css">

<link rel="stylesheet" href="../css/main.css"> </head>

<body>

<div class="container">

<div class="row">

<h1 class="pull-left col-xs-12 col-lg-4 hidden-xs"><span class="f">F</span>e<span class="f">s</span>t<span class="f">a</span>v<span class="f">i</span><span class="a">a</span> <small><span class="pipe">|</span> home of celebrations</small></h1> </div>

</div>

<div class="container">

<div class="row">

<nav class="navbar navbar-default">

<div class="container">

<!-- Brand and toggle get grouped for better mobile display -->

<div class="navbar-header">

<button type="button" class="navbar-toggle collapsed" data-toggle="collapse" data-target="#festavia-menu"> <span class="sr-only">Toggle Navigation</span> <span class="icon-bar"></span> <span class="icon-bar"></span> <span class="icon-bar"></span> </button>

<a class="navbar-brand" href="#">

<h1 class="pull-left col-xs-12 col-lg-3 hidden-lg hidden-md hidden-sm"><span class="f">F</span>e<span class="f">s</span>t<span class="f">a</span>v<span class="f">i</span><span class="a">a</span></h1> </a>

</div>

<div class="collapse navbar-collapse" id="festavia-menu">

<ul class="nav navbar-nav">

<li><a href="../index.html">Home<span class="sr-only">(current)</span></a></li>

<li class="dropdown active"> <a href="#" class="dropdown-toggle" data-toggle="dropdown" role="button" aria-expanded="false">Festivals<span class="caret"></span></a>

<ul class="dropdown-menu" role="menu">

<li><a href="christmas.html">Christmas</a></li>

<li><a href="eid-ul-fitr.html">Eid'ul Fitr</a></li>

<li class="active"><a href="easter.html">Easter</a></li>

<li><a href="chineeseNewYr.html">Chinese New Year </a></li>

<li class="divider"></li>

<li><a href="christianfestivals.html">Christian Festivals</a></li>

<li><a href="islamicFestivals.html">Islamic Festivals</a></li>

<li><a href="AetheistFestivals.html">Aetheist Festivals</a></li>

<li class="divider"></li>

</ul>

</li>

<li><a href="../gallery.html">Gallery</a></li>

<li><a href="../contact.html">Contact Us</a></li>

<li><a href="../about.html">About Us</a></li>

<li><a href="../sitemap.html">Site Map</a></li>

<li class="hidden-md hidden-sm">

<input id="searchBox" type="search" placeholder="search">

<input type="button" class="btn btn-info" value="Search"> </li>

<li class="hidden-xs hidden-md hidden-lg"><i class="fa fa-search" aria-hidden="true"></i></li>

</ul>

</div>

</div>

</nav>

</div>

</div>

<!-- navigation-->

<div class="container socialMedia">

<div class="row"> <small class=" col-lg-12 hidden-sm hidden-md hidden-lg"><i>home of celebrations</i></small>

<ul class="pull-right list-inline">

<li title="Facebook "><a href="# "><i class="fa fa-facebook"></i></a></li>

<li title="Twitter "><a href="# "><i class="fa fa-twitter"></i></a></li>

<li title="Instagram "><a href="# "><i class="fa fa-instagram"></i></a></li>

</ul>

</div>

</div>

<div class="clearfix "></div>

<div class="container siteArea">

<div class="row">

<div class="col-lg-12">

<div class="dropdown pull-right">

<button class="btn btn-info dropdown-toggle" type="button" id="dropdownload" data-toggle="dropdown" aria-expanded="true"> Download<span class="caret"></span> </button>

<ul class="dropdown-menu" role="menu" aria-lebelledby="dropdownload">

<li role="presentation"><a role="menuitem" tabindex="-1" href="../documents/docx/EASTER.docx">.docx</a> </li>

<li role="presentation"><a role="menuitem" tabindex="-1" href="../documents/pdf/EASTER.pdf">.pdf</a> </li>

</ul>

</div>

<hr>

<h2 class="text-center">

<strong>EASTER</strong></h2>

<article> <img class="img-responsive pull-right" src="../images/4.png" />

<p><b>Easter</b>, also called Pascha or Resurrection Sunday, is a festival and holiday celebrating the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, described in the New Testament as having occurred on the third day of his burial after his crucifixion by Romans at Calvary c. 30 AD. It is the culmination of the Passion of Christ, preceded by Lent (or Great Lent), a forty-day period of fasting, prayer, and penance.</p>

<p>The week before Easter is called Holy Week, and it contains the days of the Easter Triduum, including Maundy Thursday, commemorating the Maundy and Last Supper, as well as Good Friday, commemorating the crucifixion and death of Jesus. In western Christianity, Eastertide, the Easter Season, begins on Easter Sunday and lasts seven weeks, ending with the coming of the fiftieth day, Pentecost Sunday. In Orthodoxy, the season of Pascha begins on Pascha and ends with the coming of the fortieth day, the Feast of the Ascension.</p>

<p>Easter and the holidays that are related to it are moveable feasts which do not fall on a fixed date in the Gregorian or Julian calendars which follow only the cycle of the sun; rather, its date is determined on a lunisolar calendar similar to the Hebrew calendar. The First Council of Nicaea (325) established two rules, independence of the Jewish calendar and worldwide uniformity, which were the only rules for Easter explicitly laid down by the council. No details for the computation were specified; these were worked out in practice, a process that took centuries and generated a number of controversies. It has come to be the first Sunday after the ecclesiastical full moon that occurs on or soonest after 21 March, but calculations vary in East and West.</p>

<p>Easter is linked to the Jewish Passover by much of its symbolism, as well as by its position in the calendar. In many languages, the words for "Easter" and "Passover" are identical or very similar. Easter customs vary across the Christian world, and include sunrise services, exclaiming the Paschal greeting, clipping the church, and decorating Easter eggs (symbols of the empty tomb). The Easter lily, a symbol of the resurrection, traditionally decorates the chancel area of churches on this day and for the rest of Eastertide.[18] Additional customs that have become associated with Easter and are observed by both Christians and some non-Christians include egg hunting, the Easter Bunny, and Easter parades. There are also various traditional Easter foods that vary regionally.</p>

</article>

</div>

<div class="clearfix"></div>

<footer class="container-fluid">

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<br> Stay in touch</p>

<ul class="list-inline ">

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