

The Significance of Easter: A Celebration of New Beginnings

Join Ellie and Leo as they explore the wonder and reflection of the Easter season!

- **Lent is a forty-day period of reflection and fasting that prepares Christians for the celebration of Easter.**
- **Holy Week includes Maundy Thursday, which remembers the Last Supper, and Good Friday, which marks the crucifixion of Jesus.**
- **Easter Sunday celebrates the Resurrection, representing the Christian belief in victory over death and the promise of eternal life.**
- **Symbols such as the egg represent new life and the empty tomb, serving as a visual reminder of the Easter message.**
- **For Christians, Easter is considered the most significant festival of the year, even more so than Christmas.**

Did you know? Did you know? The date of Easter changes every year! It is determined by the lunar calendar, specifically the first Sunday after the first full moon following the Spring Equinox. This makes it a 'movable feast' in the Christian calendar.

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