
He is Risen! Craft Ideas for Easter

Easter is here! After journeying through the season of Lent and the solemnity of Good Friday, Easter is a joyous celebration. There are many fun and festive possible activities to create in celebrating springtime or Easter. As with most things in life, the central element here should be the Gospel of Christ. The resurrection is the main event of the Bible, after all. Additional elements for seasonal enjoyment are featured here, as well. Happy crafting!

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Bible Verses or Craft Captions to Consider...

*But the angel said to the women, "Do not be afraid, for I know that you seek Jesus who was crucified. 6 He is not here, for he has risen, as he said. Come, see the place where he lay.
- Matthew 28:5-6*

7 Then go quickly and tell his disciples that he has risen from the dead, and behold, he is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him. See, I have told you." 8 So they departed quickly from the tomb with fear and great joy, and ran to tell his disciples. -Matthew 28:7-8

He is risen! Hallelujah!

Happy Easter!

The sun will rise...and the SON will rise!

Praise God for Daily Blessings!



Craft one: “Easter Flower Garden”

You will need:

- Scissors
- Construction paper (any color)
- Markers or decorating materials
- Glue or tape
- Popsicle sticks
- Cupcake liners and/or coffee filters
- Small cups or pots
- Pipe cleaners (optional decoration)



Procedure:

1. Use cupcake liners, coffee filters, and construction paper to create flower designs.
2. Add colorful decorations, if desired.
3. Attach the “flowers” to popsicle sticks or pipe cleaners.
4. Carefully place the “flowers” in cup or pot.
5. Add stickers or captions to the outside of the cup.



Craft Two: “Easter Buddies”

You will need:

- Construction Paper or tissue paper
- Glue, tape, or staples
- Google eyes or pom-poms (optional)
- Scissors
- Pipe cleaners or string
- Plastic Easter eggs
- Permanent markers



Procedure:

1. Choose an animal theme for your “buddy.”
2. Place pipe cleaners through small holes in the Easter egg, creating “ears,” “feet,” or other parts of the animal.
3. Cut a paper, cardstock, or felt piece to add extra fun flair to the animal.
4. Glue or draw eyes and facial features.
5. Place the “animal” in a paper or cup for extra stability, if desired.



Craft Three: “Empty Tomb”

You will need:

- Paper plates or paper
- Popsicle sticks
- Markers or crayons
- Scissors
- Glue or tape
- Brad fasteners



Procedure:

1. Cut the plate in half, or cut the bottom off of it to make an arch shape.
2. Decorate the plate with “stone” colors and additional pictures as desired.
3. Cut an upside down “U” shape out of the bottom of the plate to create a stone “door.”
4. Carefully attach the “stone” to the “tomb” by poking the brad fastener through the door and the plate (it may be helpful to poke a hole in the plates first, to allow the fastener through).
5. Glue the popsicle sticks into the shape of a cross, and attach it to the side of the plate.
6. Add a verse, caption, or handwritten note on the tomb to celebrate that Christ is risen!





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