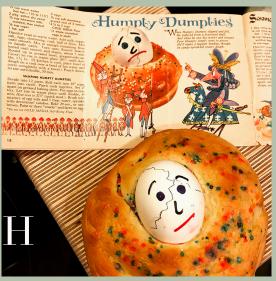
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ST. DAVID'S DAY Sacred to Wales. Leeks & daffodils on our lapels.

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LANTERN FESTIVAL The conclusion of the Chinese Lunar New Year festivities.

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MOTHERING SUNDAY. LAETARE SUNDAY (MIDLENT)

Rose vestments rather than purple. It's Mother's Day in the UK: Bring your mom a simnel cake.

I7 ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Sacred to Ireland. Shamrocks & soda bread mark this day that honors the man who drove the snakes from Ireland.

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VERNAL EQUINOX 12:15 PM IN LAKE WORTH

Balance. Today marks the sun's midway point between shortest day (Midwinter in December) and longest day (Midsummer in June).

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HOLY THURSDAY, MAUNDY THURSDAY

Tradition would have us visit three churches at night, to sit in the dark and quiet stillness.

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ST. URHO'S DAY The Finns of Lake Worth and Lantana honor today, with a wink and a smile, the man who drove the grasshoppers from Finland.

I9 st. joseph's day

Sacred to Italy. Zeppole & sfinci fried or baked dough filled with custard and cherries or ricotta cream bring rich sweetness to Lent.

25 PALM SUNDAY

Marks Jesus's triumphant entry into Jerusalem, setting the events of Holy Week in motion. (The Feast of the Annunciation, usually on the 25th, is moved to the Monday after the Second Sunday of Easter.)

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GOOD FRIDAY.

PASSOVER (PESACH) BEGINS AT SUNDOWN

Passover commemorates the freeing of the Israelites from their slavery in Egypt, and Good Friday, the passion of Christ. It's rare the two fall on the same day.

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HOLY SATURDAY Solemn Lent concludes at sundown. Joyful reawakening takes its place.



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