## HOLY WEEK AND EASTER ACTIVITIES

- Participate in a Sunday School Palm Sunday procession in church. Read Mark 11:1-11.
- √ Clean outside and inside your home as a way of preparing for the renewal of Easter.
- Offer to help your church prepare for Easter services. Read John 12:37-38, 42-50.
- ✓ Help prepare your home for Easter: color eggs, decorate. Read John 13:21-35.
- Note the dates and times of Holy Week services. Invite a friend to attend with you.
- On Easter morning be up at sunrise with your family to say a special prayer. The appearance of the sun at dawn will be a beautiful symbol of the light of Christ.
- The day before Easter, make an Easter candle.
  In a large, thick white candle, stick red-headed pins in the shape of a cross. On Easter Eve and the entire week following, light the candle at mealtime as your mother or father says, "May the light of Christ shine in our hearts and direct our ways." Followed by everyone's response, "Lord, hear our prayer."
- Read and pray over the Gospel accounts of Jesus' Resurrection: Matthew 28, Mark 16, Luke 24, and John 20.

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