#### Family Resources for Celebrating Easter!

Resources on our LEFC Kids Ministry Parents Resources Page!

- Family devotion cards for the 40 days of Easter are HERE for you.
- A Countdown to Easter—40 activities for your family [one idea per day], HERE. You may opt to change up some of the activities to fit your family better, but this is a great and fun start to ideas for things to do in the days leading to Easter.
- Family Easter Pack [3 pages] to look at HERE [this is a great visual to talk with your kids about Easter with Scriptures included]

## Want to buy a set of resurrection eggs?

You can look online or in your favorite store for: Family Life Resurrection Eggs - 12-Piece Easter Egg Set with Booklet and Religious Figurines Inside - Tells the Full Story of Easter

#### Easter Family Devotional Books

- The Way to the Savior: A Family Easter Devotional by Abbey and Jeff Land
- A Jesus Easter: Explore God's Amazing Rescue Plan (An Interactive Family Devotional for Lent Complete with Parent Guide, Discussion Questions, Activities, and Space for Journaling) by Barbara Reaoch

# Easter Books [Picture Books]

- Twas the Morning of Easter by Glenys Nellist
- Easter Love Letters from God by Glenys Nellist
- The Garden, the Curtain, and the Cross Storybook: The true story of why Jesus died and rose again, by Carl Laferton
- Benjamin's Box: The Story of the Resurrection Eggs by Melody Carlson
- The Easter Fix by Steph Williams
- Why is there a Cross? by Kathleen Long Bostrom
- The Parable of the Lily by Liz Curtis Higgs
- The Easter Promise by Brian Cochran; adapted by Lila Empson
- The Donkey who carried a king by RC Sproul
- God Gave Us Easter by Lisa Tawn Bergren
- Jesus Calling: The Story of Easter by Sarah Young
- The Legend of the Easter Egg by Lori Walburg
- Humphrey's First Palm Sunday by Carol Heyer
- Christ in Easter: A Family Celebration of Holy Week by Joni Eareckson Tada, Max Lucado, Charles W. Colson, et al.

### Easter Books [Board Books]

- What is Easter? by Michelle Medlock Adams
- The Story of Passover by Rabbi Francis Barry Silberg
- Easter, Easter, Almost Here! by Kathleen Long Bostrom
- The Story of Easter by Patricia A Pingry
- God Gave Us Easter by Lisa Tawn Bergren

Some Easter music ideas recommended by Jen Spead

I love the Hymns for a Kid's Heart series by Bobby Wolgemuth and Joni Erikson Tada. There are 4 volumes, and the books have devotionals and simple piano arrangements, while the CDs have children singing the hymns. It's a great tool for family worship or just learning some of the best hymns which are not always sung in Church anymore. My favorite volume is the Easter volume because it helps prepare our hearts for Easter leading up to that holiday (there are plenty of Christmas resources, but not many for Easter).

Volume 1

Volume 2

Volume 3 (Christmas)

Volume 4 (Passion/ Easter)

Celebrating Easter ideas/websites

https://happyhomefairy.com/resurrection-eggs/ [this website has some creative fun ideas for families]

\*Do you have ideas and traditions you'd like to share? Feel free to email me at <a href="mailto:brown@lefc.net">brown@lefc.net</a> so we can add them to this list!

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