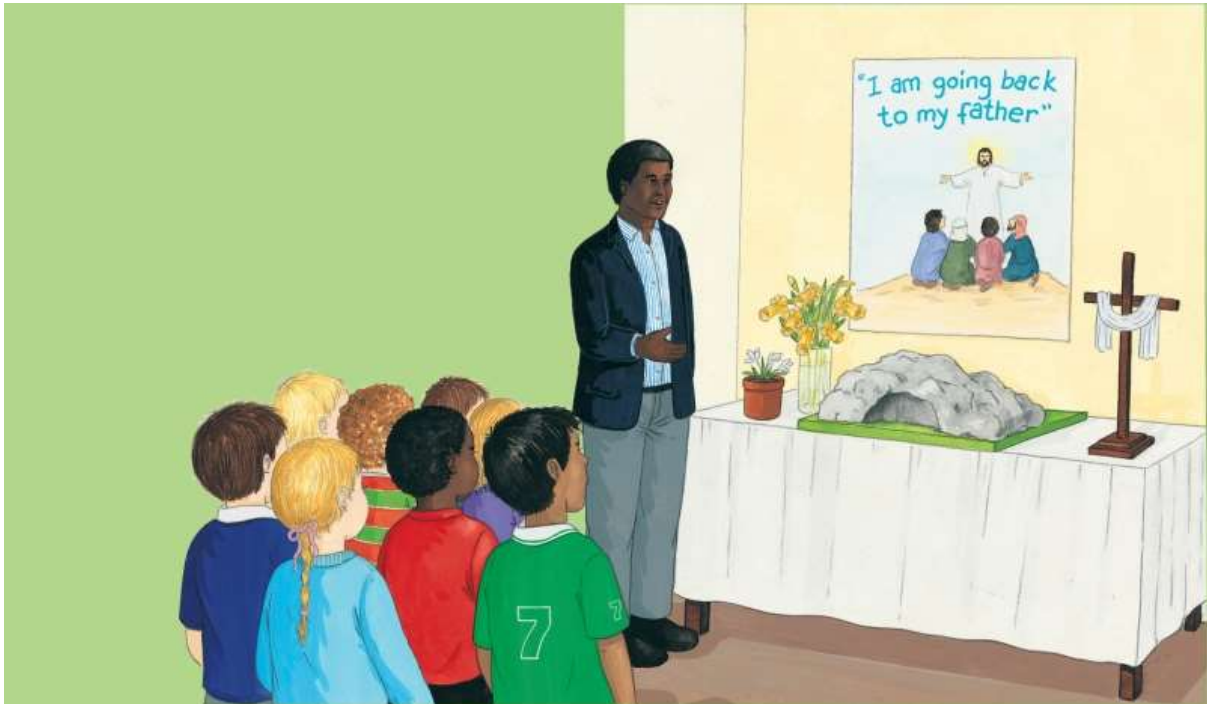


The word holiday comes from holyday. In times past the only holiday anyone had was a saint's feast day or important feast days like Easter and Christmas. Some days of the year are 'holy days', when we celebrate these special times in the Church's year.

Look at the picture and discuss what happened at Easter. One special word we sing at Easter time to celebrate is 'Alleluia!' We have just celebrated the feast of Easter when we remember Jesus rising from the dead.



Discuss:

Which holy days can you think of?

What happens on those days?

Which of them were also holidays?

How did you celebrate them?

Task

Write and/or draw what happens on one of the holy days you have looked at.