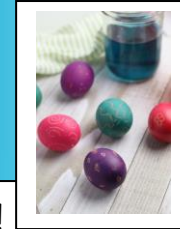




Friday, 10th April
Treasure Hunts and lovely eggs!



Get everything ready today for a treasure hunt on Sunday!

Make lots of little Easter eggs to hide around your garden or your house.

Use a different coloured paper for each person in your family. If you fold your paper first you can cut lots of eggs at the same time.

If you only have white paper you can draw a different pattern or picture on the eggs for each person. (see p3)

Make sure everyone has the same number of eggs!

On Saturday make some coloured eggs to put on the table on Easter Day as a decorationand then eat them! (if you can buy any)

1. For red eggs use red onion skins, for yellow eggs use turmeric, for blue eggs use red cabbage, for green eggs

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use spinach. If you don't have vegetables, put hard boiled eggs in food colouring. Half fill a mug with water, add 1 tspn vinegar and 15 -20 drops for each colour (until you get the colour you want). Leave your egg for at least 5 mins. Leave to dry and then keep in the fridge.

If you have vegetables:

1. Place red onion skins and ½ cup of vinegar in a large pan. Bring to the boil and simmer for 20 mins.
2. Let the water cool and then place the eggs carefully in the pan.
3. Lighter eggs work better (if there is any choice).
4. Bring to the boil and simmer for another 20 mins.
5. If you can leave them overnight in the fridge this is best. (Let the water cool first).
6. Dry them and then use some oil on kitchen paper to make them shiny.



Wax designs

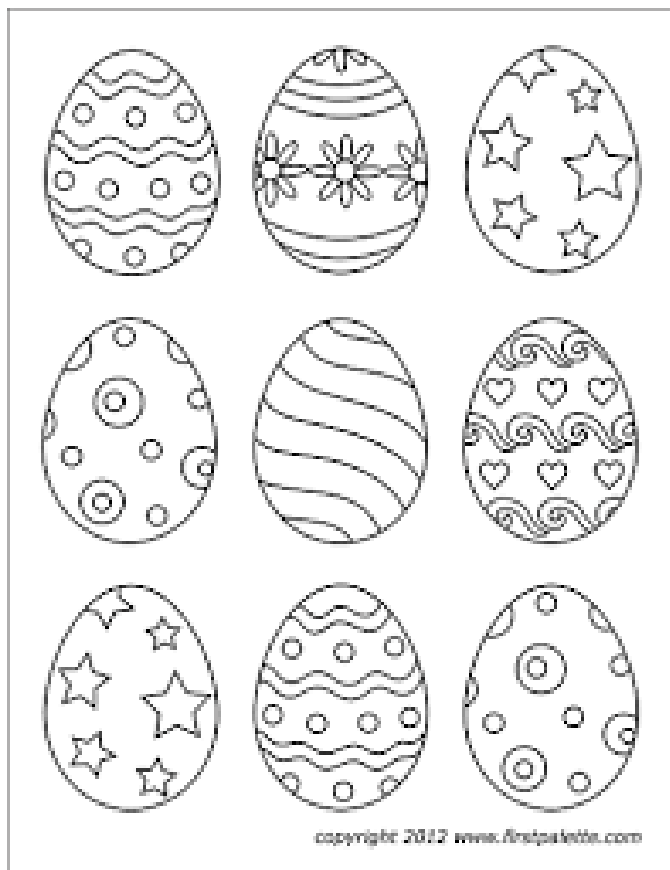
Hard boil eggs and let them cool. Handle the eggs carefully so they don't crack. Use wax crayons to draw a picture or design. Then colour wash the egg with paint or dip dye. Or stick stars or other small stickers onto the eggs before dipping.



Join us on Sunday at <http://www.holytrinitycuckfield.org/church-life/sundays-cool/>

for the Easter story, more Easter activities and songs!

.....And don't forget your Easter egg treasure hunt!



Children love to plan things and they love a picnic!

If the weather's nice why not let the children plan a picnic tea where you can all eat your eggs? If the weather's not so good, be very British and picnic on the floor indoors!!

Wishing you all a very Happy Easter!

