

GRÜNDONNERSTAG / GREEN THURSDAY

The Thursday before Easter is known as "*Gründonnerstag*" or "*Green Thursday*." Here, the custom is to eat green foods such as soups made with spinach, leeks, and parsley.



Eat something green: "*Gründonnerstag*" (Maundy Thursday in English) is the last time Jesus ate with his disciples before he was crucified. The word "*grün*" in Germany, in this case, does not come from the color green, but from the old German word "*grönan*," which means crying. But some people still eat just green food on *this day*.