

Easter

Easter in Britain
Easter in Russia



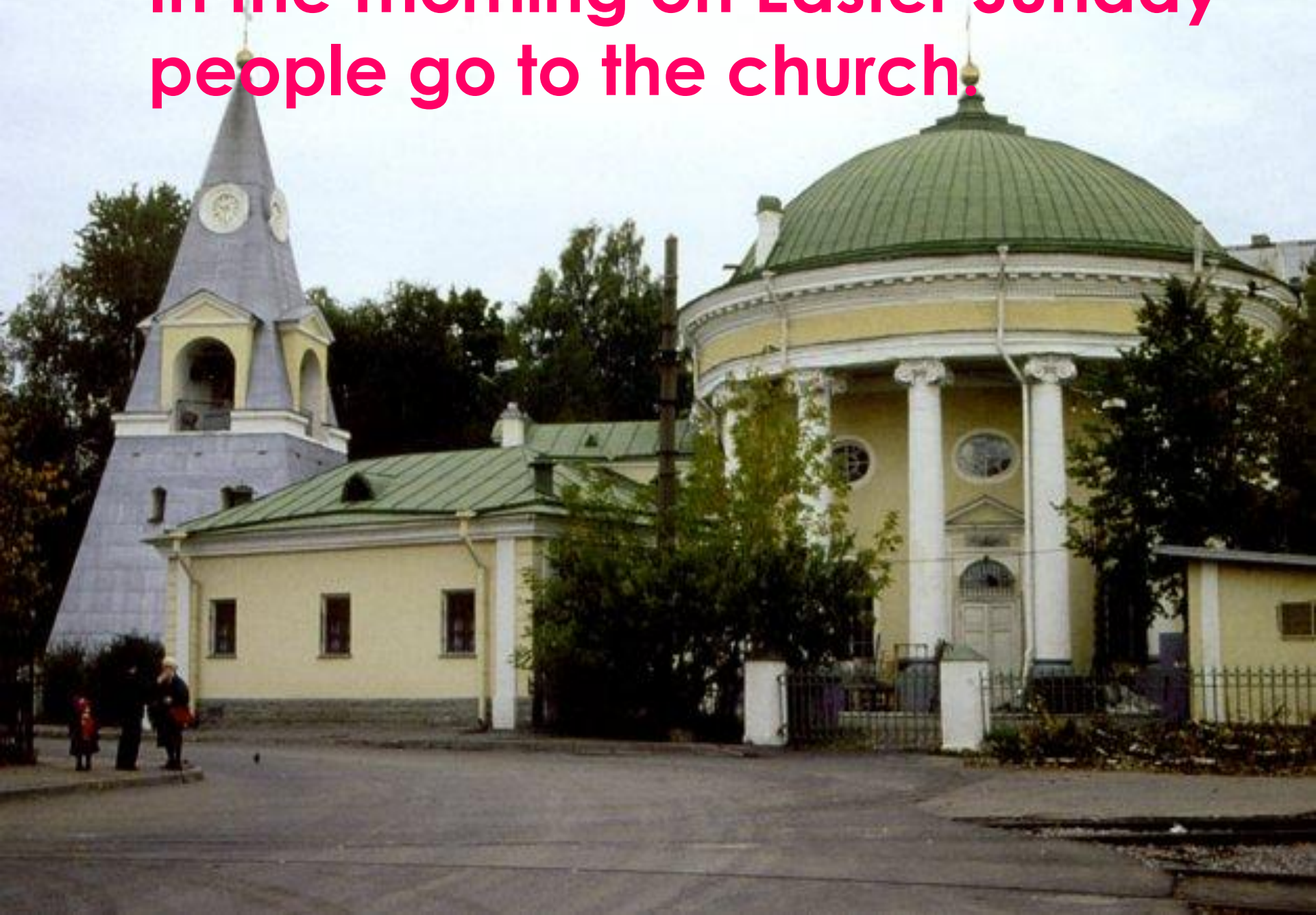
Easter is a holiday of spring life and flowers. In Britain people usually celebrate it between late March and late April. Easter starts on the Friday before Easter Sunday. The British call it Good Friday.



On this day they eat hot cross buns and give children chocolate eggs and chocolate rabbits. Eggs and rabbits are some of the Easter symbols.



**In the morning on Easter Sunday
people go to the church.**



After that, they have dinner with their families.



A very popular Easter tradition is to have an «Easter egg hunt». Parents hide the Easter eggs and their children have to look for them.



**In Russia we celebrate Easter
later than people do in Britain.**



We go to church on the Saturday night before Easter and at midnight the priest says «Christ is risen» and the people answer «He is risen indeed.



On Sunday we eat our Easter
meat kuliches ,pashas and
Easter eggs.



We give presents and
strangers.



A close-up, slightly blurred photograph of a large number of Easter eggs. The eggs are in various colors including red, yellow, green, blue, and white. Some eggs have horizontal stripes in different colors. The lighting is bright, creating highlights and shadows on the smooth surfaces of the eggs.

A merry Easter!