

This Lent...Plant, Grow, Celebrate!

Plant your faith and watch it grow as you plant & grow your own Easter Grass. Tend to your faith by reading the daily prayer while you tend to your emerging Easter Grass.

To get started: Gather the grass seed packet provided and these additional supplies found in the gardening department of most stores:

- potting soil
- plastic plant saucer (that fits inside your Easter basket)

Instructions:

Day 1:

- Plant seeds at least 2 weeks before Easter in the plastic plant saucer.
- Fill the plastic plant saucer half way with soil, and pat it down evenly.
- Add seeds on top of the dirt. Press them down into the dirt about half an inch with your fingers. Some seed will remain on top.
- Generously wet the dirt, but not too much!
- Place your saucers in a warm sunny place indoors.
- **Water your grass every day**, just enough to dampen the soil. *(Remember your prayer!)*

Day 3 to 4: Blades of grass should begin poking up through the dirt!

Day 4 to 6: The grass will continue to grow and thicken in the saucer.

Day 8 to 12: Your grass will reach a good height and will be ready for your Easter basket! Test the length of your grass by placing the saucer of grass in your basket. If the grass is too long, you can simply trim it with a pair of scissors!

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Grow Me, Lord

I remember when YOU first gave birth to my soul
A heart full of joy, I was on a roll
Then life set in, how was I to know
To get back to YOU, I've got to grow

So grow me into someone faithful and strong
Grow in me the courage it takes to carry on
Grow me into someone gentle, kind and true
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Adapted from Brush Arbor's "Grow Me"



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