Good Friday Celebration Photos - Images shows how Christians around the world are marking this

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Just two days ahead of Easter Sunday, Christians around the world are celebrating Good Friday, the holy day marking the death and crucifixion of Jesus Christ.

Good Friday Celebration

Good Friday, which takes place this year on April 14, is the second day of the Easter Triduum, the holy period that begins with Holy Thursday and ends with Easter Sunday.

Catholics traditionally fast on Good Friday, and the solemn occasion traditionally isn't celebrated with a mass, though there may be a liturgy performed. Some areas around the world, such as the Philippines, also mark the occasion with a reenactment of Christ's crucifixion.

Here are photos showing how Christians around the world are marking this holy day.

India

A Good Friday reenactment in Ahmedabad, India. Source: Ajit Solanki/AP

Reenactment in Gauhati, India. Source: Anupam Nath/AP

France

Catholics gather at the Cathedral of Bordeaux. Source: MEHDI FEDOUACH/Getty Images

A Good Friday procession at Sacre Coeur in Paris. Source: Christophe Ena/AP

Philippines

Before the reenactment in San Pedro Cutud. Source: NOEL CELIS/Getty Images

The reenactment in San Pedro Cutud. Source: NOEL CELIS/Getty Images

Jerusalem

Christian pilgrims carry crosses in a procession in Jerusalem's Old City. Source: MENAHEM KAHANA/Getty Images

Christians carry a cross as they enter the Holy Sepulchre church in Jerusalem. Source: THOMAS COEX/Getty Images

A Christian pilgrim reenacts the crucifixion along the path Jesus walked in Jerusalem. Source: THOMAS COEX/Getty Images

Greece

Greek Orthodox believers attend mass at the Pendeli monastery in Greece. Source: LOUISA GOULIAMAKI/Getty Images

A worshiper pays homage to a crucifix at the Pendeli monastery in Greece. Source: Petros Giannakouris/AP

Kenya

A Good Friday procession in Nairobi, Kenya. Source: Sayyid Abdul Azim/AP

Australia

A Good Friday reenactment in Sydney. Source: PETER PARKS/Getty Images

Germany

A re-enactment in Bensheim, Germany. Source: Thomas Lohnes/Getty Images

Egypt

A Good Friday procession in Cairo. Source: KHALED DESOUKI/Getty Images

Pakistan

Pakistani Christians attend a Good Friday service in Lahore. Source: ARIF ALI/Getty Images

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