



SERMON

HOLY WEEK...?

So -What?

Who-Cares?

No longer relevant in modern Ireland ?

So I did we get here?

HOLY WEEK ...
A MISSED OPPORTUNITY

ROMANS 10: 1-4

Holy Week- A Missed Opportunity

Romans 4: 1-4 NIV

1. **0 Brothers and sisters, my heart's desire and prayer to God for the Israelites is that they may be saved.**
2. **For I can testify about them that they are zealous for God, but their zeal is not based on knowledge.**
3. **Since they did not know the righteousness of God and sought to establish their own, they did not submit to God's righteousness.**
4. **Christ is the culmination of the law so that there may be righteousness for everyone who believes.**

HOLY WEEK... A MISSED OPPORTUNITY ...

- Holy week was... steeped in **ritual/ liturgy**
- We had the biblical facts concerning the arrest, trial, death, and resurrection of Jesus
- We were weak in personal revelation and life application.
- We ...Ended up with CHRIST plus... **Living a Good Life**

HOLY WEEK... A MISSED OPPORTUNITY

1. Dear brothers and sisters,^[a] the longing of my heart and my prayer to God is for the people of Israel to be saved.
2. I know what enthusiasm they have for God, but it is misdirected zeal.
3. ³ For they don't understand God's way of making people right with himself. Refusing to accept God's way, they cling to their own way of getting right with God by trying to keep the law.
4. ⁴ For Christ has already accomplished the purpose for which the law was given.^[b] As a result, all who believe in him are made right with God.... *Romans 10:1-4 NLT*