

Global Coptic Day



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About

Global Coptic Day is an annual celebration of the contributions made by the Coptic Orthodox Church over many centuries.



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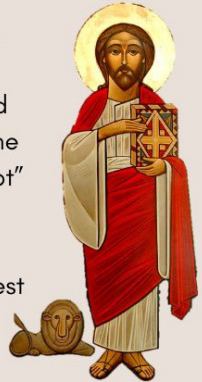
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What does "Coptic" mean?

- "Coptic" is derived from the Ancient Egyptian word for the land of Egypt, "Aiggyptos," meaning "Egyptian"
- This was adopted by the Greeks, and when the Arabs arrived in Egypt in the 7th century, they shortened it to "Qibt"
- Thus, "Qibt" came to mean both "Egyptians" and "Christians"
- The Coptic Church is one of the oldest churches in existence



St. Mark, the Apostle

- It was established by Saint Mark the Apostle, the writer of the second gospel, in the first century

