

The Naming Of The Days

An Domhnach (Dé Domhnaigh)—**Sunday**

'Domhnach' has its roots in the Latin 'Dominus' which means 'Lord', thus 'Dé Domhnaigh' means 'the Lord's Day'. 'Sunday' comes from an Old English word which means 'the day of the sun'.

An Luan (Dé Luain)—**Monday**

Both have similar meanings. 'Luan' means 'light' or 'moon' thus 'Dé Luain' means 'the day of the moon'. The word 'Monday' derives from the Old English, meaning 'the day of the moon'.

An Mháirt (Dé Máirt)—**Tuesday**

Both the English and Irish versions get their origin from the gods! An Mháirt is called after Mars, the Roman god of war. 'Dé Máirt' means 'the day of Mars'. 'Tiw' was an old German war god thus 'Tuesday' means 'the day of Tiw'.

An Chéadaoin (Dé Céadaoin)—**Wednesday**

In the Ireland of long ago there were two fast days in the week. 'Dé Céadaoin' was 'the day of the first fast'. The word 'Wednesday' takes its origin from the German god, Woden, thus we have 'Woden's day'.

An Déardaoin (Déardaoin)—**Thursday**

This is 'de idir dhá aoín', or 'the day between two fasts'. In English it is the day of Thor, the Scandinavian god of thunder.

An Aoine (Dé hAoine)—**Friday**

This is the second fast day. 'Dé hAoine' means 'day of fasting'. The English name comes from the name of a goddess i.e. Woden's wife, Frigg.

An Satharn (Dé Sathain)—**Saturday**

This is 'Saturn's day'. Saturn was the Roman god of agriculture.

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