St. Brigids Day

This is on the 1st of February and it was the day the farmers started spring work on the farm. Crosses were made from rushes and it was believed these would protect the family and animals from harm.

Shrove Tuesday

Shrove Tuesday is the day before Lent begins on Ash Wednesday. It was the day to make and eat pancakes before fasting for Lent. People didn't eat meat during Lent. Meat wasn't eaten on Fridays.

No dances were held and no wedding took place during.