

**JESUS  
COMES TO  
JERUSALEM  
AS KING**

**Matthew 21:1-11**

**As they approached Jerusalem and came to the town of Bethphage on the Mount of Olives, Jesus called for two of his disciples...**

**He said to them, “Go to the village ahead of you, and you will find a donkey tied there, with her colt by her. Untie them and bring them to me. 3 If anyone says anything to you, say that the Lord needs them.”**

**4 This took place to fulfill what was spoken  
through the prophet:**

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**“Say to Daughter Zion,  
‘See, your king comes to you,  
gentle and riding on a donkey,  
and on a colt, the foal of a donkey.’”**

**6 The disciples went and did as Jesus had instructed them. 7 They brought the donkey and the colt and placed their cloaks on them for Jesus to sit on.**

**8 A very large crowd spread their coats on the road, while others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road.**

**9 The crowds that went ahead of him and those that followed shouted,**

**“Hosanna to the Son of David!”**

**“Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!”**

**“Hosanna in the highest heaven!”**

**10 When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred and asked, “Who is this?”**

**11 The crowds answered, “This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee.”**