



Sermon Notes: "Palm Sunday"

Luke 19:28-44

3.29.26

Big Idea:

Jesus enters Jerusalem knowing what's coming - and He goes anyway because the mission matters more than His comfort.

An Odd Request

- **The Lord Needs it** – Fulfilled Zechariah 9:9
- **The colt showed humility** – A King would have come in on a horse

Key Point 1 = The Mission Requires Obedience

The 'Wrong' Messiah

- They were looking for a political savior
- Jesus was here to be a personal savior

Key Point 2 = The Mission Faced Rejection

So What?

What is your mission?

Are you going to act in obedience, even if what you are asked to do doesn't make sense?

Are you going to stand up to the Rejection?

For Study, Reflection, Discussion During the Week:

Life Group ICEBREAKER: Have you ever been asked to do something you normally would not do? If appropriate, share with the group

REVIEW:

Review the sermon notes from Sunday. Was there a particular point that stuck with you? What was it and why did it resonate with you?

READ: Luke 19:28-44

Discussion Questions:

- Look at all the different players in the text, write them out and write out why they misunderstood what Jesus was doing
- Would you have had the same reaction that the villagers did? Would you willingly give up your 'donkey' if some told you 'The Lord needs it'?
- List three reasons you could have misunderstood God when He asked you to do something
- Where does God have you on Mission?
- What is the next step of obedience you need to take this week?

Don't Forget:

- TODAY March 29th – 5th Sunday Potluck immediately following service
- April 5th – Easter Sunrise Service will be at 6:15am. Bring finger food to share, pastries will be provided
- Consider volunteering at VBS this year, June 8th- 12th talk to Shaun for more information

Prayer:

Father,

We pray that Christ is first in our lives. That our dedication to Him is above all others. There are times it is easier said than done, so we give you the honor of putting you first. Thank you for involving us in The Great Commission and what you are doing in our lives and those we come in contact with. May we keep advancing Your Kingdom here on earth both in small impacts and large movements.