



Luke 19:28-40 — Jesus enters Jerusalem as King

Opening Questions:

- What's one strange thing in your family that only those in your family understand? (Ex. Jeremy's fuzzies, inside jokes, movie references, vacation spot, etc.)

Discussion Questions:

1. What's something we do in our American culture that other cultures throughout the world might look at and think why?
2. In Luke's account of what we know as Palm Sunday, the things recorded seem strange especially from our American perspective — riding a colt, coats & palm branches laid before Jesus, crowds crying out "Hosanna" — but ancient Jewish prophets said these things were to come to pass.
 - What's something you anticipated for, prayed for, etc. for a long period of time?
 - If it has come to pass, how did that make you feel?
3. Jeremy showed us that there are two groups of people within the crowd of Luke's story: some who quite literally saw who Jesus was and worshiped him and others who rejected who Jesus was and tried to quiet the crowd. Odds are that we all know someone who isn't following Jesus, how can you specifically go after him/her this week as Easter Sunday approaches?
 - Discuss ways in which we all can invite someone to Easter at Crosswind Church.

Next Steps & Prayer Requests:

- Decide today to worship Jesus for who He really is. Consider reading Psalms 113-118, the songs Jews would sing as they would ascend to the city of Jerusalem for the Passover.
- Consider inviting a friend or two to this coming Easter Sunday services!