

Palm Sunday
Sermon Discussion Questions
April 5, 2020

1. At the beginning of the sermon, Pastor Jim asked everyone to find their favorite article of clothing. What were your initial thoughts when he asked you to get it? What article of clothing did you grab and why do you feel that it represents who you are?
2. **Read 2 Kings 9:11-13.** We learned this week that the act of throwing clothes on the ground represents, submission, loyalty, and the promise of support. This explains why the city was stirred in Matthew 21 as Jesus is coming into Jerusalem. Was this a new concept that you learned? Does this change the way you view Matthew 21?
3. **Read Matthew 23:37-39.** Pastor Jim mentioned that Jesus had many interactions and confrontations with people trying to help them see that he is indeed king. But he is met with much doubt. To those who reject Him as king, the prophesied future is desolation, isolation, no crowds. What were your thoughts seeing the images of places with no crowds? How does this make you feel that this is potentially a sign of the end times?
4. As a group, **read Revelation 21:1-8.** If we choose to acknowledge Jesus as King, we have this great hope of living in the love of God to look forward to. Those that do not, are assigned to “eternal quarantine;” separated from God and others experiencing isolation and desolation far worse than anything we have experienced so far. Are there people that you know that have failed to acknowledge Jesus as King? What can you do even during this time of being quarantined to share the gospel with them?