Palm Sunday 2017 Blessed is the King Mark 11:1-11

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Blessed is the King Sermon Notes

We begin to rightly worship the King when we see...

Point 1 – The _____ of our King



The Worship of God

April 9th, 2017

Point 3 – The of our King

Point 2 – The _____ of our King

KNOW. GROW. REACH GOD TOGETHER OUR WORLD

Community Group Discussion Guide – Mark 11:1-11

Opening Question

There are lots of TV shows and movies that depict the life of kings and queens. What is so magnetizing about the life of kings and queens?

Study Together

Where are Jesus and the disciples at the beginning of this account? What is significant about the Mt. of Olives?

What is the response of the donkey owners when the disciples tell them "that the Lord has need of it?" How might you have responded?

Read Zechariah 9:9 – What is the connection to and significance of Zech 9:9 to this event in Mark 11?

What kind of welcome did Jesus receive from the people?

What are the people saying about who Jesus is in vss. 8-10? (In answering it might be helpful to look up the meaning of "hosanna" as well as look 2 Kings 9:13)

Where did Jesus go after he entered the city?

This account is often called the "triumphal entry" – why is that perhaps a misnomer for this event?

What is odd and inconsistent about how the account of this event ends (vs. 11)?

Apply Together

While the shouting crowd rightly views Jesus as King and Messiah, what they get wrong is the type of King that Jesus is. What are common ways we wrongly view the type of King Jesus came to be?

What might God be pointing to in your life and saying "the Lord hath need of it?" Are you willing to give up whatever that may be? What frightens you about giving Jesus that kind of authority?

Absolute rulers (Kings) frighten us because of the immensity of their power and authority in our lives – How has Jesus shown himself to be a King who is worthy to be trusted with our lives?

Pray Together

Confess your need for a King Confess your reluctance to worship Jesus with all you have and are Praise the Lord for the character of King Jesus