



“Palm Sunday-Christ the Redeemer”

Start with a few questions to get everyone talking. Choose questions that will work well with your group or family.

1. What is the significance of spreading a cloak on the ground or using palm branches? Read 2 Kings 9:1-13 especially verse 13.
2. To make a connection to today’s tradition, who is the “red carpet” laid out for today? What parallels do you see with this tradition and Jesus’ time?
3. What other famous King rode on a donkey. See 1 Kings 1:33
4. In Jesus’ time, donkeys were replaced by war horses for significant generals and rulers indicating power and prestige. What do you suppose the significance is of Jesus coming on a lowly donkey? How would his message/ kingdom be different?

To introduce some different perspectives into the conversation, consider reading one of these verses together.

2 Kings 9:1-13, 1 Kings 1:33, 2 Corinthians 9:6, Mark 4:8,
Galatians 6:7-8

End each week with a challenge to take action. Lead your group to help each person identify their next steps.

The message today spoke of multiplying seed. Read 2 Corinthians 9:6. What does this verse say about sowing and reaping? Compare this to Mark 4:8. Considering the seed is God’s Word that produces disciples, what is the warning and the promise we have as sowers according to Galatians 6:7-8?