

## Kids at Home (Discipleship) - Week of April 1st

Matthew 21:1-11

### **1. Gather as a family and watch this video:**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z-39h0xYqdE>

If you have kids of all ages encourage them to join in too and do this as a whole family.

### **2. Read the Scripture listed above.**

Allow your child to read aloud if they are able. Take turns reading parts of it. You can also read the pages in the Jesus Storybook Bible if you have preschoolers. Or do both! Whatever works for your family. And even if they struggle to be still, push through and do it anyway. You never know what they are picking up.

### **3. Discussion Questions. Talk with each other and answer together. Feel free to skip questions if you think they are over your child's head.**

- If someone came and started to take our family car and told us “the Lord needs it”, what would you think?
- Do you think it took faith for the donkey owner to allow the disciples to borrow his donkeys?
- Why did it matter that Jesus rode on a donkey? (It showed His humility; it fulfilled what the Scripture said. Have older kids read Zechariah 9:9.)
- Why did the crowd lay their cloaks and palm branches on the ground? What type of attitude did that show toward Jesus? (Possible answers: to show respect and honor — compare to the “Red Carpet” treatment)
- What do you think the word Hosanna means? (“Lord, save us” or “Salvation”)
- What are some ways we show respect today?
- How can we show honor to God?

### **4. Pray.**

- Thank Jesus for the way He came humbly as a servant.
- Ask God to help you honor Him.

### **5. Worship. Listen, sing along, and dance to the songs below:**

Praise Hymn - [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mhNiGEUd\\_wA](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mhNiGEUd_wA)

Hosanna - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IU2Z98-q8HI>

## Weekly Activities

These activities are for you to use as needed throughout the week. They are not designed to use all at once unless you want to! They are separated by age, but you can do any that your family might enjoy. Take a video and share it so we can stay connected with other families!

### Scripture Memory

Hosanna to the Son of David!

*(Wave arms above your head)*

Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!

*(Bring arms down into praying hands)*

Hosanna in the highest heaven!

*(Wave arms above your head)*

Matthew 21:9

*(hold hands together like holding book)*

### Preschool

Coloring Sheet – The Triumphal Entry

### K-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

Paper Bag Donkeys

- <https://www.pinterest.com/pin/53409945555402860/>

### 4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

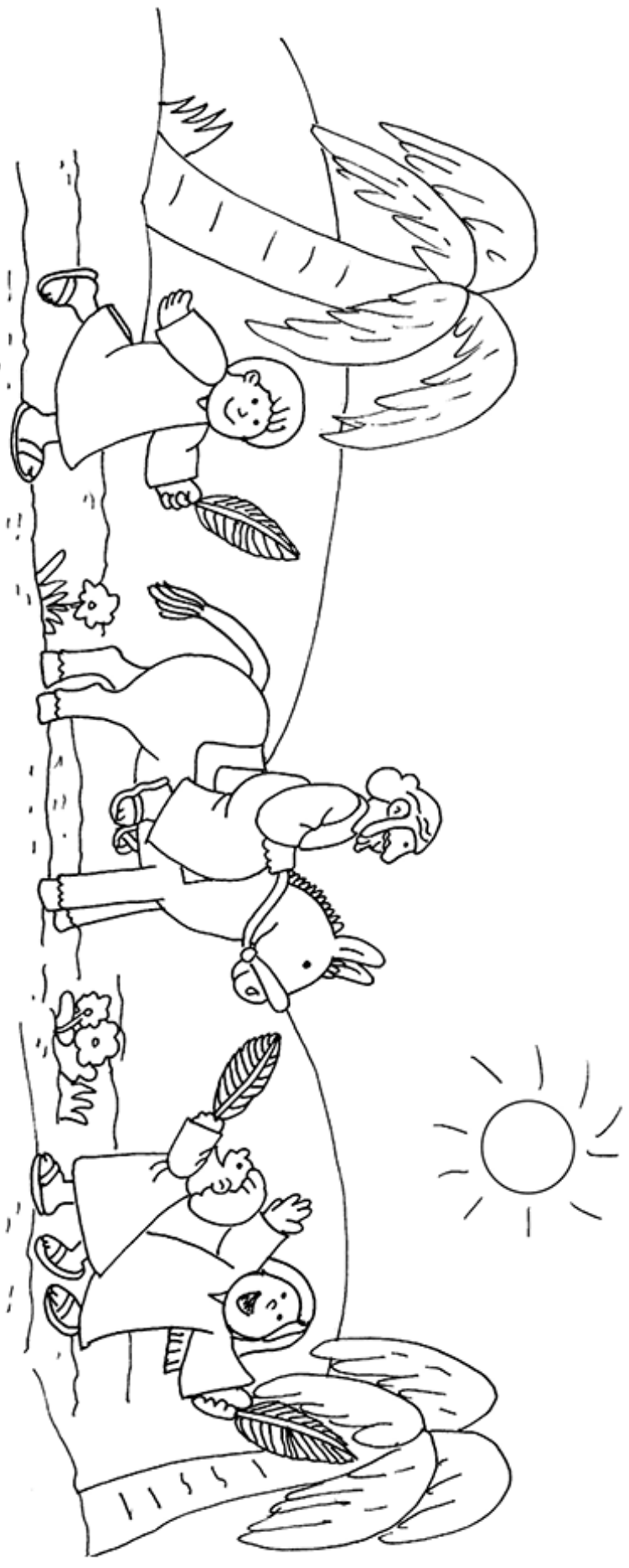
Palm Leaves of Honor

- Have your “big kids” take time to write ways they can honor God on the palm leaf provided. Decorate with markers, crayons, paint or stickers.

Minute to Win It Game

- Game: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QuXf9TPUwBI>
- Clock: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=J6Zmo5Q0AZ0>

# The Triumphal Entry



HOSANNA!

BLESSED IS HE THAT COMES IN  
THE NAME OF THE LORD!

HOSANNA IN THE HIGHEST!

