

# The King welcomed and rejected

## The Triumphal Entry: Mark 11

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# The Unfolding Gospel of the Kingdom of God

**His Kingdom  
was  
REVEALED**

*How our ancestors  
were expelled, then  
promised and given  
the earthly  
Kingdom of Israel*

Genesis, Joshua

**His Kingdom  
was  
RULED**

*How God raised  
up rulers for his  
people who  
prepare us for  
his coming Messiah*

Judges, Kings

**His Kingdom  
was  
PROMISED**

*How God sent  
prophets to warn  
of his wrath and  
promise his blessings  
in his Kingdom*

Isaiah, Jonah

**His Kingdom  
has  
COME**

*How the King  
arrived to die and  
rise to bring his  
people into his  
resurrected creation*

New Testament

# The Events of Holy Week

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|---------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <b>Palm Sunday:</b>       | Triumphal Entry                |
| <b>Monday:</b>            | Clears the Temple              |
| <b>Tuesday/Wednesday:</b> | Temple Controversies           |
| <b>Thursday:</b>          | Last Supper<br>Gethsemane      |
| <b>Good Friday:</b>       | Trial<br>Crucifixion<br>Burial |
| <b>Easter Sunday:</b>     | Resurrection                   |

# The crowd's perspective

**"Blessed is the  
coming kingdom of  
our father David!"**

**"Hosanna!"**

**"Hosanna in the  
highest heaven!"**

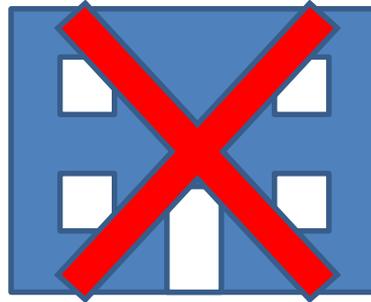
**"Blessed is he who  
comes in the name  
of the Lord!"**

## **Opponents of Jesus' perspective**

“The chief priests and the teachers of the law heard this and began looking for a way to kill him, for they feared him, because the whole crowd was amazed at his teaching.”

**Mark 11: 18**

# Disciples' perspective



**FOR WHAT?**

# Jesus' perspective

1. Past

Fulfilling Old Testament prophecies

**"The Lord is God, and he has made his light shine on us, with boughs in hand join in the festal procession up to the horns of the altar."**

**Psalm 118:27 (NIV)**

**"Behold your King is coming to you; righteous and having salvation is he, humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey."**

**Zechariah 9:9 (ESV)**

1. Present

Fulfilling the plan of salvation

2. Future

Securing the Church

# Your perspective

Maybe but not sure

Opponent

Disciple