



Guide

3/29 - Matthew 21:1-11 (The Triumphal Entry)

LOVE

A new commandment I give to you, that you love *one another*... (John 13:34)

- *Internal*: How was your week? Any new life updates? How was your walk with the Lord this week?
- *External*: Practically, is there any individual or family that needs encouragement from us a group?

TRUTH

Let the word of God dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing *one another*... (Col. 3:16)

1. When you reflect on the message from Sunday, what most resonated with you?
2. Let's read our primary text. What is the context here? Let's piece it together as a group.
3. Why is there significance in Jesus riding a donkey rather than a horse? Why is knowing and understanding the fulfillment of OT prophecy important?
4. We often refer to Jesus being "Lord of our lives" (our lives orienting around His will).
How is Lordship displayed in the opening verses?
5. The crowd shouts "Hosanna to the Son of David!" (v. 9). What does "Son of David" mean, and why is the crowd's use of it significant?
6. In what ways do people today misunderstand who Jesus is?
7. This text finishes with the crowds asking the right question, "who is this?" Who do *you* say Jesus is?
How would you answer this question...with peers, with kids? Do your actions reflect your answer?
8. Any other thoughts you would like to share before we wrap up this text?

GREAT COMMISSION

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations... (Matt. 28:19-20)

- Did you disciple your family well this week? Is it apparent to others that Jesus the reason for your hope in your daily activity? Would anyone like to practice sharing the gospel with the group?

CONFESSION/PRAYER/REPENTANCE

But exhort *one another* every day, as long as it is called "today,"... (Heb. 3:12-14)

- Confession is agreeing with God about our sin according to the Scriptures. Is there anything you want to confess before the group? [*apathy, idolatry, selfishness, jealousy, anger, envy*]
- Let's pray, asking God to help us apply His word to our lives, putting to death sinful desires.