

Small Group Sermon Questions for the week of 3/29/26

Matthew 21:1-11

The questions below are discussion starters based on this week's sermon. Use them to keep your folks engaged with the worship, scripture and each other.

- 1) What were your main takeaways from the Scripture and sermon?

- 2) None of the gospel writers name the guy who had the donkey and colt. What do you think led this man to lend his animals to the disciples so easily?

- 3) Matthew writes that when Jesus entered Jerusalem "the whole city was stirred". How is that like what happens to us when we let Jesus into our lives?

- 4) After cheering for him, what made the people turn on Jesus only days later?

- 5) Compare the differences between how Jesus enters Jerusalem in Matthew 21, and how Jesus returns on a horse in Revelation 19: 1-21. What are the main differences and why didn't Jesus just skip the colt and return on his white horse?

- 6) Why is the location of the Mount of Olives significant? Couldn't Jesus have entered Jerusalem through any other gate?