



INTRO

What is something or someone that has had the greatest impact on what or how you think about God?

DISCUSSION

Read John 12:12-19

1. Why did such a large crowd gather on the day we celebrate as Palm Sunday? (vs. 9 and 12)
2. Read Psalm 118:25-26. What is different about how the crowd quoted this passage? Why do you think they added the line about the King of Israel?
3. Read Zechariah 9:9. How does this passage help us understand why Jesus rode on a donkey?
4. What helped the disciples understand what they were witnessing? (Vs. 16) How does that make a difference in our lives?
5. Why did many people come out to see Jesus? (vs. 18) Does this help us understand how they could be a part of the crucifixion days later?
6. What is the response of the Pharisees? (vs. 19) Why do you think they responded this way?

APPLICATION

If our lives are to be shaped by who Jesus said he is rather than who we think and want him to be in what ways can we grow in our understanding of Jesus?

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