*28* STUDY OF MARK 2020

Hosannah in the Highest

Mark 11:1-11

“Blessed is the coming kingdom of our father David!”

“Hosanna in the highest!” (10)

1. Why was Jesus going to Jerusalem? (1, 10:45) What did Jesus send two of His disciples to bring him? (2) What did Jesus tell the two disciples to do? Why was this a difficult command to obey? But what were the two disciples to say? (3) What happened? (4-6) How does this event reveal Jesus’ Lordship[[1]](#footnote-1)? (Col 1:16[[2]](#footnote-2))
2. What did they do with the colt? (7) Why did Jesus want to enter Jerusalem riding on a colt, and not a war-horse? (Zech 9:9-10[[3]](#footnote-3)) How did the people understand Jesus’ act of riding on a colt (8; 2 Ki 9:13[[4]](#footnote-4))?
3. How did people receive Jesus? (9-10) What did the people’s cry “Hosanna in the Highest[[5]](#footnote-5)” express? (Ps 118:25-27[[6]](#footnote-6)) But how would Jesus answer their cry in a deeper way (10:33-34[[7]](#footnote-7))?
4. What does Jesus going to the temple reveal about the nature of his kingship (11)?
1. **Lordship** - supreme power or rule. [↑](#footnote-ref-1)
2. **Colossians 1:16** - For by him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things were created by him and for him. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)
3. **Zechariah 9:9-10** - Rejoice greatly, O Daughter of Zion! Shout, Daughter of Jerusalem! See, your king comes to you, righteous and having salvation, gentle and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey. I will take away the chariots from Ephraim and the war-horses from Jerusalem, and the battle bow will be broken. He will proclaim peace to the nations. His rule will extend from sea to sea and from the River to the ends of the earth. [↑](#footnote-ref-3)
4. **2 Kings 9:13** - They quickly took their cloaks and spread them under him on the bare steps. Then they blew the trumpet and shouted, "Jehu is king!" [↑](#footnote-ref-4)
5. **Hosanna –** save or rescue [↑](#footnote-ref-5)
6. **Psalm 118:25-27** - Lord, save us! Lord, grant us success! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. From the house of the Lord we bless you. The Lord is God, and he has made his light shine on us. With boughs in hand, join in the festal procession up [***c***](https://biblehub.com/niv/psalms/118.htm#footnotes) to the horns of the altar. [↑](#footnote-ref-6)
7. **Mark 10:33-34** - “We are going up to Jerusalem,” he said, “and the Son of Man will be delivered over to the chief priests and the teachers of the law. They will condemn him to death and will hand him over to the Gentiles, who will mock him and spit on him, flog him and kill him. Three days later he will rise.” [↑](#footnote-ref-7)