## "Palm Sunday: What's the Meaning?"

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Introduction: When you see a symbol, what does it \_\_\_\_\_? ILL: Rainbow

Our symbol is a palm branch, but it could be a \_\_\_\_\_\_.

To understand its meaning we will need to take a \_\_\_\_\_- year journey.

First Stop: King \_\_\_\_\_ (ca. 900 B.C.)

His throne established forever (2 Samuel 7:16)

First transition: \_\_\_\_\_ (1 Kings 1:33)

What would the people have understood when they saw Solomon on David's mule?

## Second Stop: Zechariah (ca. \_\_\_\_\_ B.C.)

Kingdom divided

Judah exiled and returned

Prophecy of \_\_\_\_\_ (Zechariah 9:9)

What would the people have understood when Zechariah gave this \_\_\_\_\_?

## Third Stop: Jesus (A.D. 29)

400 years of \_\_\_\_\_\_ until John the Baptist spoke

Roman rule— law and order

3-year ministry of Jesus

The Event: Mark 11:1-11 "The \_\_\_\_\_ has come."

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What would have been in the of the people? A meal ticket? (John 6:26-27) A position of power? (Mark 10:37) A revolution? (John 18:10) Establishment of the Kingdom? (Acts 1:6) What was in the of Christ? (Luke 19:40-46) Welcomed the praise of the people (19:40) Wept because the people didn't understand (19:41-42) Went to war with those who hinder the people from true worship (19:45-46) Fourth Stop: March 28, 2021 2,000 years later Completed of God Pentecost and the second coming of Christ Under orders from the risen, glorified Christ What is in your mind regarding your current situation?

How is that different from what you know about the mind of Christ?