

# Rightly Responding to Jesus

Palm Sunday 2018 – Pastor Gary Combs – March 25, 2018 – John 12:12-19

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John 12:12-19 (ESV) <sup>12</sup> The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. <sup>13</sup> So they took branches of palm trees and went out to meet him, crying out, "Hosanna! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, even the King of Israel!" <sup>14</sup> And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written, <sup>15</sup> "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!" <sup>16</sup> His disciples did not understand these things at first, but when Jesus was glorified, then they remembered that these things had been written about him and had been done to him. <sup>17</sup> The crowd that had been with him when he called Lazarus out of the tomb and raised him from the dead continued to bear witness. <sup>18</sup> The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign. <sup>19</sup> So the Pharisees said to one another, "You see that you are gaining nothing. Look, the world has gone after him."

## How to rightly respond to Jesus:

### 1. Cry out to Him as \_\_\_\_\_.

Matthew 1:21 (ESV) She will bear a son, and you shall call his name Jesus, for he will save his people from their sins."

John 4:42 (ESV) They said to the woman, "It is no longer because of what you said that we believe, for we have heard for ourselves, and we know that this is indeed the Savior of the world."

### 2. Trust Him as \_\_\_\_\_.

1 Timothy 2:5 (ESV) For there is one God, and there is one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus

John 14:6 (ESV) Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

### 3. Recognize Him as \_\_\_\_\_.

Matthew 16:16 (ESV) Simon Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

John 20:28 (ESV) ... Thomas answered him, "My Lord and my God!"

Matthew 7:21-23 (ESV) "Not everyone who says to me, 'Lord, Lord,' will enter the kingdom of heaven,... And then will I declare to them, 'I never knew you; depart from me, you workers of lawlessness.'