

PALM SUNDAY

MATTHEW 28:6 . . . "I KNOW YOU ARE LOOKING FOR JESUS, WHO WAS CRUCIFIED. HE ISN'T HERE! HE IS RISEN FROM THE DEAD, JUST AS HE SAID WOULD HAPPEN. . ."

Palm Sunday

Pastor Chris Hodges | March 23-24

WARM UP

Did you know much about the Passover prior to this weekend's message? What is something new that you learned?

INTRODUCTION

John the Baptist described Jesus as "the Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world." This was in reference to the Passover Lamb in the Old Testament. Today, we will discuss the significance of the Passover lamb and how it applied to Jesus' sacrifice on the cross.

DISCUSSION

These questions are a guide. Please select the ones that will work best for your group. You do not have to discuss them all.

1. Read Exodus 12:26-27. What was the significance of the Passover for Israel?
2. Read Luke 22:15-20. How did Jesus apply the meaning of the Passover to Himself?
3. Read Exodus 12:5. Why did the Passover lamb need to be perfect? How did this apply to Jesus?
4. Read Exodus 12:6. Why did the Passover lamb need to be slaughtered? How did this apply to Jesus?
5. Read Exodus 12:4. Why did the Passover lamb need to be shared? How does this apply to us today?
6. How does Jesus' sacrifice affect you on a personal or emotional level?

APPLICATION

Pastor Chris gave three practical ways to apply the message as we prepare for Easter: Pray, Invite, and Participate.

1. How can you be praying specifically as we enter Easter week?
2. Who can you invite to attend an Easter service?
3. Where are you participating or serving at Milestone this Easter?

PRAYER

- Thank God for the sacrifice Jesus made, as our Passover Lamb, to take away our sins.
- Pray for the upcoming Easter services, for many to come to know Christ!
- Take prayer requests and pray for any needs in the group.