

SERMON APPLICATION SHEET FOR:

Pastor Tony Felich

The World Has Gone After Him

John 12:9-19

April 14, 2019

Sermon Text	Sermon Notes
<p>John 12:9 When the large crowd of the Jews learned that Jesus was there, they came, not only on account of him but also to see Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. [10] So the chief priests made plans to put Lazarus to death as well, [11] because on account of him many of the Jews were going away and believing in Jesus. [12] The next day the large crowd that had come to the feast heard that Jesus was coming to Jerusalem. [13] 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!" [14] And Jesus found a young donkey and sat on it, just as it is written, [15] "Fear not, daughter of Zion; behold, your king is coming, sitting on a donkey's colt!" [16] 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. [17] 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. [18] The reason why the crowd went to meet him was that they heard he had done this sign. [19] So the Pharisees said to one another, "You see that you are gaining nothing. Look, the world has gone after him."</p>	<p>Through the lens of Christ's finished work (life, death, and resurrection), we can identify the misunderstandings of those who witnessed Jesus' arrival at Jerusalem before His crucifixion.</p> <p>I. The Crowds (9, 12-15, 17-18)</p> <p>II. The Chief Priests (10)</p> <p>III. His Disciples (16)</p> <p>IV. The Pharisees (19)</p> <p>Memory verse for 2019-</p> <p>Acts 10:42-43</p> <p>[42] And he (Christ) commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one appointed by God to be judge of the living and the dead.</p> <p>[43] To him all the prophets bear witness that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name.</p>

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Sermon Application Questions

1. Discuss the perspective of the crowds on Palm Sunday. How did they view Christ?

2. Discuss the perspective of the chief priests on Palm Sunday. How did they view Christ?

3. Discuss the perspective of the disciples on Palm Sunday, especially in light of verse 16. How does this relate to believers today?

4. Discuss the perspective of the Pharisees on Palm Sunday. How did they view Christ?

5. Palm Sunday marks the Biblical account of Jesus' entrance to Jerusalem in His final week, in order to lay Himself down on the cross. This week is known as the "week of Christ's Passion". What does Christ's passion refer to, and why is it so important?

Prayer Requests

This week our family will lift up requests for:

This week our family will praise the Lord for:

HFG Notes & Actions:

Next HFG meeting is: