



PALM  
SUNDAY

# THE GREAT STORY



# HOLY WEEK



Triumphal Entry

Confrontation

Last Supper

**Garden Prayer**

Betrayal

Arrest

Trial

Crucifixion

# MARK 14:32-42

Place of Suffering

Pressure of Suffering

Prayer of Suffering

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Mark 14:33-34 *niv*

He took Peter, James and John along with him, and he began to be **deeply distressed and troubled.**<sup>34</sup> “My soul is **overwhelmed with sorrow to the point of death,**” he said to them. “Stay here and keep watch.”

Isaiah 53:5-6, 10a *niv*

But he was pierced for our transgressions,  
he was **crushed** for our iniquities;

**the punishment that brought us peace was on him,**  
and by his wounds we are healed.

<sup>6</sup>We all, like sheep, have gone astray,  
each of us has turned to our own way;  
and the LORD has **laid on him**

**the iniquity of us all...**

<sup>10</sup>Yet it was the LORD's will to **crush** him and cause him to suffer,  
and though the LORD makes his life **an offering for sin...**

Mark 14:35-36 *niv*

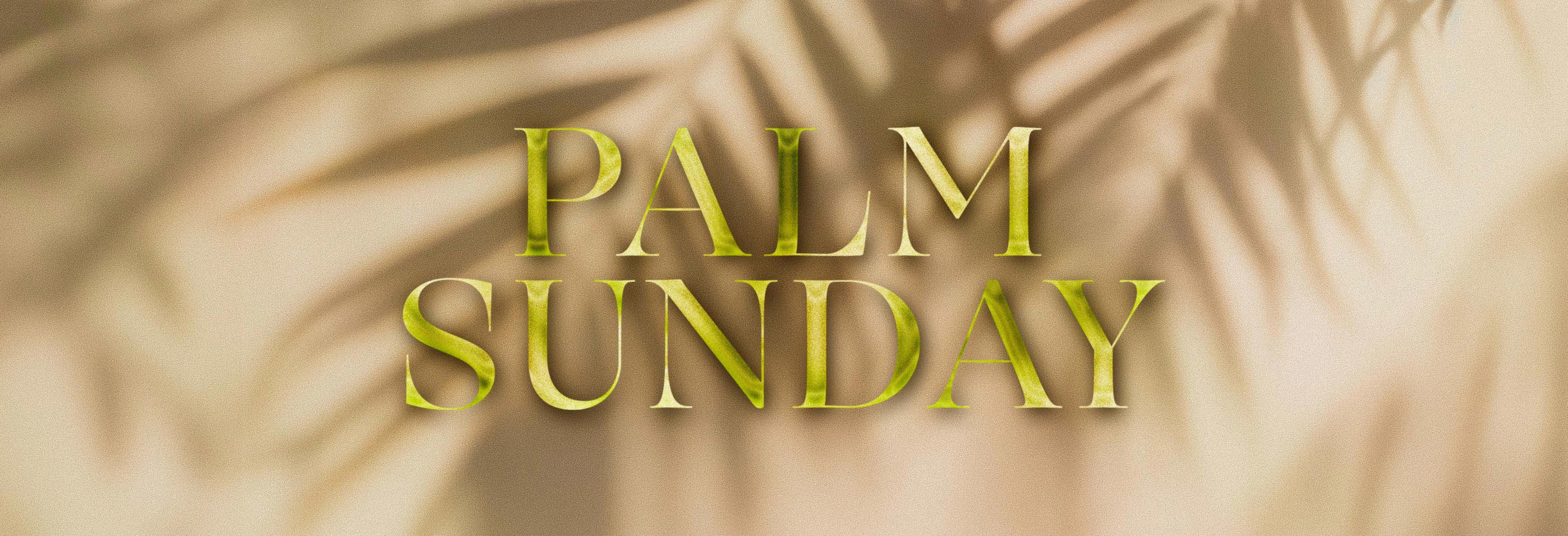
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Hebrews 5:7-9 *niv*

During the days of Jesus' life on earth, he offered up prayers and petitions with fervent cries and tears to the one who could save him from death, and he was heard because of his reverent submission. <sup>8</sup> Son though he was, he learned obedience from what he suffered <sup>9</sup> and, once made perfect, he became the source of eternal salvation for all who obey him...

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# CONFESSION

LEADER:

Heavenly Father,

Matthew 6:9

ALL:

**Have mercy on us.**

Luke 18:13

**We have not loved You as You deserve;**

Mark 12:30

**We have not loved our neighbor as ourselves;**

Mark 12:31

**We have not obeyed You as we should.**

John 14:15

**Lord, forgive us our sin.**

Matthew 6:12

**We are in need of a Savior.**

Romans 3:23

Mark 7:21-23 *niv*

Galatians 5:19-21a *niv*

Colossians 3:5-10 *niv*

II Timothy 3:1-5 *niv*

**Abuse**

**Anger**

**Arrogance**

**Brutality**

**Deceit**

**Disobedience**

**Discord**

**Dissension**

**Drunkenness**

**Envy**

**Evil desire**

**Filthy speech**

**Folly**

**Greed**

**Hatred**

**Idolatry**

**Impurity**

**Jealousy**

**Lack of goodness**

**Lack of self-control**

**Lovelessness**

**Love of money**

**Love of pleasure**

**Lust**

**Malice**

**Murder**

**Pride**

**Rage**

**Rashness**

**Selfish ambition**

**Self-love**

**Sexual immorality**

**Slander**

**Theft**

**Treachery**

**Ungrateful**

**Unforgiving**

**Unholy**

**Witchcraft**

# DEEP IDOLS

*\*Adapted from Counterfeit Gods by Timothy Keller*

*Life only has meaning if/I only have worth if...*

## POWER

... I have **power and influence** over others.

## APPROVAL

... I am **loved and respected** by \_\_\_\_\_.

## COMFORT

... I have this kind of **pleasure** or a particular **quality** of my life.

## CONTROL

... I am able to get **mastery** over \_\_\_\_\_ area of my life.

Romans 5:6-8 *niv*

You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. <sup>7</sup>Very rarely will anyone die for a righteous person, though for a good person someone might possibly dare to die. <sup>8</sup>But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us.



# COMMUNION

II Corinthians 5:21 *niv*

God made him who had no sin **to be sin for us**, so that in him we might become the righteousness of God.

# ASSURANCE OF PARDON

LEADER:

Church, believe the good news!

Mark 1:15

ALL:

**Jesus died for us;**

**Jesus rose for us;**

**Jesus intercedes for us;**

**In Him we are a new creation;**

**In Him we have forgiveness of sin;**

**In Him we have a Savior.**

**To God be the glory forever and ever! Amen.**

Romans 5:6

1 Corinthians 15:20

Hebrews 7:25

2 Corinthians 5:17

Ephesians 1:7

1 John 4:14

Galatians 1:5