

Who Is Your Jesus?

Luke 19:35-38

The “challenge” with Jesus:

- Luke 9:18-20

How Can I Experience the Real Jesus This Easter?

- **Focus on the _____, not the _____**
Luke 19:35-38 / Zechariah 9:9

- **Focus on the _____ and the _____ will come!**
Luke 10:38-42 / Luke 19:44 / Matthew 6:33

Food for Thought

(Questions and Scriptures for further personal study)

1. In your opinion, how have people missed the true identity of Jesus over the years?
2. What is the significance of Zechariah 9:9 and the way Jesus entered Jerusalem in Luke 19:30-35?
3. Read Luke 19:36-39. How was the reaction of Jesus' followers as opposed to the Pharisee's, similar to how people react to Jesus today?
4. Pastor Jim noted that the common idea among Jesus' followers was that He was sent from God to re-establish the nation of Israel (see Mark 10:35-37 and Acts 1:4-6). What do the following verses say about the actual kingdom Jesus came to establish?

Matthew 6:33

Matthew 13:44-46

John 18:36-37
5. Pastor Jim encouraged us to, “focus on the Blessor and the blessings will come.” What does this mean to you and how have you experienced this in your own life?
6. Read Luke 19:41-44. Why did Jesus weep over Jerusalem? Do you think Jesus weeps over all who are lost and blind to the salvation He offers? Who could you pray for this week?