

Go Deeper Study Guide

6 Key Questions | Matthew 21:1-46 Pastor Bob DuPar • February 6 - 12, 2022

#### Getting Started

What did you find most helpful from this week's sermon? Was anything confusing? Is there anything that needs clarification? Discuss as a group. If you haven't heard the sermon yet, you can access it at: www.cbcventura.org

## Going Deeper

Re-read Matthew 21:1-46. Try comparing two different translations. Take some time as a group discussing your observations.

What was Jesus communicating through the events of Palm Sunday? Read Zechariah 9:9. How is Matthew unique from the other gospels in explaining the fulfillment of this prophecy?

What causes ignorance? How is failing to act upon what we know worse than not knowing?

Read Psalm 8:2. What phrase does Jesus leave out in His conversation with the religious leaders? What's the inference?

What prompts God's *judgment*? Talk about what's wrong with pretending to be something that we're not. How does *abiding* in Christ help?

How has *fear* prevented you from God's best? How has *belief* helped you to enjoy God & His blessings?

What's God's primary will for us? Discuss the Eugene Peterson quote:

The Bible is not a book to carry around, read for information about God, or merely discuss. But rather, a voice to listen to and obey!
Fundamentally, it is a call: God calls us!

What's the proper response to God's Son? What does it mean that Jesus is the cornerstone?

# **Application**

How will you surrender to God and His will for you this week? Is there a specific truth that you need to acknowledge? A lie that you need to dispel? How will you do this?

### **Prayer**

How can your group pray for you?





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Song List

**Great Things** 

You Make Me Brave

He Is

What A Beautiful Name

This I Believe



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Financial Update thru January 30, 2022

Contributions \$30.883.71 Budgeted Expenses \$49,348.94 Actual Expenses \$51,435.18

Offering for 1/30/22 \$8,555.25 Weekly Needs \$9.869.79

Fund Balances thru December 31, 2021

General \$200,534.00 Benevolence \$941.00 Building \$29,475.00



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**Initial Insights** 

Jesus addresses 6 key questions in our passage...

Who is this?
VSS 1-11
JESUS, THE MESSIAH

What causes ignorance? vss 12-17

NOT KNOWING, OR NOT ACTING UPON WHAT WE KNOW

What prompts judgment? vss 18-22
FRUITLESSNESS

**?** What prevents belief? vss 23-27

FEAR

What is God's will?
OBEDIENCE

P How will we respond to God's Son? vss 12-17
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