

# LIVING GOD'S WAY

LENT SPIRITUAL RESOURCES 28th MARCH 2021 PALM SUNDAY - "LIFE-GIVING LOVE"



## HOSANNA!

As we get closer to Easter, today we remember Jesus riding into Jerusalem on a donkey. The people cheered and waved branches. They were so pleased to see Jesus!

Listen to a song about Palm Sunday. <https://youtu.be/5jtDqKkdS1M>  
You could sing along, and you could even draw your own picture of Jesus on the donkey. The song will give you some ideas!

## MAKE A PALM PALM!

You can read about Palm Sunday in the Bible in John 12:12-16. Or you can also read the story in the Lion Storyteller Bible on page 132 and 133. The people who saw Jesus riding into Jerusalem waved branches from the palm trees.

You can use your hand shape to make a branch of palms!

You will need: Green/brown or yellow paper, scissors, tape and a stick (make sure the end of the stick is safe – use blutak or tape)

Draw around your hand, and cut out the shapes. Tape them onto the stick!



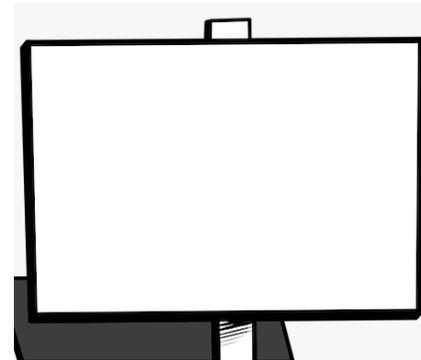
## THE CHEERING CROWD

The people cheered and shouted. The children cheered and shouted, but some people were NOT happy. They were the religious leaders.

Talk about WHY you think these leaders might have been unhappy and cross about Jesus.



## A JESUS BANNER



*If you were with the crowd on Palm Sunday, what would you say?*

*Write or draw your ideas on a piece of paper and card. You could make your card into a banner to wave!*

Think about all the time since Lent started on Ash Wednesday. It feels like a long time ago!

Have you learnt some new things about Jesus? Thank God for all that he's done. You could finish with the Palm Sunday song from the start of this session. Why not wave, clap, sing and praise God? Next week is Easter Day! Happy Easter!