Palm Sunday

3/26/18

What a week. This week is typically called “Holy Week” or “Passion Week”. It is this week in which we celebrate the heart of the gospel of Jesus Christ. While we celebrate the week, it is much more a celebration of all of what God is doing and has done throughout human history.

Ephesians 1-3 outlines all that God has planned and accomplished from eternity past on behalf of those who are His. Romans 1-11 does the same thing. Even the OT prophets and in many cases psalmists do the same thing. Jesus quotes from Psalm 8 in Matthew 21 and applies it to Himself. Jesus’ life, death, and resurrection are the focal point of human history that changes everything.

Here is what I would encourage this week. There are a couple of strategies for thinking through this week and making it meaningful or impactful.

1. Consider a word study on the word “fulfill” in the gospels, or at least one of the gospels. That will allow you to trace God’s redemptive plan through history.

2. Consider reading the passages that tell the story of what happened this week in history. I’ve attached a pdf of Scriptures that pertain to the events of the various days of this week.

Remember Good Friday service this Friday at 6:30pm and our Easter services this Sunday.