

## Palm Sunday

**Scripture:** Luke 19: 28-40

**Supplies:** Green paper, glue sticks, tape, craft sticks

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### Opening –

- Question: Do you know what day of the lent and easter season today is? What does Palm Sunday represent?

### Background/ Context:

- Jesus was travelling through Jericho to Jerusalem with his disciples, healing people and teaching.
- Jesus had predicted his death three times to his disciples by this time. Saying that he would be mocked, beaten, and killed and on the third day he would be raised from the dead. His disciples didn't believe him.

### Read/ Re-tell Luke 19: 28-40

- Main points:
  - Jesus sends two of his apostles ahead of him, telling them that they will find an unbroke colt tied up. they are to bring it to him and if anyone tries to stop them they are tell them "the Lord needs it."
  - When the apostles brought the colt to Jesus they laid their cloaks over it's back and Jesus sat upon them. As Jesus rode into Jerusalem citizens laid their cloaks and palm branches out on the road before Him
  - The disciples and crowd cried out "Hosanna!" "Praise the king who comes in the name of the Lord!"
  - When the pharisees told Jesus to have his disciples stop proclaiming these things, Jesus answer that he could have them stop but if they did "the stones will cry out"
- Retell
  - Uses fabric as cloaks and have the kids parade around the room crying out Hosanna and laying out cloaks on "the road" before Jesus.

### Activities

- Origami Palm Fronds
  - [https://www.google.com/search?q=origami+palm+fronds&rlz=1C1DIMC\\_enCA892CA893&oq=origami+palm+fronds&aqs=chrome..69i57j0i22i30j0i390l2.11512j0j7&sourceid=chrome&ie=UTF-8#kpvalbx=\\_kl1QYqPAHuHDkPIpv-MgAY11](https://www.google.com/search?q=origami+palm+fronds&rlz=1C1DIMC_enCA892CA893&oq=origami+palm+fronds&aqs=chrome..69i57j0i22i30j0i390l2.11512j0j7&sourceid=chrome&ie=UTF-8#kpvalbx=_kl1QYqPAHuHDkPIpv-MgAY11)