

# 3 DAYS

## EXPLORE THE GOOD NEWS

Living the Good News  
Passion (Palm) Sunday-A

During the days of Holy Week, we tell special stories about the passion of Jesus. On each day below, read the story suggested in your Bible.

In each frame, draw or write something important to you about that story.



**FRIDAY**  
**JOHN 19:17-30**



**THURSDAY**  
**LUKE 22:14-20**



**SATURDAY**  
**JOHN 19:38-42**



# EXPLORE GOD'S WORD

**“God bless him  
who comes in the  
name of the Lord!”**

(Matthew 21:9, Good News Translation)

- Today is the first day of Holy Week. We call this day Palm or Passion Sunday. Do you know why?
- You can read how people used palms to welcome Jesus long ago. With a friend, read Matthew 21:6-9.
  - How did the people welcome Jesus?
  - Why do you think the people were so happy to see Jesus?
- Imagine Jesus was walking down your street today. How would you want people to welcome him?
  - Write what the people say to welcome Jesus.

## THE NATURAL WAY

*Let the rocks be my army.  
Let the wind be my air force.  
Let the ocean be my navy.  
Let man be man.  
Let woman be woman.  
Let rock be rock.  
Let birds be birds.  
Let life be life.  
Let people be people.  
Let there be freedom.  
Let a baby become an adult.  
Love the Lord with all your might.  
And give praise to the Lord.*

*Pray to the Lord.  
Give thanks to the Lord.  
Do not sin against the Lord.*

*This psalm was written by David Voss, a sixth-grade student at Epiphany Catholic School.  
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