

# Holy Week

AT THE AUSTIN STONE

FAMILY TABLE TALK

# PALM SUNDAY

Matthew 21:1-11

## Younger Kids

What did Jesus ride into the city on?

How did the people act when they saw Jesus ride in on a donkey?

How do you think you would've acted and felt when you saw Jesus ride in on a donkey?

## Older Kids

If Jesus came to town now instead of long ago, how do you think it would be different?

The disciples were obedient when Jesus asked them to bring the donkeys. How do you think you can be obedient to Jesus?

# HOLY MONDAY

Matthew 21:12-17; John 2:13-22

## Younger Kids

What did Jesus say the temple was for?

The temple was where the Jews went to worship God. Based on this story, how does it sound the same or different than when you go to church?

## Older Kids

Why do you think we go to church on Sundays?

After Jesus had the people who were misusing the temple leave and stop what they were doing, He said "Destroy this temple, and in three days I will raise it up."  
What do you think He meant?

# HOLY TUESDAY

Matthew 21:33-46

## Younger Kids

Jesus predicted or told ahead of time through this story that something was going to happen. Do you remember what that was?

Read Psalm 118:19-26. What can you thank God for today?

## Older Kids

Why do you think Jesus had to die?

Why do you think the religious leaders didn't want to listen to Jesus?

Read Psalm 118:19-26. What can you rejoice and be grateful for today that God has given you?

# HOLY WEDNESDAY

Matthew 26:1-25

## Younger Kids

Who betrayed or turned their back on Jesus?

What did the woman pour on Jesus?

Why did she pour ointment on Jesus?

## Older Kids

Why did the woman pour ointment on Jesus?

How did Jesus know that Judas was going to betray Him?

What does this tell you about who Jesus is?

Judas made a bad plan to help the leaders take Jesus.  
We are born sinners and need a Rescuer. Do you think  
you have sinned against God?

# MAUNDY THURSDAY

John 13:1-20; Matthew 26:26-29

## Younger Kids

What did Jesus do for the disciples?

How do you think the feet smelled? How do you think the water felt? What do you think you would have done if Jesus had started washing your feet?

What did Jesus and the disciples do after Jesus washed their feet?

## Older Kids

Why do you think Jesus washed the disciples feet?

What was Jesus trying to tell them when He was talking about the food they were sharing?

Why do you think Jesus uses this meal to help us remember His love for us?

# GOOD FRIDAY

Matthew 26:36-46; Matthew 27:27-56

## Younger Kids

What was Jesus doing in the garden? What were the disciples doing?

How do you think Jesus felt when He saw His disciples sleeping?

Why do you think Jesus died?

## Older Kids

Why was Jesus praying in the garden?

After Jesus died, what did the people realize?

Why do you think Jesus chose to die?

# HOLY SATURDAY

Matthew 27:57-66

## Younger Kids

What was Jesus' tomb blocked by?

How do you think the disciples were feeling?

What do you think the disciples, Jesus' best friends, were doing on this day?

## Older Kids

How do you think the disciples were feeling?

Why do you think the leaders had the guards block Jesus' tomb with a heavy stone?

What do you think things would be like if Jesus hadn't come to save us?



# EASTER SUNDAY

Matthew 28:1-10

## Younger Kids

What did Mary Magdalene find when she went to the tomb?

Who did she see?

What happened to Jesus?

## Older Kids

How do you think Mary Magdalene felt when they got to the tomb and didn't find Jesus' body inside? How do you think she felt when she realized He was alive?

How do you feel that Jesus is alive?

Why is it good news that Jesus is alive?