

# The Good King

Sunday, March 25, 2018

Mark 11:1-11; Psalm 72

## Mark 11:1-11

**Welcome the King!** (Echoes Theme 1)

- Tone of Celebration
- The Promised King is here
- King, Messiah, David

**Unusual King** (Echoes Theme 2)

- Impromptu, unofficial procession
- Common Crowd
- Colt, not a warhorse

## Psalm 72

**A Window ...**

The King Promise in Israel

**A Good King** – Celebrating Israel's King

Justice (1), Prosperity (3), Victor (8), Rescue (12)

**Longing** – A Promise

Endure (5), All Nations (11), All Blessed (17)

**Jesus!**

Truer of Jesus than of any King

## The Good King

**A Good Way to Measure Leaders**

- Justice
- Prosperity
- Peace and Security
- Care for Poor, Weak and Oppressed

**On the Other Hand**

- Human Political Action is not God's Kingdom!
- Jesus is the Good King