

Names of God: Yeshua

Open The Conversation: What's your best Easter memory?

Key Scripture: Read the following together.

8 And a very great multitude spread their clothes on the road; others cut down branches from the trees and spread them on the road. 9 Then the multitudes who went before and those who followed cried out, saying:

"Hosanna to the Son of David!

'Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord!'

Hosanna in the highest!"

Matthew 21:8-9

1. What does this scripture tell me about me?
2. What does this scripture tell me about God?

Start Sharing: Choose one question to start the conversation, move onto others if time allows.

- Where in your life are you currently praying "Hosanna" ("save me now"), and how might your expectations of how God should respond be shaping your perspective?
- Can you identify a time when God answered a prayer in a way that didn't match what you wanted or expected? How did you respond, and what did you learn from that?
- Are there areas of your life where you're asking for God's help, but resisting the way He might want to bring change (your heart, habits, or surrender)?
- Why do you think the crowd in Matthew 21 misunderstood who Jesus was and what He came to do? In what ways do people still misunderstand Him today?
- The message contrasted a king on a war horse vs. a king on a donkey. What does this reveal about God's character and how His ways differ from human expectations?
- How can we practically trust Jesus as "Yeshua" (the one who saves) when His way of saving feels slower, harder, or completely different than what we hoped for?

Start Praying: Pray together and for one another.

"Father, you are my provision! I declare and believe everything I need is in You, You are all I need. Help me see and receive this reality in You every day. I love you Lord! Amen."