**Faith > Fear**

“Palm Sunday”

“The next day, the news that Jesus was on the way to Jerusalem swept through the city. A large crowd of Passover visitorstook palm branches and went down the road to meet him. They shouted, “Praise God! Blessings on the one who comes in the name of the Lord! Hail to the King of Israel!” Jesus found a young donkey and rode on it, fulfilling the prophecy that said: “Don’t be afraid, people of Jerusalem.
Look, your King is coming, riding on a donkey’s colt.”

***John 12:12-15***

**Faith doesn’t just respond – it anticipates**

Jesus replied, “Now the time has come for the Son of Man to enter into his glory…**7**“Now my soul is deeply troubled. Should I pray, ‘Father, save me from this hour’? But this is the very reason I came! **28**Father, bring glory to your name.”

***John 23:27-28***

**Faith sacrifices anything that hinders**

“We have all these great people around us as examples. Their lives tell us what faith means. So we, too, should run the race that is before us and never quit. We should remove from our lives anything that would slow us down and the sin that so often makes us fall.

**Faith endures any circumstance**

“We must never stop looking to Jesus. He is the leader of our faith, and he is the one who makes our faith complete. He suffered death on a cross. But he accepted the shame of the cross as if it were nothing because of the joy he could see waiting for him. And now he is sitting at the right side of God’s throne. Think about Jesus. He patiently endured the angry insults that sinful people were shouting at him. Think about him so that you won’t get discouraged and stop trying.”

***Hebrews 12:1-3***