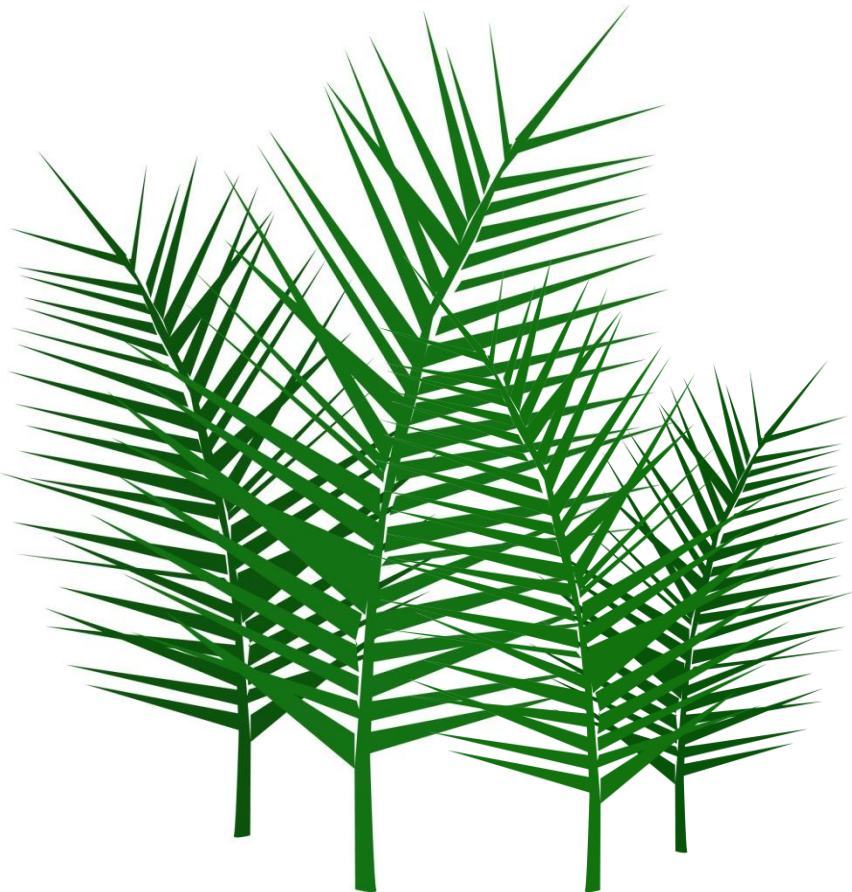


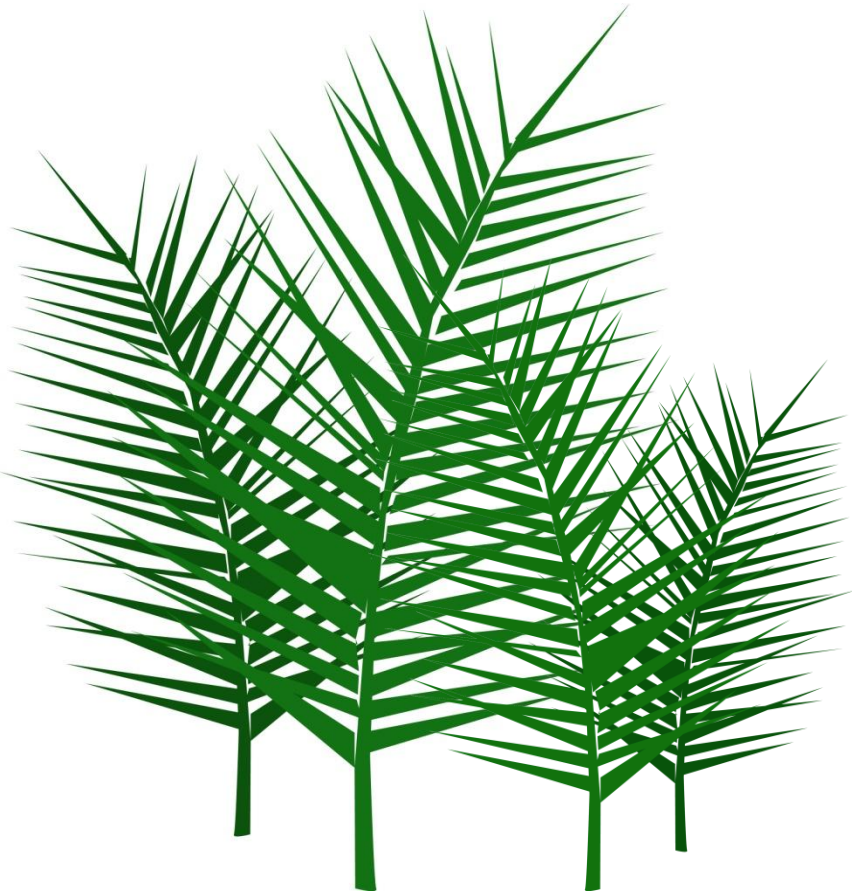
*Palm Sunday*



This is God's Word for my life in this place and at this time. Today I am a new creation in Christ, I am God's very own and I believe he has a purpose for my life.



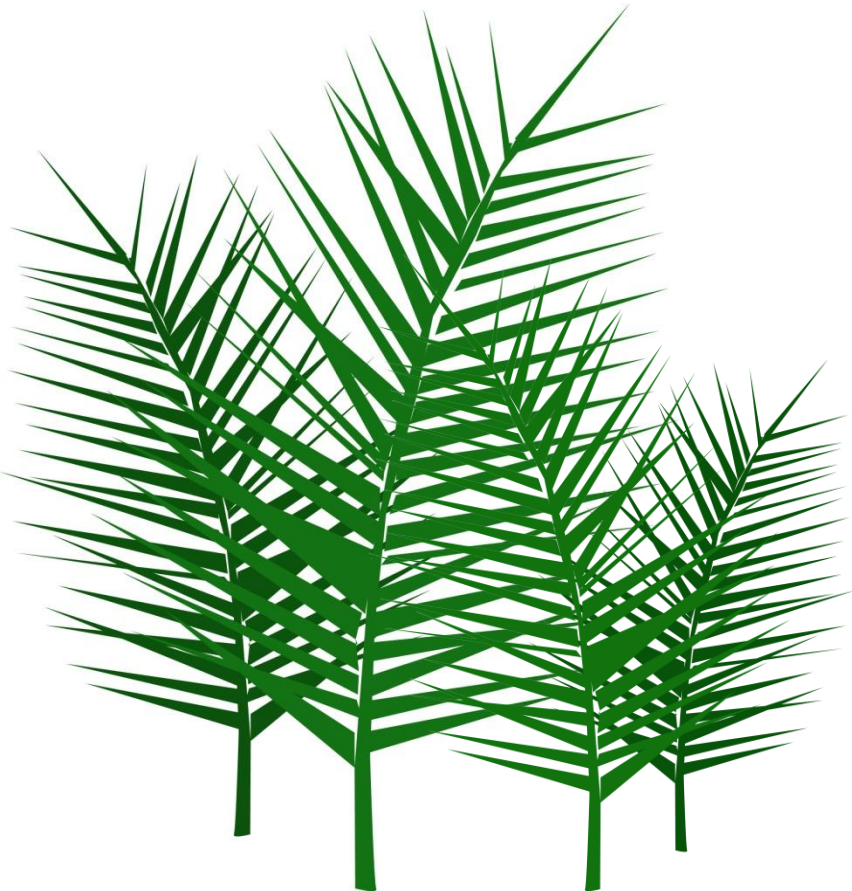
As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage on the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, saying to them, “Go to the village ahead of you, and at once you will find a donkey tied there, with her colt by her. Untie them and bring them to me.



If anyone says anything to you, tell him that the Lord needs them, and he will send them right away.” This took place to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet: “Say to the Daughter of Zion, See, your king comes to you, gentle and riding on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a donkey.”



The disciples went and did as Jesus had instructed them. They brought the donkey and the colt, placed their cloaks on them, and Jesus sat on them. A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, while others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road.

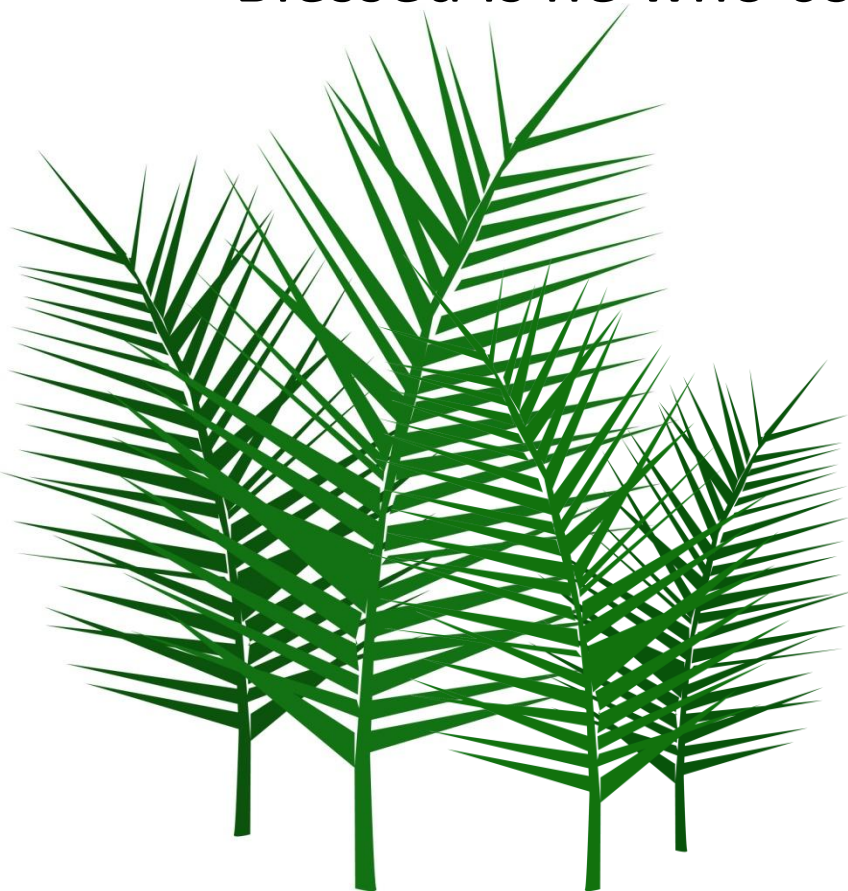


The crowds that went ahead of him and those that followed shouted,

“Hosanna to the Son of David!”

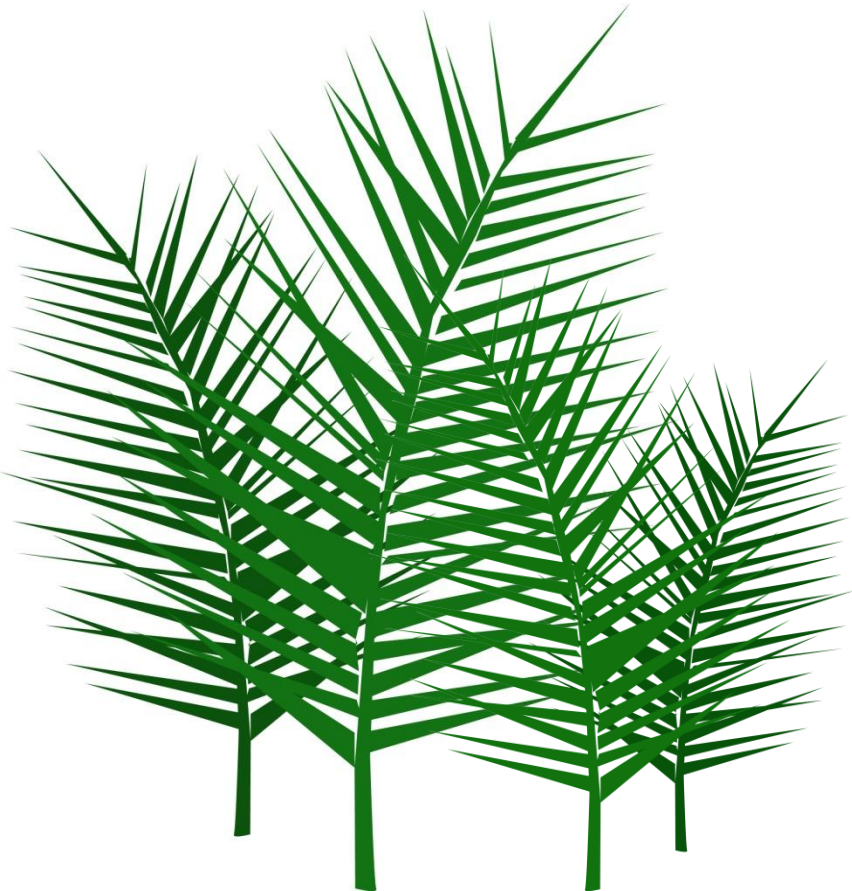
“Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!”

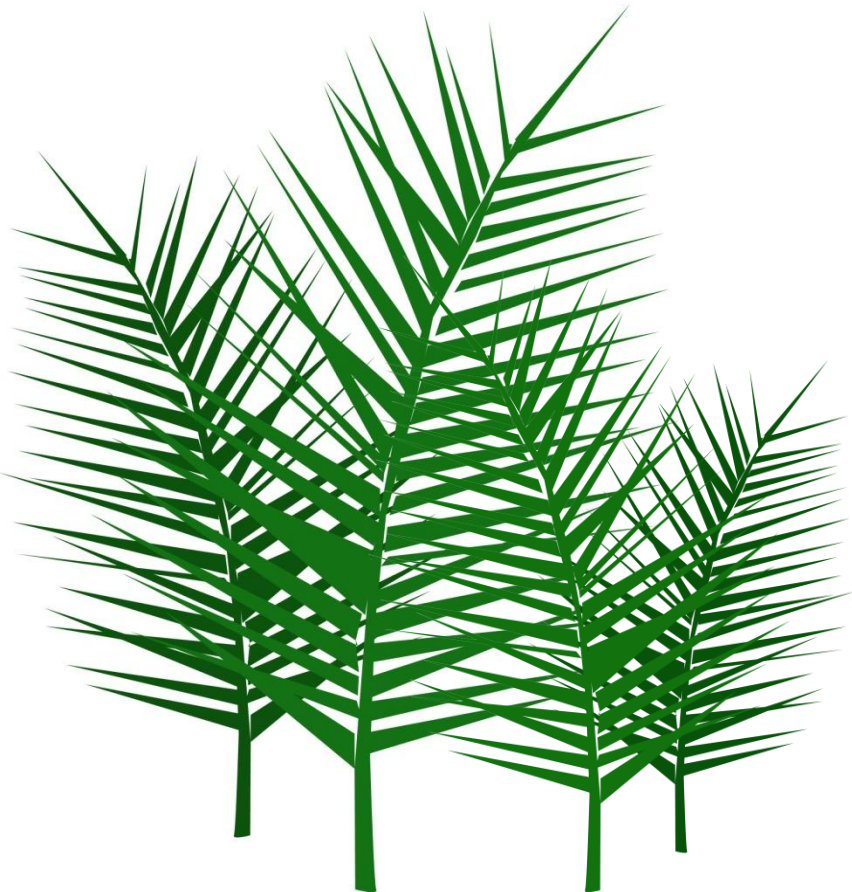
“Hosanna in the highest!”



When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred and asked, “Who is this?”

The crowds answered, “This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee.” Mathew 21:1-14



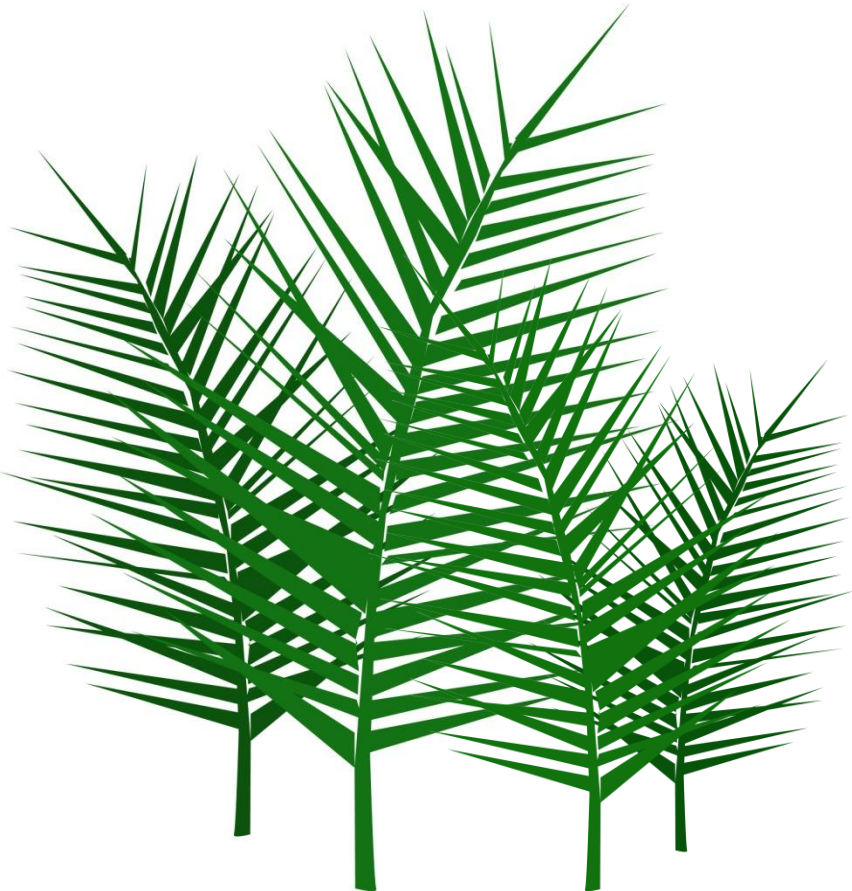


*Staying  
Power*



**If you've come for the PRESTIGE  
you'll flee from the CONFLICT**

Peter answered him, "We have left everything to follow you!  
What then will there be for us?" Matthew 19:27 (Luke 9:54)



**If you've come for the SPECTACLE**

**you'll flee from the COMMITMENT**

Then some of the Pharisees and teachers of the law said to him, "Teacher, we want to see a miraculous sign from you."

Matthew 12:38



**If you've come for the COMFORT  
you'll flee from the SACRIFICE**

*Jesus answered, "I tell you the truth, you are looking for me, not because you saw miraculous signs but because you ate the loaves and had your fill." John 6:26*



# **Conviction – The right thing to do**

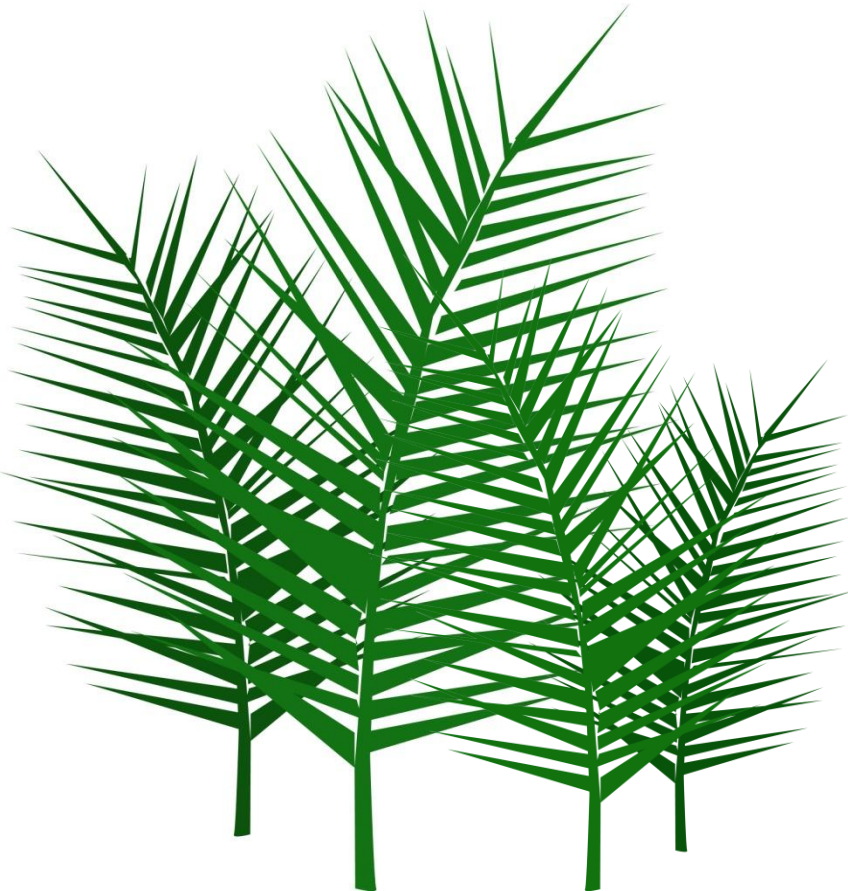
Answers the question: What is good in life?



**Conviction – The right thing to do**

**Commitment – To do the right thing**

Answers the question: What will I sacrifice?



**Conviction – The right thing to do**

**Commitment – To do the right thing**

**Covenant – A higher calling**

Answers the question: Is it worthy of my life?

