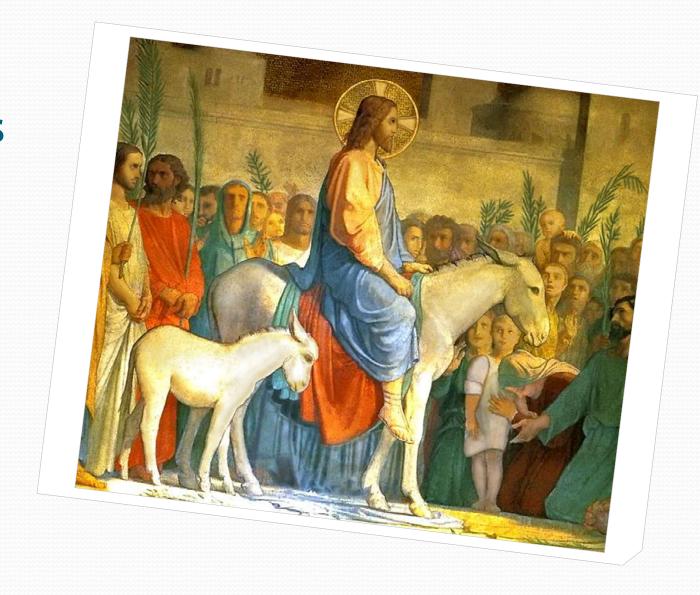
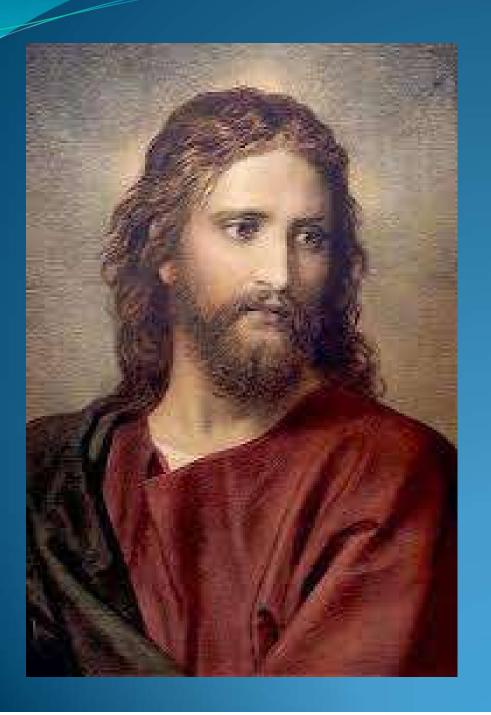
"Behold, your King is coming to you"

Matthew 21:5





Celebrating the Person,
Character, Way, and Example of the Savior King

1. HIS MÆÆKNÆSS (1)

- Ruling with gentleness not overpowering His subordinates
- Standing at the door and knocking, waiting for us to open
- He will not quarrel nor cry out, nor will anyone hear His voice in the streets.



1. HIS MEEKNESS (2)

"Nothing is more powerful than meekness. For as fire is extinguished by water, so a mind inflated by anger is subdued by meekness. By meekness we practice and make known our virtue, and also cause the indignation of our brother to cease, and deliver his mind from perturbation"



John Chrysostom

2. HIS ZEAL (1)

- The zeal over the Lord's house and its sanctity
- We are His temple: "Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?" 1 Cor. 3:16-17



2. HIS ZEAL (2)

• With all of His meekness, He didn't shy away from setting the limits and cleanse God's house from all filth and causes of defilement.



3. HIS SERVICE (1)

- "He poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe them with the towel with which He was girded" John 13:5
- It's the new meaning of greatness and the example fitting of the "Lord and Teacher"



3. HIS SERVICE (2)

• "Yet it shall not be so among you; but whoever desires to become great among you, let him be your servant" Matthew 20:26



4. HIS LIFE GIVING SUFFERINGS (1)

- He came to Jerusalem on Sunday knowing that He will be offered as a Lamb to the slaughter on Friday!
- The ultimate obedience "And being found in appearance as a man, He humbled Himself and became obedient to the point of death, even the death of the cross" Philippians 2:8



4. HIS LIFE GIVING SUFFERINGS (2)

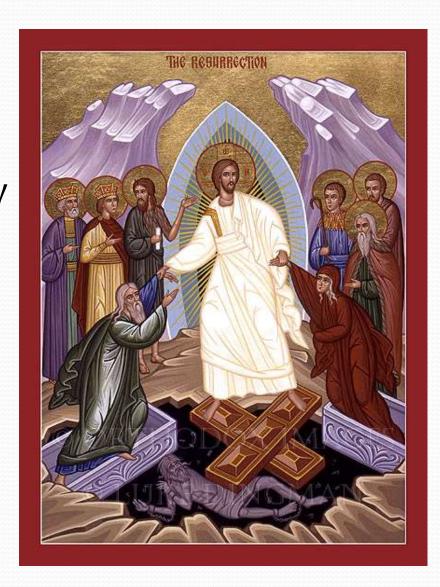
• The meaning of true love:
"Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's
life for his friends" John 15:13



5. HIS VICTORY (1)

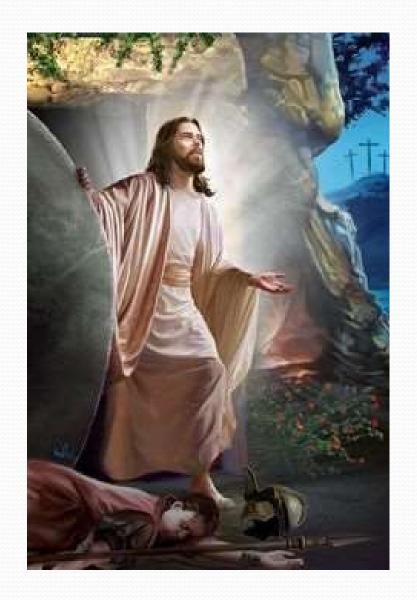
• Trampling down death through death and leaving for us the way to our victory: "Now if we died with Christ, we believe that we shall also live with Him"

Romans 6:8



5. HIS VICTORY (2)

 His Resurrection as our hope in this life and the one to come



THE ULTIMATE CELEBRATION (1)

- It's not to wave a palm branch on a feast day or to talk about
 Him as a character in a story
 from the past
- It's to carry the Cross, embrace
 His life, and allow Him to
 complete His work by living in us



THE ULTIMATE CELEBRATION (2)

"I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me" Galatians 2:20

