

Silver Creek Fellowship NOTES

April 2

PALM SUNDAY

John 12:1-13 "Six days before the Passover, Jesus arrived at Bethany, where Lazarus lived, whom Jesus had raised from the dead. 2 Here a dinner was given in Jesus' honor. Martha served, while Lazarus was among those reclining at the table with him. 3 Then Mary took about a pint of pure nard, an expensive perfume; she poured it on Jesus' feet and wiped his feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. 4 But one of his disciples, Judas Iscariot, who was later to betray him, objected, 5 "Why wasn't this perfume sold and the money given to the poor? It was worth a year's wages." 6 [Here is an editorial note from John]He did not say this because he cared about the poor but because he was a thief; as keeper of the money bag, he used to help himself to what was put into it. 7 "Leave her alone," Jesus replied. "It was intended that she should save this perfume for the day of my burial. 8 You will always have the poor among you, but you will not always have me." 9 Meanwhile a large crowd of Jews found out that Jesus was there and came, not only because of him but also to see Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead.

10 So the chief priests made plans to kill Lazarus as well, 11 for on account of him many of the Jews were going over to Jesus and putting their faith in him. [So the chief priests planned to kill two men—Jesus and Lazarus!] 12 The next day the great crowd that had come for the Feast heard that Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem. 13 They took palm branches and went out to meet him, shouting, "Hosanna!" "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Blessed is the King of Israel!"

John 7:37-39: "On the last and greatest day of the Feast, Jesus stood and said in a loud voice, 'If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink. Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him.' By this he meant the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were later to receive. Up to that time the Spirit had not been given, since Jesus had not yet been glorified." (NIV)

1. Coming to Jesus means _____

John 7:37 "If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink."

- The condition you must meet is _____ and the action you must take is _____
- The human soul _____
- What Jesus offers _____

2. **Come to Jesus** _____

John 7: 37–38 “If anyone thirsts, let him come to me and drink.

Jesus is _____

The soul _____

_____ is what it means to believe in Jesus.

3. **A river that flows** _____

John 7:38 “Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him.”

4. **The** _____ **of the Glorified Jesus**

John 7:39 “By this he meant the Spirit, whom those who believed in him were later to receive. Up to that time the Spirit had not been given, since Jesus had not yet been glorified”.

5. **The Scriptures** _____ **of God**

John 7:38 “Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, ‘Out of his heart will flow rivers of living water.’”

Psalms 46:4 “There is a river that brings joy to the city of God, the holy place where God Most High lives.”