

Announcements



April 3, 2026
GOOD FRIDAY
Service begins at 6:30pm

Join us from 6:30-7:30p.m. for:

- Worship
- Message
- Communion
- Refreshments & Fellowship

Membership & Church Information Class Saturday, April 11th 1:00pm – 4:00pm in Fellowship Hall

- What does this church believe?
- What is the leadership structure here?
- How do I get involved?



Join us as we answer these questions and many more!!



don't be left out...

Sign up!

Contact Us

Church Office Hours: (Temporary) DOWNLOAD OUR APP

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we desire to see people..

*entering new life in Christ,
embracing life-principles of Christ, and
empowered for life service by Christ*

March 29, 2026

Elders

Pastor Norman Carlisle Lead Pastor

Rev. Mike Henderson Associate Pastor

Martin Rosario

Jamie Sumner

Enoch Whipple

**Youth Director/
Assistant to the Pastor**

Tim Corbett

Deacons

James Odinyo Lead Deacon

Alexander Algard

Hannah Bovard

Micah Carlisle

Tim Corbett

Brock Nearhoof

Kriss Olivo

Ministers:

ALL BELIEVERS



Next Series:
The Book of Hebrews
In Fellowship Hall

Lifeinary
Theology learned and lived!
9:30am
for all ages

Next Series:
Evangelical Theology
In Youth Room

Worship Service 10:30am

- Fellowship (in Fellowship hall)
- Welcome & Announcements Ben Bovard
- Opening Song Music Team
- Scripture Reading & Prayer Martin Rosario
- Message Martin Rosario
- Praise & Ministry Music Team
- Closing Prayer Martin Rosario

**additional seating available downstairs in the Fellowship Hall*

Children's Info

Infants & Nursing Mothers

Nursery Downstairs under Foyer

NO Children's Church - Ages K-6th

(ONLY Toddler Room 34 Available Upstairs)

Offering

If you would like to give an **Offering** today, please place it in one of the boxes in the **Sanctuary** with your name clearly printed on your envelope. You can also give **Online** through the church **Website** or **App**.



The Week Ahead...



Sunday, March 29th **Palm Sunday**
Sunday School - **9:30am** in Fellowship Hall & Youth Rm
Sunday Morning Service - **10:30am**
AWANA Lunch Meeting - **12pm** in Fellowship Hall

Monday, March 30th
Staff Meeting - **2pm** in Pastor's Study

Tuesday, March 31st
AWANA - **6pm**

Wednesday, April 1st
Foundation Youth Group - **7pm** in Youth Room

Thursday, April 2nd
Youth For Christ - **5:30pm** in Youth Room & FH
Manna Women's Study - **7pm** in Fellowship Hall

Friday, April 3rd **Good Friday**
Good Friday Service - **6:30pm** in Sanctuary
w/Refreshments after in Fellowship Hall



Saturday, April 4th
Church Work Day - **8am** at The Church
Home Group - **3pm** at The Olivo's
Music Practice - **6pm** in Sanctuary

Psalm 8:2 (NIV)

Through the praise of children and infants you have established a stronghold against your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger.

Discussion Guide

Date: March 29, 2026

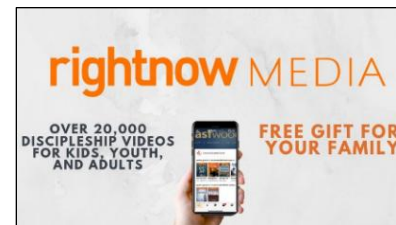
Sermon Title:

The Christians Triumph



More about Home Groups...

We encourage everyone to be a part of a small group community to deepen your relationship with Christ and His church. If you're interested in knowing more, please check the website or contact the Church Office.



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SCRIPTURE REFERENCES (NIV unless otherwise noted)

📖 Chronological Bible (The Daily Bible)

Jn 12:12-13 The next day the great crowd that had come for the festival heard that Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem. They took palm branches and went out to meet him, shouting, "Hosana!" "Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Blessed is the King of Israel!"

Lk 19:29-31 As he approached Bethphage and Bethany at the hill called the Mt. of Olives, he sent two of his disciples, saying to them "Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' say, 'The Lord needs it.'"

Matt 21:4-5 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 colt, the foal of a donkey.'"

Jn 12:16 At first his disciples did not understand all this. Only after Jesus was glorified did they realize that these things had been written about him and that these things had been done to him.

Mk 11:4-7 They went and found a colt outside in the street, tied at a doorway. As they untied it, some people standing there asked, "What are you doing, untying that colt?" They answered as Jesus had told them to, and the people let them go. When they brought the colt to Jesus and threw their cloaks over it, he sat on it. **Lk 19:37-40** When he came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen: "Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!" "Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!" Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to Jesus, "Teacher rebuke your disciples!" "I tell you," He replied, "if they keep quiet, the stones will cry out." **Mk 11:8** Many people spread their cloaks on the road, while others spread branches they had cut in the fields. **Lk 19:41-44** As he approached Jerusalem and saw the city, he wept over it and said, "If you, even you, had only known on this day what would bring you peace but now it is hidden from your eyes. The days will come upon you when your enemies will build an embankment against you and encircle you and hem you in on every side. They will dash you to the ground, you and the children within your walls. They will not leave one stone on another, because you did not recognize the time of God's coming to you."

OTHER SCRIPTURE REFERENCED Jn 12:1-8, Zech 9:9, Ps 118:26, Matt 21:10-11, Jn 12:17-19, Hab 2:10, 1 Kings 1:33-40

OPENING DISCUSSION

1. What was the main thing you learned from the sermon?
2. What questions do you have about anything that was raised during the message?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Share some examples of why the rise and fall of leaders often result in disappointment.
2. Explain how the ascension of Christ differs from earthly elevation.
3. Read John 12:1-8 Why would Judas scorn Mary's act of devotion as wasteful? Yet, the deeper meaning of Mary's anointing went unnoticed by the disciple why? Could we, as Christians also miss the point? Share why.
4. 1 Kings 1:33-40 Discuss the intriguing differences and significances between their reigns: Solomon entering the city on a donkey and Jesus making his entrance.
5. What are some significances in a palm tree that people noticed or saw in the ancient world?
6. What was the symbolic meaning of a donkey in ancient times?
7. How would you respond to the unexpected event at Bethphage? Explain why.
8. Why would it be appropriate for Jesus not to silence the crowd as they shouted praises to him?
9. Why should the Christian choose to live triumphant instead of allowing fear and condemnation to rule us?