

Sermon Discussion Questions
For the Week of April 2, 2023

Sermon Information:

The Successful Suffering Servant
Isaiah 52:13-15

He will succeed and be exalted.

He will suffer and be humiliated.

He will be a sacrifice and will redeem.

Discussion Questions:

1. Read Isaiah 52:13-15 and John 12:12-19. What parallels/connections do you see between this prophecy and this account of Palm Sunday?
2. Why is it significant that the same language used for the servant in Isaiah 52:13 is used for God in Isaiah 6:1? How are you tempted to diminish the Lordship of and worship due King Jesus (perhaps pitying him for his suffering or treating him casually as a friend/brother)?
3. Read Isaiah 52:14 and Matthew 27:27-31. Discuss why Jesus had to suffer and be humiliated like he did?
4. How does Jesus' sacrifice both atone for our sins and give us an example for how we are to live as people of his kingdom?
5. With whom will you share the gospel and/or invite to church this week? Make a plan and begin to pray for an opportunity!