

## **“MONDAY HOUSE CLEANING”**

Monday, March 30, 2026

Matthew 21:12-17 (NASB95)

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### **1. JESUS REBUKES THE CORRUPTION.**

Matthew 21:12–17 (NASB95) <sup>12</sup>And Jesus entered the temple and drove out all those who were buying and selling in the temple, and overturned the tables of the money changers and the seats of those who were selling doves. <sup>13</sup>And He said to them, “It is written, ‘MY HOUSE SHALL BE CALLED A HOUSE OF PRAYER’; but you are making it a ROBBERS’ DEN.”

A. JESUS ENTERS WITH AUTHORITY.

B. JESUS CLEANSSES THE SIN

C. JESUS DECLARES GOD’S ORIGINAL INTENT OF A HOUSE OF PRAYER.

### **2. JESUS RESTORES THE BROKEN.**

<sup>14</sup>And the blind and the lame came to Him in the temple, and He healed them.

A. THE REJECTED ARE WELCOMED

B. THE TEMPLE BECAME A PLACE OF GRACE

### **3. JESUS RECEIVES THE WORSHIP.**

<sup>15</sup>But when the chief priests and the scribes saw the wonderful things that He had done, and the children who were shouting in the temple, “Hosanna to the Son of David,” they became indignant <sup>16</sup>and said to Him, “Do You hear what these children are saying?” And Jesus said to them, “Yes; have you never read, ‘OUT OF THE MOUTH OF INFANTS AND NURSING BABIES YOU HAVE PREPARED PRAISE FOR YOURSELF’?”

<sup>17</sup>And He left them and went out of the city to Bethany, and spent the night there.