

# Bring It Home

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Scripture: **Matthew 21:1-16**

**Grownups:** This “*Bring It Home*” family devotional is something we typically provide our upper elementary kids each weekend to encourage further discussion of the Scriptures between you and your kids after the service. Since the worship service is now happening “*in the home*”, we wanted to continue to provide this resource as a way to help you connect with your kids after the service. Today’s devotional goes along with the Kids teaching video.

## Discussion Questions:

- 1) Read **Matthew 20:17-19**, which sets the stage for the Triumphal Entry. During Jesus’s earthly ministry He often *surprised* people with what He said or did. Why do you think what Jesus said here was *surprising* to the disciples?
- 2) Read **Matthew 20:27-28**. What is *surprising* about what Jesus says here?
- 3) In **Matthew 21:1-2**, we see Jesus sending out two disciples together. This is a common pattern of Jesus (see **Luke 10:1**). Why do you think Jesus often sent them out like this?
- 4) In **Matthew 21:4-5**, we see Jesus fulfilling a prophecy written 450-500 years before that day. What are some things that *surprise* you about this prophecy or its fulfillment?
- 5) In **Matthew 21:9**, the people are chanting some words from **Psalms 118:26** that were reserved for the promised King and Messiah. Ask your kids if they remember what “*Hosanna*” means. Why would the people chant this? Why might we chant this?
- 6) Read **Matthew 21:12-13**. Do you think the people in the temple were *surprised* by this? Why?
- 7) Read **Matthew 21:14-16**. Who does it say was also chanting “*Hosanna*”? Consider singing a worship song you all like together.