E.F.C.C.A. English Youth

Sunday 13 April 2025, 9.30 A.M.

Scripture

This took place to fulfil what was spoken by the prophet, saying, 'Say to the daughter of Zion, "Behold, your king is coming to you, humble, and mounted on a donkey, on a colt, the foal of a beast of burden."

The disciples went and did as Jesus had directed them. They brought the donkey and the colt and put on them their cloaks, and he sat on them. Most of the crowd spread their cloaks on the road, and others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. And the crowds that went before him and that followed him were shouting, 'Hosanna to the Son of David! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!'... And Jesus entered the temple and drove out all who sold and bought in the temple, and he overturned the tables of the money-changers and the seats of those who sold pigeons. He said to them, 'It is written, "My house shall be called a house of prayer," but you make it a den of robbers.' (Matthew 21. 4–9, 12–13)

Order of Service

Psalm 107.4-6

Worship

Apostle's Creed

Scripture: Matthew 21. 4–9, 12–13

Sermon: Not the Messiah we asked for, but the

Messiah we need

Response Song

Offering

Doxology and Benediction



Roster	Today	13 April
Welcomer	Frank	Combined Easter Day Service
Psalm	Noah (107.4–6)	
Worship Leader	Noah	
Worship Team	Sarah	
Musician	Blandon	
Scripture	Jeremy	
Speaker	Michael Dong	
Offering Prayer	Jieqi	
Screen and Sound	Cathy	
Daily Devotion	Jessica	Gabriel

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Please tag offerings with your name and intended purpose: Tithe; TG (Thanksgiving); Mission; CB (Church Building)

Sermon Outline:

- 1. The Jews were and are waiting for a saviour, but one who would save them *on their own terms*, so they ended up rejecting Jesus.
- 2. Christ was humble and selfless, but he also came to be our King.
- 3. By flipping tables and whipping moneychangers, Christ was actually showing kindness to his children.

Questions to think about:

- 1. Jesus is God but was humble. What excuse do we have to be proud of ourselves?
- 2. We want God and his church to fit our expectations instead of letting ourselves be changed to fit God's standard. Think of times when you've done this.
- 3. What does it mean to let Christ be King over our entire world?
- 4. Paul tells us that our bodies are also temples. In what ways have we used our temples in ways that dishonour God?

Notices

- 1. Thank you for your part in concluding another successful Alpha course.
- 2. Badminton at 99 Gillies Ave, Courts 2, 3, and 4, on Friday 18 April, 7–8 p.m. All youth and university students welcome.
- 3. We welcome any university students to join our university fellowship at 12 p.m.
- 4. Combined Easter Day service next Sunday upstairs with the Chinese congregation. Please all pray and attend to celebrate our Lord's resurrection support our English congregation team who'll be leading worship.

Sermon Notes:

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