



## Jesus is... All Powerful

**Background** – This series is designed to explore the nature and character of Jesus Christ. He is God and the only hope for the world to know and establish a relationship with God.

**Key Verse/Scripture Memory** – [Luke 21:27](#)

**Take Away** – Jesus uses His power to save us.

### Sermon Outline

- I. How did Jesus use or exercise His power?
  - A. To announce His identity and faithfully fulfill the promises of Scripture. [Matthew 21:1-11](#)
  - B. To humbly follow God's will. [Matthew 26:36-42](#)
  - C. To demonstrate restraint and a commitment to sacrifice. [Matthew 26:52-56](#)
  - D. To fill us with confidence about who is really in charge. [John 19:8-11, 5:16-18, 18:4-6](#)
- II. Application
  - 1) Jesus used His power to serve and sacrifice Himself for the sins of the world. Do you believe this?
  - 2) We don't know why the Coronavirus is happening, but we do know the God who is all-powerful. Look at [Romans 1:16-17](#).

### **Small-Group Discussion**

- 1) Pray – That God’s Word would cause us to surrender to the power of Jesus.
  
- 2) Briefly review the sermon outline. Have people read aloud a few of the scriptures covered and explain why they are important and meaningful.
  
- 3) Discuss together:
  - 1) If you have participated in Palm Sunday before, describe your own expectations and feelings about Palm Sunday. What has to take place on Palm Sunday for it to be the kind of Palm Sunday you have always appreciated? Imagine what Jesus had in his mind as He approached Palm Sunday.
  
  - 2) What do you think the image of "a King... riding a donkey" conjured up in the eyes who witnessed the first Palm Sunday? How did Jesus's arrival in Jerusalem point to a King who is and continues to be all-powerful?
  
  - 3) As we enter Holy Week, reflect on the importance of Palm Sunday. Why does it matter that Christ should be adored as King? How will you respond to His kingship and power in your life this week? What will you lay before Him, what will you bring to Him, and what will you praise Him for because you could neither surrender it nor win it for Him?
  
  - 4) In a group or with your family, use short phrases or sentences to spend time praising Jesus Christ for what only He could do on Easter Week.