



13 April 2025  
PALM SUNDAY - C



### **Introduction:**

As we gather on Palm Sunday, we commemorate Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. Let us join in celebration and reflection, preparing our hearts for the events of Holy Week and the ultimate victory of Christ's resurrection.

### **Readings:**

**First Reading:** Is 50: 4-7  
**Responsorial Psalm:** Ps 22: 8-9, 17-18a, 19-20, 23-24  
**Second Reading:** Phil 2: 6-11  
**Gospel Reading:** Lk 22: 14-23: 56

### **Prayers of the Faithful:**

**Celebrant:** Brothers and sisters, as we commemorate the triumphant entry of Jesus into Jerusalem, let us unite our hearts and voices in prayer. Confident in God's love and mercy, we bring our needs and petitions before Him. **Our response is: LORD HEAR OUR PRAYER**

That the Holy Father, Bishops, Clergy, Religious and the lay faithful may always worship the Lord who suffered and laid down his life for us... we pray...

That all our world leaders may be inspired by the servant-leadership of Jesus who brings peace, joy, forgiveness and mercy to all... we pray...

That as we commemorate Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem, each one of us may welcome Him into our hearts and lives as we live out His message of love, repentance and renewal... we pray...

That the sick and those who care for them may experience the complete healing of Jesus in mind, body, and spirit....we pray...

That those who have given up the practice of their faith, especially members of our own families, may be inspired by the Spirit to celebrate God's love in Jesus... we pray....

That God who sent Jesus into the world for our salvation, may listen to the prayers we make with faith in His generous love and mercy (pause for 7 seconds).... we pray...

### **Celebrant:**

Gracious Father, we thank You for hearing our prayers and for the gift of Your Son, Jesus Christ, who humbled Himself for our salvation. Amen.