## Facilitator Guide Palm Sunday April 10th, 2022

<u>Gospel</u> Jesus Enters Jerusalem

## Lk 19:28-40

When you have completed Lectio Divina, transition to group sharing by providing copies of this week's readings as found on the webpage in facilitator resources. Ask each person to read through any one of the 1st reading, psalm or second reading. Invite each person to underline or anything that they have an emotional response to when they read it. Reread it now circle anything that they have an intellectual response to. Intellectual responses are thoughts, any mental process the mind begins in contrast to feelings that arise from the readings. There is no need for concern if they have no clear response. We're allow space for familiarity with private reading of scripture. Pray asking for the Holy Spirit to continue speaking to us throughout the week through what we have circled, underlined, or even through the silence.

Come, Holy Spirit,
fill our minds with your light.
Come, Holy Spirit,
fill our hearts with your joy.
Come, Holy Spirit,
strengthen our wills through your Spirit.
Above all, Holy Spirit, stay with us.
May be evermore convinced of God's love for us, in us and through us.
We pray this in the Name of God who is Love...Amen.

Watch this week's video.

## Group Sharing Questions:

Every Palm Sunday we read the narrative of the Passion and Death of Jesus in it's entirety. The gospel passage pr

- 1. How does Jesus respond physically to His own anguish? How do the difficulties in our lives that sometimes do not seem to be answered by God make us stronger and give glory to Him?
- 2. How is God calling you to be more intimate with him?
- 3. In what ways have we, like Peter in the Gospel reading, denied Jesus in our lives?
- 4. What is Jesus eagerly trying to tell you this Lent?
- 5. Who is someone in your life, Catholic or not, that you want to share the gift of the Eucharist with?