



Sungai Way-Subang Methodist Church

Sermon



The King Nobody Wanted

Luke 19:28-38

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Luke 19:28-38 (NIV)

- ²⁸ After Jesus had said this, He went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem.
- ²⁹ As He approached Bethphage and Bethany at the hill called the Mount of Olives, He sent two of his disciples, saying to them,
- ³⁰ “Go to the village ahead of you, and as you enter it, you will find a colt tied there, which no one has ever ridden. Untie it and bring it here.
- ³¹ If anyone asks you, ‘Why are you untying it?’ say, ‘The Lord needs it.’”
- ³² Those who were sent ahead went and found it just as He had told them.



Luke 19:27-38 (NIV)

- ³³ As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, “Why are you untying the colt?”
- ³⁴ They replied, “The Lord needs it.” ³⁵ They brought it to Jesus, threw their cloaks on the colt and put Jesus on it.
- ³⁶ As He went along, people spread their cloaks on the road.
- ³⁷ When He came near the place where the road goes down the Mount of Olives, the whole crowd of disciples began joyfully to praise God in loud voices for all the miracles they had seen:
- ³⁸ “Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord!”
“Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!”



Zechariah 9:9 (ESV)

Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion!
Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!
Behold, your King is coming to you;
righteous and having salvation is He,
humble and mounted on a donkey, on a colt,
the foal of a donkey.



- **Jesus had a plan but it was not what they expected.**
- **He wanted to let the world and history know He is God's Messiah but not the kind we think.**



Luke 9:10-17 (ESV) **Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand**

- ¹⁰ On their return the apostles told Him all that they had done. And He took them and withdrew apart to a town called Bethsaida.
- ¹¹ When the crowds learned it, they followed Him, and He welcomed them and spoke to them of the kingdom of God and cured those who had need of healing.
- ¹² Now the day began to wear away, and the twelve came and said to Him, “Send the crowd away to go into the surrounding villages and countryside to find lodging and get provisions, for we are here in a desolate place.”



Luke 9:10-17 (ESV) **Jesus Feeds the Five Thousand**

- ¹³ But He said to them, **“You give them something to eat.”**
They said, “We have no more than five loaves and two fish—
unless we are to go and buy food for all these people.”
- ¹⁴ For there were about five thousand men. And He said to His
disciples, **“Have them sit down in groups of about fifty each.”**
- ¹⁵ And they did so, and had them all sit down.
- ¹⁶ And taking the five loaves and the two fish, He looked up to
heaven and said a blessing over them. Then He broke the
loaves and gave them to the disciples to set before the crowd.
- ¹⁷ And they all ate and were satisfied. And what was left over
was picked up, twelve baskets of broken pieces.



John 6:14

“When the people saw the sign that He had done, they said “This is indeed the Prophet who is to come into the world!”

Perceiving then that they were about to come and take Him by force to make Him king, Jesus withdrew again to the mountain by Himself”.



John 6:66-69 (ESV)

⁶⁶ After this many of His disciples turned back and no longer walked with Him.

⁶⁷ So Jesus said to the twelve, “Do you want to go away as well?”

⁶⁸ Simon Peter answered Him, “Lord, to whom shall we go? You have the words of eternal life,

⁶⁹ and we have believed, and have come to know, that You are the Holy One of God.”



Peter Confesses Jesus as the Christ

Luke 9:18-20 (ESV)

¹⁸ Now it happened that as He was praying alone, the disciples were with Him.

And He asked them,

“Who do the crowds say that I am?”

¹⁹ And they answered, “John the Baptist.

But others say, Elijah, and others, that one of the prophets of old has risen.”

²⁰ The He said to them,

“But who do you say that I am?”

And Peter answered, “The Christ of God.”



Luke 9:23-25 (ESV)

And He said to all “If anyone would come after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross daily and follow Me.

For whoever would save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for My sake will save it. What does it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses or forfeits himself?”



Matthew 20:25-28 (ESV)

- ²⁵ “Jesus called them to Him and said “You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their great ones exercise authority over them.
- ²⁶ It shall not be so among you. But whoever would be great among you must be your servant,
- ²⁷ and whoever would be first among you must be your slave,
- ²⁸ even as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve and to give His life as a ransom for many.”



John 13 (ESV) Jesus Washes the Disciples' Feet

- ¹ Now before the Feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that His hour had come to depart out of this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end.
- ² During supper, when the devil had already put it into the heart of Judas Iscariot, Simon's son, to betray Him,
- ³ Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into His hands, and that He had come from God and was going back to God,
- ⁴ rose from supper. He laid aside His outer garments, and taking a towel, tied it around His waist.



John 13 (ESV) Jesus Washes the Disciples' Feet

⁵ Then He poured water into a basin and began to wash the disciples' feet and to wipe them with the towel that was wrapped around Him. ”

⁶ He came to Simon Peter, who said to Him, “Lord, do You wash my feet?”

⁷ Jesus answered him, “What I am doing you do not understand now, but afterward you will understand.”

⁸ Peter said to Him, “You shall never wash my feet.” Jesus answered him, “If I do not wash you, you have no share with Me.”



John 13 (ESV) **Jesus Washes the Disciples' Feet**

- ⁹ Simon Peter said to Him, “Lord, not my feet only but also my hands and my head!”
- ¹⁰ Jesus said to him, “The one who has bathed does not need to wash, except for his feet, but is completely clean. And you are clean, but not every one of you.”
- ¹¹ For He knew who was to betray Him; that was why He said, “Not all of you are clean.”
- ¹² When He had washed their feet and put on His outer garments and resumed His place, He said to them, “Do you understand what I have done to you?”



John 13 (ESV) Jesus Washes the Disciples' Feet

- ¹³ You call Me Teacher and Lord, and you are right, for so I am.
- ¹⁴ If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet.
- ¹⁵ For I have given you an example, that you also should do just as I have done to you.
- ¹⁶ Truly, truly, I say to you, a servant is not greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him.
- ¹⁷ If you know these things, blessed are you if you do them.”



John 13:33-35 (ESV)

³³Little children, yet a little while I am with you. You will seek Me, and just as I said to the Jews, so now I also say to you, ‘Where I am going you cannot come.’

³⁴A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another.

³⁵**By this all people will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another.”**



Revelation 5:2-6 (ESV)

- ² And I saw a mighty angel proclaiming in a loud voice, “Who is worthy to break the seals and open the scroll?”
- ³ But no one in heaven or on earth or under the earth could open the scroll or even look inside it.
- ⁴ I wept and wept because no one was found who was worthy to open the scroll or look inside.
- ⁵ Then one of the elders said to me, “Do not weep! See, **the Lion of the tribe of Judah**, the Root of David, has triumphed. He is able to open the scroll and its seven seals.”
- ⁶ Then **I saw a Lamb**, looking as if it had been slain, standing at the center of the throne.