

**Faith Christian Fellowship**  
**Sunday, March 25, 2018**  
**Easter Trilogy 2018**  
**2: Week of Impartation**

**TEXT:** Psalms 118:19-29 / Matthew 21:1-11

**Passion Week checklist for believers:**

**1) Sunday:** The Grand Entry:

- a) The fulfillment of Zechariah 9:9 confounding those who demanded the Messiah be a man of war with an earthly crown.
- b) The fulfillment of Psalm 118:25-26. The people declaring that He is the Son of David = Messiah. *hōsanná*;= save now, help now, or save we pray thee.
- c) The religious crowd went nuts: Luke 19:39-40 (See Ps 8:2 ...That You may silence the enemy and the avenger.) Don't let a rock get your blessing!
- d) This was *Nisan 10*: the day to present the Paschal Lambs for inspection. Exodus 12:3

**Monday:** Cleaning the Temple

This is a day of prophetic fulfillment: as He approached the city He stopped to weep over it: The City where the Prophets die, the eternal city of God - Luke 13:33-35

- e) The Fig tree is cursed Mk 11:11-14. Judaism is dead.
- f) He cleanses the temple: Expressing God's opinion of religious quackery that prevents people from receiving what the Father intends for them. Mk 11:15-19 / Malachi 3:1
- g) Mk 11:22-25. He prophesies the moving of the mountain, Zechariah 14:4 the importance of faith, and that He will forgive His tormenters.

**2) Tuesday:** Testing and Teaching

- a) Mark 11:27-12:40. Inspected by the religious authorities.
  - i) Mk 11:27-12:12 Tested by the Priests: Remember that this is God!
  - ii) Mk 12:13-17. Tested by the Pharisees and the Herodians: Give God what belongs to Him. 1 Peter 2:18-19
  - iii) Mk. 12:18-27. Tested by the Sadducees: Base your life on the Scriptures and the power of God.
  - iv) Mk. 12: 28-34. Questioned by a scribe about the greatest commandment.
- b) Teaching His disciples: Mk 12:35-13:37
  - i) How is the Son of David is also David's Lord.
  - ii) The dangers of the scribes and the Pharisees

iii) The blessing of the widow's mite.

iv) Mk 13:1-2. Prophecy of the destruction of the Temple as a judgment for rejecting Him. The Olivet discourses: Judgment on Israel, the second coming, and the judgment of the world.

**3) Wednesday** is silent! Get ready for your moments of destiny.

**4) The Passover:**

- a) Thursday morning prep time
  - b) Thursday at sundown begins the Passover (Friday by Jewish reckoning)
  - c) We call this the Last Supper. It is the Last Passover, but the First Communion.
  - d) The Garden and His temptation. The betrayal and the trial before the Sanhedrin.
- 5) He is crucified on Friday morning**
- a) Trial before Pilate – I find no fault- the Passover declared clean. The people condemn the Lamb and Pilate orders the crucifixion of "The King of the Jews." Exodus 12:5-6
  - b) He is crucified at 9 AM on Friday morning. At noon, the Father turns His back on the Son. He is made to be sin for us. Isaiah 53:5-8 . The great switch, a complete 180. 2 Corinthians 5:21 / Romans 5:6
  - c) At 3 He is declared dead: It is finished! John 19:30 The Temple veil is rent (Mk 15:38 / Hebrews 10:19-20)
  - d) He was laid in a tomb belonging to Joseph of Arimathea before the Sabbath began at sundown John 19:38-42
- 6) The Sabbath:** No work. Quiet. The world has ended, and a new one is about to begin.
- 7) As we wait for the resurrection, let's take time this week to:**
- a) Stand in awe of His Word: Matthew 5:18
  - b) Offer Him the praise He is due: Hebrews 13:12-15
  - c) Take time to let Him cleanse His Temple: 1 Corinthians 6:19-20
  - d) Let go of your religious thinking: Recognize Jesus as more than enough, give to God that which is His, revisit your commitment to His Word and His Power, return to the greatest commandment.
  - e) Find time this week to prepare yourself for the destiny He has given you. Lay aside your plan and submit to His. Mark 14:36
  - f) Learn who you are as a result of the great 180 of Calvary: Ephesians 4:23-24

***Let His death change your life, not just your doctrine.***