

Lent

Did You Miss It?
April 2, 2023

What if it's possible to misunderstand what we are asking for?

The Triumphal Entry

Lectionary Readings:
Psalm 118 • Matthew 21v1-11

Psalm 118v1-2, 19-29

A Song of Victory

1 O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
his steadfast love endures forever!
2 Let Israel say,
'His steadfast love endures forever.'

19 Open to me the gates of righteousness,
that I may enter through them
and give thanks to the Lord.
20 This is the gate of the Lord;
the righteous shall enter through it.
21 I thank you that you have answered me
and have become my salvation.
22 The stone that the builders rejected
has become the chief cornerstone.
23 This is the Lord's doing;
it is marvellous in our eyes.
24 This is the day that the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.
25 Save us, we beseech you, O Lord!
O Lord, we beseech you, give us success!
26 Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.
We bless you from the house of the Lord.
27 The Lord is God,
and he has given us light.
Bind the festal procession with branches,
up to the horns of the altar.
28 You are my God, and I will give thanks to you;
you are my God, I will extol you.
29 O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good,
for his steadfast love endures forever.

Martin Luther's
Beloved Psalm

Referenced
throughout the New
Testament

What were the people looking for?

What were the people given?

C.S. Lewis - *Letters to Malcolm*

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_Psalm 118v1,29

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_Psalm 118v24

What if it's possible to find good in situations
where it isn't the good you expected?

Podcast: The Word on Fire Show - Bishop
Robert Baron, Episode 377: How to Live
with Joy w/ Chris Stefanick

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Songs: (Preview) Lovesong, Doxology, All Creatures of our God and King, All the Poor and Powerless, House of God Forever, Mystery, Altars, Confession
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