

Understand your Bible

Your notes

Mark 11

What we will see in this chapter:

- The significance of Jesus riding into Jerusalem
- What Jesus thought about the temple and how it was being used
- Important characteristics of his followers
- Different people's attitudes to Jesus

1 Read the chapter

2 Questions to help us in our understanding of this chapter. Look at the chapter verses in your Bible and use the questions to help you make your notes.

| Chapter verses | Questions (to help with your notes) | Your notes |
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| 1 to 8 | 1. How did Jesus ride into Jerusalem? | |
| 9 to 11 <i>*Text note: They were quoting Psalm 118 v 26.</i> | 2. What did the people *say as Jesus rode into Jerusalem? | |
| 12 to 14 | 3. What did Jesus look for on the fig tree and what did he then do? | |
| 15 & 16 | 4. What did Jesus do in the temple? | |
| 17 <i>*Text note: Jesus was quoting Isaiah 56 v 7 and Jeremiah 7 v 11.</i> | 5. What did Jesus *say about the temple and why? | |
| 18 | 6. What was the reaction of the chief priests and scribes? | |

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| 19 to 24 | 7. What was Jesus' response to Peter's comment on seeing the withered fig tree? | |
| 25 & 26 | 8. What did Jesus say about forgiveness? | |
| 27 to 33 | 9. What did Jesus say about his authority when challenged by the leaders? | |

3 Related theme from v 25: *Forgiveness by God and Christ depends on our forgiveness.*

Have a look at these related verses and see this theme running through the Bible. Make a note of the main point(s) in the verse(s).

| Verse(s) | Main point(s) |
|-----------------------|---------------|
| Matthew 6 v 14 and 15 | |
| Matthew 7 v 2 | |
| Ephesians 4 v 32 | |
| Colossians 3 v 13 | |
| James 2 v 13 | |