When the Unstoppable Arrives Luke 19:28-48

- What powerful things come like a _____?
- What powerful things come like the ____?
- What is the work of God like?
- When God's work is _____ and seemingly very ____, how are we tempted to respond?
- Where does it seem that God isn't actually _____?

Luke 19:28-48

28-34: Jesus prepared to enter Jerusalem as _____

- This comes after His teaching about
 - _____ for those who submitted to the new King, and
 - _____/death for those who rejected Him
- _____ has been preparing us for this moment
- Jesus intentionally fulfilled ______ about the king coming to God's people
- He came in _____: Creator and High King riding on a colt (Zechariah 9:9)

35-38: Jesus approached Jerusalem being praised as _____

- _____ praise by people who had seen His miracles
- So probably people who had ______ to Jerusalem with Jesus
- Praise to the king who came in God's _____
- *Like* the praise by the _____ in Luke 2: "Glory to God in the highest heaven, and
 - on _____ peace to those on whom his favor rests."

39-40: Pharisees rebuked Jesus, yet Jesus ______ of praise

- Leader is responsible for behavior of ______
- Jesus not only _____ their praise, He said that it was , and impossible to
- Jesus approved of praise of Himself as the _____ who was coming in the name of the

41-44: Jesus wept over Jerusalem's _____ of Him

- Jesus came to bring peace, but they _____ Him "did not _____"
- So complete _____ was coming
- Destruction was because they rejected ______

 And yet Jesus wept for the people who rebelled against God_____ and would torture & kill _____

45-48: Jesus cleared the _____ and taught Malachi 3:1-4

- Took _____ over the temple
- _____ it for its true purpose: prayer and teaching
- He _____ daily until His death
- Leaders sought to _____ Jesus
- People _____ intently

The Big Idea:

Jesus, the Son of God, is...

_____ and _____

and the most _____ in the universe.

Resisting Him ends in _____

Humbly trusting in Him brings _____ and _____

Matthew 5:5; 11:28-29

Application:

_____ our God of humble, compassionate, and immense power

- Jesus (the image of the invisible God) came in _____
- Jesus invited the weak, the tired, the broken, the lowly, the sick, and the ______ and spiritually _____
- He disarmed _____ and death by taking our _____ upon Himself
- He will disarm all the powers of _____
- Come to Him to find ______, protection, rest, and restoration ______ our God of humble, compassionate, and immense power
- Thinking we can _____ God is folly!
- Yet we often are _____ to His work, or think it isn't enough, because it is _____ (Zechariah 4:10)
- The work of God may start _____ (like a seed), but His Kingdom is _____

_____ our humble, compassionate, and powerful God

• Luke 14:11

Reflection

- 1. In what ways have you experience God's work like the tide? or like a rogue wave?
- 2. What helps you see, and not despise, God's work when it starts small? What helps you trust even when He seems slow in His work?