

CHARGE Youth Discussion Questions Outline

GRADE
7-12

Date & Week

March 29, 2026 (Wk 9)

Bible Focus

John 12:1-19

Theme Focus

Jesus Anointing and Entry

Discussion Questions

Main Point: Jesus is our promised King and Saviour who deserves our devoted faith.

Warm-up questions

1. How do you know that someone loves you? How do you show someone that you love them?

Read John 12:1-19

2. Why do you think Mary was willing to give something so expensive to Jesus?
3. What does that say about what she believed about him?
4. Judas criticised Mary's sacrifice. What do verses 4-6 tell us about Judas's heart?
5. In what ways can we be like Judas, saying the "right" things but valuing something else more than Jesus?
6. What is strange about the attitude of the chief priests in v9-10?
7. What didn't the crowds understand about the kind of King Jesus came to be?



8. What was unexpected about the way Jesus rode into Jerusalem?
9. Why do you think people sometimes “miss” Jesus, even when they hear about him often?

Application

10. What are some things in your life that compete with Jesus for first place?
11. This week, how will your friends know that you are a devoted follower of Jesus?

Prayer

Heavenly Father, Thank you that Jesus is the promised King and our Saviour. Thank you that he came humbly and gave his life for us. Please help us to have real, devoted faith, not just words, but lives that honour Jesus. Help us to trust him, follow him, and put him first in everything. Amen.

Then Mary took about a pint of pure nard. It was an expensive perfume. She poured it on Jesus' feet and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the sweet smell of the perfume. John 12: 3