



Palm Sunday 2021

Thank you to the many volunteers from Zion's Church, School, Teachers, PTL, Families, Daycare, Properties, & Program Development! The Palm Sunday Drive-Thru was a big success! It was a little chilly, but the rain held off (thanks for your prayers)!

How it worked was cars drove up (a few walked up) and were welcomed by our greeters with a palm and a scroll that told about Palm Sunday and Jesus' Triumphant Entry. Then they received a goodie bag for the kids. As they drove by the Jesus, donkeys, and sheep, they heard joyous music playing on the speakers in the background. Mary and Jesus stood in the crowd of others dressed up shouting "Hosanna"! The cars drove past to see the camel and the "shepherds"; then they were greeted at the free-will offering table. Everyone had smiles on their faces as they left.

We had 312 visitors, 105 cars, 4 neighborhood walkers, and 52 workers. Bobbie Jo and Anthony stood on Salzburg and had many waves and horns beeping in support by passing vehicles.

Wilderness Trails Zoo was amazing. The camel, Sadie, was a sweetheart and gave out many kisses. The sheep and donkeys were sweet too! The workers were friendly and seemed to enjoy the event as much as we did.

The success of this event was due to many working together for our member and community outreach; including stuffing 500 goodie bags; providing snacks, coffee/cocoa, and a place to warm up; picking up and cleaning 400 palms, helping people get into their costumes, making and placing the signs and free-will offering church table, working with police and insurance. Significant effort was made in planning, generating media kits, and organizing our message through social media, radio and TV. Working together brought us closer together as we rely on each other to share the good news of our Lord.

We enjoyed seeing new people as well as old members we've been missing. It was such a joyous occasion with Jesus Christ at the center! Thank you again! Hosanna in the Highest! Glory Be To Jesus!

More pictures can be found at Zion's Facebook Site:

<https://www.facebook.com/ZionBayCity>



