

## Sermon Notes – April 10, 2022

### I AM He (Messiah) (*John 4:7-26; 12:12-16*)

- I. The Messiah who transcends social and religious taboos.
  - A. A Jewish male speaking to a Samaritan woman.
    - 1. Asked her for a drink.
    - 2. Turns the conversation toward the gift of God.
  - B. A stranger who promises eternal life.
    - 1. Living water.
    - 2. Cleansing water.
  
- II. The Messiah who exposes sin and presents the truth.
  - A. The exposure of sin.
    - 1. The present man is not her husband.
    - 2. The present subject leads to discomfort.
  - B. The declaration of truth.
    - 1. I am He; Believe Me.
    - 2. True worshippers worship in spirit and truth.
  
- III. The Messiah who is not limited by political expectations.
  - A. The King of Israel who conquers Rome.
    - 1. The significance of the palm branches.
  - B. The conqueror who rides a war horse.
    - 1. The significance of the donkey.
      - a. Power (*Isaiah 31:1-3*)
      - b. Prophecy. (*Zechariah 9:9-11*)