Jesus Rides a Donkey To Church
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Jesus was going to the church in Jerusalem. He sent two helpers to get a little donkey that was tied up beside its mother in the town nearby.
They found the little donkey where Jesus said. They told the man who owned the donkey that Jesus needed it to go to Jerusalem and took the little donkey back to Jesus.
They put their coats over donkey’s back, for Jesus to sit on. Jesus sat on the donkey’s back. He was going to church in Jerusalem.
Lots of people came along the road. They were so happy to see Jesus! People put their coats on the road for little donkey to walk on.
Some people picked palm branches from palm trees growing by the road. They waved the branches as Jesus past by.
Everyone was happy to see Jesus. “Hosanna to the King,” they shouted as Jesus went up the road into the city of Jerusalem.
When they got there
Jesus got off the little donkey
and went into the big church
to pray to God.