

**Friday (2<sup>nd</sup> week of Advent) 10th December 2021**

Zech.9,9: "*See, your king comes to you, righteous and victorious.*"

**Comes:** What goes round, comes round, it is said. There is, of course, not a little truth in that, we reap what we sow. But that is not the whole story, and it is not the story of Advent.

What kind of coming is that of this king? It is not a coming of anything that was there before and certainly not a return on our own efforts or failings.

His coming is that of God, in mercy, help and love, to give true knowledge of Himself and make a way for us to be free and at peace.

Are we familiar with the place and manner of his coming?

Lord God, open our hearts to the coming of your king so that we may not wait in vain nor entrust ourselves to vanities. Amen