

**Thursday (1<sup>st</sup> week of Advent) 2nd December 2021**

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

**See!** That is: Will you take a look at this king? Will you look long enough to see what this is about? Will you avert your eyes for a while from all that takes them captive and discern this coming? There is so much vying to fill your vision so completely you might not see him.

But just as everything that glitters is not gold, so the One who is coming, though he is habitually and chronically overlooked, is not unworthy of your and the world's attention: He might just be who you and I are in need of; He might just be God's message of life and love.

Lord God, help us to look this Advent and Christmas for the king whose coming is from you to us. Amen