

CROSS CHURCH



MARCH 23-24, 2024
AT THE TABLE
PART 5: THE GREAT BANQUET

LUKE 14:5-6 *And he said to them, "Which of you, having a son or an ox that has fallen into a well on a Sabbath day, will not immediately pull him out?" And they could not reply to these things.*

LUKE 14:15 *When one of those who reclined at table with him heard these things, he said to him, "Blessed is everyone who will eat bread in the kingdom of God!"*

LUKE 14:16 *But he said to him, "A man once gave a great banquet and invited many.*

LUKE 14:17-24 *And at the time for the banquet he sent his servant to say to those who had been invited, 'Come, for everything is now ready.' But they all alike began to make excuses. The first said to him, 'I have bought a field, and I must go out and see it. Please have me excused.' And another said, 'I have bought five yoke of oxen, and I go to examine them. Please have me excused.' And another said, 'I have married a wife, and therefore I cannot come.' So the servant came and reported these things to his master. Then the master of the house became angry and said to his servant, 'Go out quickly to the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in the poor and crippled and blind and lame.' And the servant said, 'Sir, what you commanded has been done, and still there is room.' And the master said to the servant, 'Go out to the highways and hedges and compel people to come in, that my house may be filled. For I tell you, none of those men who were invited shall taste my banquet.'"*

FOUR GROUPS OF PEOPLE AT THE BANQUET:

1. The Master.

LUKE 14:23 *And the master said to the servant, 'Go out to the highways and hedges and compel people to come in, **that my house may be filled.***

2. The invited.

3. The guests.

LUKE 14:21 *...'Go out quickly to the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in the poor and crippled and blind and lame.'*

4. The Servant.

HOW CAN I BRING PEOPLE TO JESUS?

1. Cultivate compassion.

LOOK FOR PEOPLE THAT ARE HURTING.

THE NEED OF PEOPLE AROUND US GIVES THE OPEN DOOR TO BRING HOPE.

2. Capture moments.

- Friends, • Associates,
- Relatives, • and Neighbors

3. Convey your journey.

REVELATION 12:11

4. Courageously engage.

WHEN YOU STEP INTO PEOPLE'S MESS, THEY WILL ALWAYS BE MORE OPEN TO YOUR MESSAGE!

TABLE TALK:

Take the time for intentional conversations and questions with your friends and family based on this weekend's message!

Visit the link to get started: crosschurchhouma.com/tabletalk

What is the Holy Spirit speaking to me today, and how can I apply it?

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Wednesdays
at 7PM
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Ministry Building

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MARCH 30 at 4 & 5:30 PM
MARCH 31 at 8:45, 10:15, & 11:45 AM

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