



AT THE TABLE

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Sermon Title: “Dinner with Friends”

Text: Luke 22:14-27

Date: Sunday, October 5, 2025

Luke 22:14-16:, “And Jesus said to them, 'I have eagerly desired to eat this Passover with you before I suffer.

Truth for Today

- Jesus reveals the depth of his love.
- Jesus redeems what sin ruined.
- Jesus redefines our meaning of success.

Bottom Line:

In a world desperate to get ahead, Jesus calls us to descend into greatness instead.

1. The table reminds us how Jesus loves. (Luke 22:14-16)

Jesus’ guest list for the last supper proves:

- His love is indiscriminate.
- His love is unconditional.
- His love is undeniable.

II. The table reminds us why Jesus came. (Luke 22:17-20)

- To fulfill God's promise.
- To forgive our past.
- To fix our broken world.

III. The table reminds us of the way Jesus leads. (Luke 22:23-27)

- True success looks like selfless service.
- Real authority flows from sincere humility.
- We go up by going low.

Application::

- Make room for others to join you at the table without limitation.
- Stop striving to earn what Jesus already secured through his sacrifice.
- Serve others not to get ahead, but to lift them up.

Reflection Questions:

- Who would you invite to dinner if you knew it was your last night on earth?
- Where are you still trying to earn God's favor instead of trusting His finished work on the cross?
- What would it look like for you to "descend into greatness" in your world right now?



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