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Reasons The Church Is Losing Its "Salt" - Part 2

Message Highlights	Notes
"You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt should lose its taste, how can	
it be made salty? It's no longer good for anything but to be thrown out and	
trampled under people's feet. Matthew 5:13	
You are the light of the world. A city situated on a hill cannot be hidden. Matthew 5:14	
No one lights a lamp and puts it under a basket, but rather on a	
lampstand, and it gives light for all who are in the house.	
Matthew 5:15	
In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see	
your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven. Matthew 5:16	
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3. Because many of us have been critical and disconnected from those outside the church.	
He entered Jericho and was passing through. Luke 19:1	
There was a man named Zacchaeus who was a chief tax collector,	
and he was rich.	
He was trying to see who Jesus was, but he was not able because	
of the crowd, since he was a short man. Luke 19:3	
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So running ahead, he climbed up a sycamore tree to see Jesus, since he was about to pass that way Luke 19:4	

	When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down because today it is necessary for me to stay at your house." Luke 19:5	
	So he quickly came down and welcomed him joyfully. Luke 19:6	
	All who saw it began to complain, "He's gone to stay with a sinful man." Luke 19:7	
	But Zacchaeus stood there and said to the Lord, "Look, I'll give half of my possessions to the poor Lord. And if I have extorted anything from anyone, I'll pay back four times as much." Luke 19:8	
	Today salvation has come to this house, Jesus told him, because he too is a son of Abraham. Luke 19:9	
	For the Son of Man has come to seek and to save the lost." Luke 19:10	
	Connect with an outsider (no Holy Huddles).	
	Loving outsiders requires serving outsiders.	
4.	Because many of us have made it difficult those outside the church to find Jesus.	
	Then he said, "Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom." Luke 23:42	
	And he said to him, "Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in paradise." Luke 23:43	