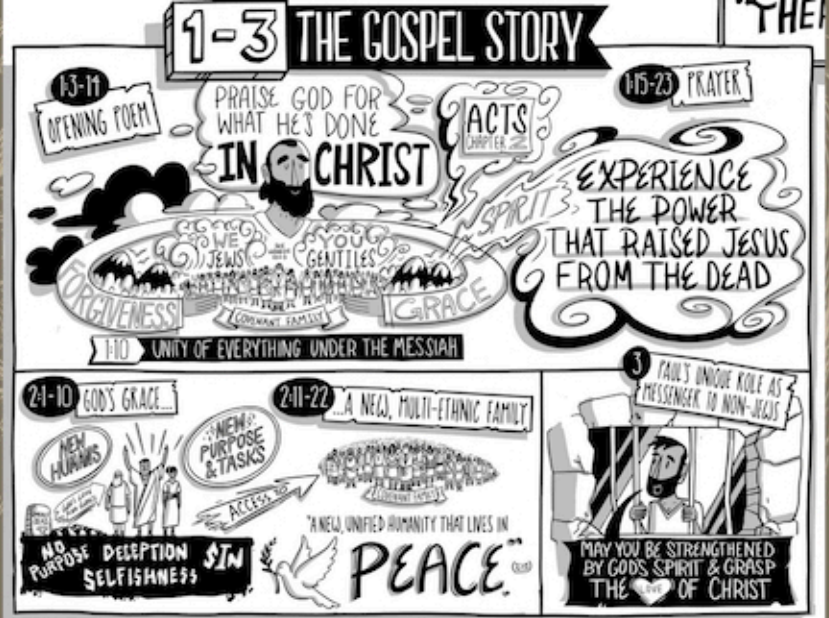
O Come, O Come Emmanuel
JESUS COMES TO US
Jesus who came for the dispossessed and marginalized.
Come meet the One who's still doing that today.
12/3, 12/10 and 12/17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Ephesians 5:25-28

25 **Husbands**, love your **wives**, just as Christ loved the church and gave himself up for
her 26 to make her holy, cleansing her by the washing with water through the word, 27 and to
present her to himself as a radiant church, without stain or wrinkle or any other blemish, but
holy and blameless. 28 In this same way, husbands ought to love their wives as their own
bodies. He who loves his wife loves himself.

Ephesians 6:4, 9

4 **Fathers**, do not exasperate your **children**; instead, bring them up in the training and
instruction of the Lord.

9 And **masters**, treat your **slaves** in the same way. Do not threaten them, since you know that
he who is both their Master and yours is in heaven, and there is no favoritism with him.

Luke 13:10-17 (NIV)

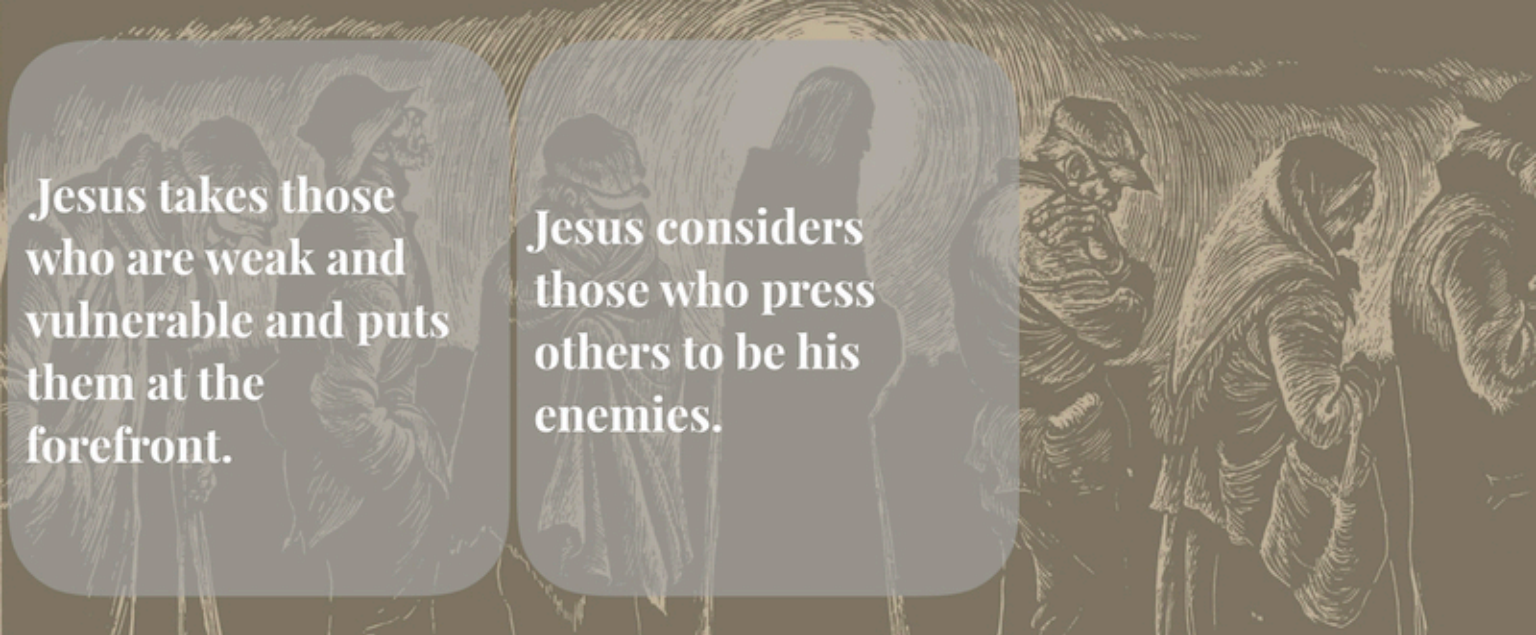
10 On a Sabbath Jesus was teaching in one of the synagogues, 11 and a woman was there who had been crippled by a spirit for eighteen years. She was bent over and could not straighten up at all. 12 When Jesus saw her, he called her forward and said to her, “Woman, you are set free from your infirmity.” 13 Then he put his hands on her, and immediately she straightened up and praised God.

14 Indignant because Jesus had healed on the Sabbath, the synagogue leader said to the people, “There are six days for work. So come and be healed on those days, not on the Sabbath.”

Luke 13:10-17 (NIV)

15 The Lord answered him, “You hypocrites! Doesn’t each of you on the Sabbath untie your ox or donkey from the stall and lead it out to give it water? 16 Then should not this woman, a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan has kept bound for eighteen long years, be set free on the Sabbath day from what bound her?”

17 When he said this, all his opponents were humiliated, but the people were delighted with all the wonderful things he was doing.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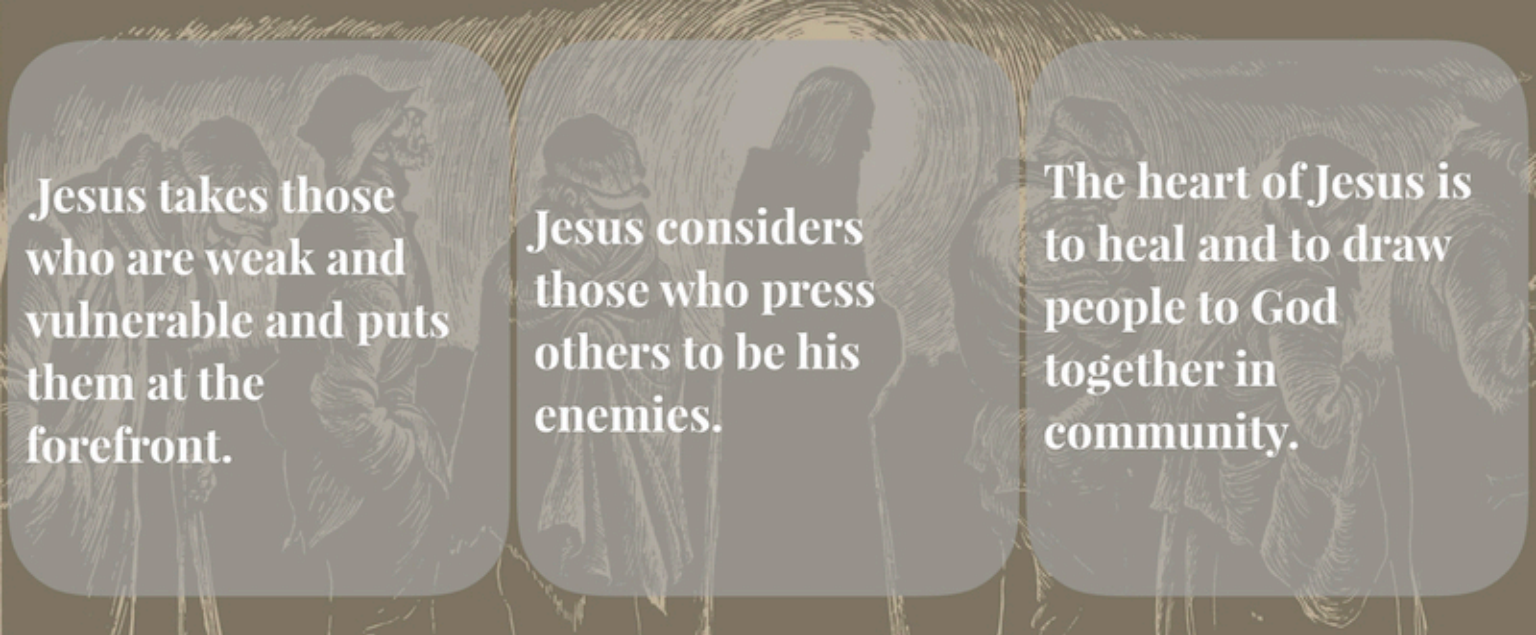

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The heart of Jesus is to heal and to draw people to God together in community.

Response

I'm someone who's been harassed/abused. I need to know that Jesus loves me.

I need to repent of my sin. Jesus help me to be a person of light.

I have never experienced the hope of Jesus before. I want to learn how.