

Getting Ready for Easter - Week 1

Jesus is challenging this group and challenging us as well.

- Luke 14:16-20
- The refusal of the invitation was a massive, missed opportunity.
- Luke 14:21-23

Jesus is comparing the Kingdom of God to a banquet.

- Why is He so insistent that they come? It is all about including people!
- Sundays at Sun Grove are part of a banquet intended to connect people to the Host and bring hope, joy, and life to all those who attend.

We must take our own seat at the banquet.

God is sending us out to compel others to come in!

"It isn't enough to say that we ourselves are the people dragged in from the country lanes, to our surprise, to enjoy God's party. That may be true; but party guests are then expected to become party hosts in their turn." -NT Wright

• The truth is that many Christ followers today believe they are guests at God's banquet, when in reality, we should actually become hosts.

Who are my 3?