

THE INVITATION

HOME IS PERSONAL

- We choose who comes in
 1. If you are sketchy - no go
 2. If you can help
 3. If you are close - family / friend
- Home is a metaphor for our personal life
 1. Inviting Jesus to be a part of your personal life (***Revelations 3:20 NLT***)
 2. The purpose is fellowship - a sharing together
 3. There is so much He can add - totally worth your time

A MAN WHO LET JESUS IN (Luke 19:1-9 NLT)

- Zacchaeus; A man of many layers
 1. He had what most people want - power and wealth
 2. He also had what most people have - a level of hurt
 3. But he also had a spiritual hunger - ran, climbed a tree to see Jesus
- Zacchaeus; A man no one expected Jesus to notice
 1. Certainly not to spend time with - a notorious sinner
 2. Jesus invited Himself to Zac's house
- Zacchaeus's interaction with Jesus changed him
 1. For the first time, Zac was accepted by God
 2. He discovered a purpose bigger than money and power
 3. Zac took steps of change

WHEN YOU INVITE JESUS IN

- His open invitation to you (***1 Corinthians 1:9 CSB***)
 1. To call someone in order that they may come or go somewhere
 2. How do you fellowship with the Lord?
- He will share His perspective of you
 1. Your image is made up of background, experience, wins and losses, what others have said
 2. Jesus sees you with different eyes, a spiritual perspective (***1 Peter 2:9 NLT***)
- He will add value to your life, not hurt
 1. What Jesus added to Zacchaeus empowered him to live differently
 2. He adds the power to live differently (***Ephesians 2:10 NLT***)
 3. He adds a purpose bigger than you