

Sermon Notes for the Week of 9/17/2017



Becoming Disciples! “OUT INTO...”

Luke 14:23 (NKJV & NLT)

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Sermon online @ "YouTube" <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC4yE0t0ek84euNz419gTgWg>

HUGG PRAYER LIST: James 5:13-16

Continue to pray for your group requests throughout the week.

Pray for your family and friends

Ecclesia needs:

- CTBK
- ECF Senior Pastor & wife
- ECF Leadership
- ECF Ministries

The H.U.G.G. Study Guide is designed for its members to assemble in small groups for the express purpose of reflection of Sunday Sermons. Structured in an open-ended question format, that will lead to open discussions on the message in the sermon. Our Lord had open dialogue with His disciples, and the early Church, fellowship to listen as the Apostles expounded on the doctrines of Christ, and in those intimate settings bonds of relationships formed the church. So, ECF is building strong relationships through its small group ministry, to the Glory of GOD!

TEXT UNDER VIEW: Luke 14:23

23Then the master said to the servant, ‘Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled.’ ^{NKJV}

23 So his master said, ‘Go out into the country lanes and behind the hedges and urge anyone you find to come, so that the house will be full.’ ^{NLT}

BACKGROUND:

The Lord was engaged in a dialogue at the table (i.e. table talks), as an invited guest to dinner. So He took occasion to reprove the proper way of hospitality to his host and the guests, with a parable. In conclusion, of the parable, a guest shouted “Blessed is he who will eat bread in the Kingdom of God”. Then our Lord, said in response to him (i.e. prophetically), to seek those that were not invited. “**Go out into**”

LOOK BACK:

1. **Share and discuss in your group, what was the context for Luke 14:23?**

2. **Discuss in your group, who was at the dinner and why is that significance to the text?**

LOOK UP:

3. **What does the term “out into” mean to you in your own words?**

4. **Discuss and share in your group: how are the three qualities to be used according to the message?**

5. **Based on vs. 22 (...and yet there is room) & 23 (...that my house may be full), explain what the relation is between the two verses?**

LOOK FORWARD:

6. **Share with your group; what this message has taught you?**

7. **Moving forward, give examples of how the Lord can use you in this command.**

PRAISE THE LORD!!!

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