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FELLOWSHIP ● BIBLE STUDY ● PRAYER

Week of November 1, 2026

Sermon: ***The Invitation – Passing Through Jericho***
Text: **Luke 19:1–10**

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1 – **Pray Together [the first and most important priority]**
"If your Presence does not go with us, do not send us up from here." — Exodus 33:15

Take time to share needs and pray for one another before moving into the discussion.

Zacchaeus was a wealthy tax collector, despised by his neighbors and known as a sinner. He climbed a tree hoping to catch a glimpse of Jesus, but something unexpected happened. Jesus stopped, called him by name, and invited Himself into Zacchaeus's home. That surprising invitation changed his life. Jesus still seeks the lost, extends grace to unlikely people, and invites us to do the same.

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2 – Open/Check-In

Have you ever received an unexpected invitation that turned out to be a wonderful experience?

3 – The Word / Luke 19:1–10

What stands out to you in this encounter between Jesus and Zacchaeus?

4 – Reflect

Why do you think Jesus chose to stop and spend time with Zacchaeus, someone everyone else seemed to reject?

How does Jesus' invitation to Zacchaeus challenge the way we see and treat people who may be different from us?

5 – Respond (Spiritual Formation/Growth)

Jesus didn't wait for Zacchaeus to change before extending His invitation. What does this teach us about the grace of God?

Who might Jesus be inviting you to notice, welcome, or reach out to this week? What would it look like to respond?

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Ask Jesus to help you recognize His invitation in your own life and extend His love and grace to others.