



Guide

8/17 - Luke 1:19:1-10

LOVE

A new commandment I give to you, that you love *one another*... (John 13:34)

- *Internal*: How was your week...anything new?! How was your walk with the Lord this week?
- *External*: Is there any individual or family who is struggling or needs encouragement from us?

TRUTH

Let the word of God dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing *one another*... (Col. 3:16)

1. When you reflect on the message from Sunday, what most resonated with you?
2. Let's read our primary text. When we arrive in Luke 19, what was Jesus up to? Where was he coming from and where was he going?
3. How does the Bible describe Zacchaeus? What was his occupation? Was he liked?
4. What was the role of tax collectors in biblical times? Why were they so hated?
5. Someone briefly tell the story of Zacchaeus in Luke 19:1-10. What can we learn from Zach's reaction to Jesus?
6. How would you use this text to teach a child or a loved one the lesson of repentance?
7. What is the main theme of this text? [Hint: Some might say this is also the main theme of the entire book]
8. What does it mean to be "lost"? How would you use verse 10 as the "launchpad" to share the gospel with someone?
9. Any other thoughts you would like to share before we wrap up this text?

GREAT COMMISSION

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations... (Matt. 28:19-20)

- Did you disciple your family well this week? Is it apparent to others that Jesus the reason for your hope in your daily activity? Would anyone like to share the gospel with the group?

CONFESSION/PRAYER/REPENTANCE

But exhort *one another* every day, as long as it is called "today,"... (Heb. 3:12-14)

- Confession is agreeing with God about our sin according to the Scriptures. Is there anything you want to confess before the group? [*apathy, idolatry, selfishness, jealousy, anger, envy*]
- Let's pray, asking God to help us apply His word to our lives, putting to death sinful desires.