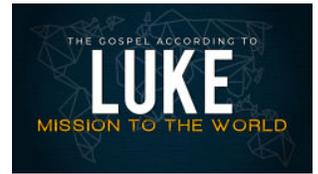


# Community Group Discussion Guide

Sunday, January 28, 2024

Scripture: Luke 14:12-24



## THIS WEEK'S FOCUS

Jesus challenges the sins of selfishness and partiality, and he invites everyone to join his kingdom.

## QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION *(Use along with Reading: Ante Faciem Dei)*

1. How does this text connect with verses 1-11?
2. How is Jesus challenging the dinner host? Are there times you have acted similarly?
3. How does the gospel motivate us to give generously and selflessly?
4. What was the assumption behind the man's statement in verse 15 (Isaiah 25:6-9)?
5. In Jesus' parable, why did some excuse themselves from the banquet? Why did this anger the master of the banquet?
6. What distractions keep you from enjoying God's word and fellowshiping with him and his people?
7. What does this parable teach us about God and the nature of his kingdom? Are there some you believe are outside the scope of God's invitation to join His kingdom?
8. What steps can we take to reprioritize God's kingdom and embrace God's mission?