

'Who Will Respond' Luke 14:12-24

Freely give with a willing heart every chance you have...

... as opposed to wanting the best;

... as opposed to giving to get.

Two greatest threats to the future of our faith:

- 1. We don't take seriously the call of <u>Jesus</u>.
- 2. We decide who <u>Jesus</u> calls.

MY APPLICATION

The following questions this week reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family and friends.

- 1. What culture of giving did you experience growing up? Has that changed over time, and if so, how?
- 2. What motivates you to give? What discourages you from giving? How could you give this to God in prayer?
- 3. What would it look like for you to give generously this week? What might you give, and would it give you joy in return?
- 4. Pray for each other to give generously [to others] this week

MEMORY VERSE

But when you give a feast, invite the poor, the crippled, the lame, the blind, and you will be blessed, because they cannot repay you. For you will be repaid at the resurrection of the just."