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Hospitality – Lesson 2

Intro: Last week we looked at the value of hospitality in the first testament.

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The Who of Hospitality?

ə The Gospel of Luke

- **Luke 4: 18-19** - ¹⁸“The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to proclaim good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, ¹⁹to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favor.”

- The tone of Jubilee
- Imagine if we did this ...

ə **Luke 4:42-44**

- Jesus sets off to preach around the whole area
- But ... How does Luke maintain his orderly account?
- With hospitality narratives:

- The First Temptation of Jesus (4:1-4)
- Banquet at Levi's House (5:27-32)
- Question about Fasting (5:33-39)
- Disciples Pluck Grain on Sabbath (6:1-5)
- Dinner at Simon's House (7:36-50)
- Feeding the 5,000 (9:10-17)
- Mission of the Seventy (10:1-9)
- Hospitality at the home of Mary and Martha (10:38-42)
- Lord's Prayer and Perseverance in Prayer (11:1-13)
- Dinner at a Pharisee's House (11:37-52)
- Sabbath Meal at a Pharisee's House (14:1-24)
- Parable of Lost Son and Elder Brother (15:11-32)
- The Rich Man and Lazarus (16:19-31)
- Hospitality at the home of Zacchaeus (19:1-10)
- The Last Supper (22:14-38)
- Breaking Bread at Emmaus (24:28-32)
- Jesus Eats Meal in Presence of Disciples (24:36-43)

- ə Let's look at one of these occurrences of hospitality
 - Luke 14:1-14
 - Reciprocity

- Dangerous Truth
- Treasure

What is hospitality?

- Greek word - philoxenos (fil-ox'-en-os)
 - Philo - love of
 - Xenos - strangers or others

Modifying the Catechism - What is the chief end of your resources?