

The Kingdom of God is a Party

Passage: Luke 5:27-39 | From the series: Luke

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In Luke 5:27-39, Jesus attends a party and then evokes images of a party. Indeed, the kingdom of God is like a party. Who's invited? And if you manage to secure an invitation, what do you do when you get there?

Discussion Questions:

1. If you can remember a time when you were invited to some event that you were excited about, describe this experience.
2. Conversely, if you can remember a time when you weren't invited to some event you were excited about, describe this experience.
3. One of the images that is given to us for the kingdom of God is that of a party. What does it mean to you that the kingdom of God is like a party?
4. If the kingdom of God is like a party, and Jesus invites Levi, a tax collector, that means everyone's invited. It means you're invited. What does this mean to you?
5. Jesus stepped out of heaven and into our world; he parties with us and our friends. What does this mean to you?
6. What sort of categories has Jesus exploded for you—or what sort of categories is he exploding for you?