



## How to use Pod Talk:

Talking through the Bible during the week helps us practice what we are learning. Read the Sunday Bible passage, discuss what you notice, share what God is inviting you to apply to your life, and wrap up with prayer. (SOAP)

## Sermon Main Idea:

Jesus stops for you; sees you; calls you by name; invites you to be with Him; and tells you who you really are.

## Introduction:

1. Who is someone you would really want to see in person if they came to town?
2. What types of people are disliked in our society like Zacchaeus was in his? Why?

## SOAP:

**Scripture** | read Luke 19:1-10 and relate last week's daily bible readings

**Observation** | what do we notice? what stands out?

1. Where was Jesus and where was He headed? (Luke 18:31-33;19:1)
2. What do we know about Zacchaeus? (Luke 19:2-4)
3. What does Jesus do when He sees Zacchaeus? (Luke 19:5-6)
4. How did the crowd respond to what Jesus did? Why? (Luke 19:7)
5. How did Zacchaeus respond to what Jesus did? Why? (Luke 19:8)
6. What else does Jesus have to say to Zacchaeus? (Luke 19:9-10)

**Application** | what can we apply to our life today?

1. What do we learn about Jesus from this story? How can you become a little more like Him this week?
2. Jesus knows our deepest desires; what is something He knows you really desire? (v.5)
3. Why did Jesus spend time with notorious “sinners?” How can you justify disliking or avoiding some of “those people?”
4. How can you join Jesus this week in His purpose to “seek and to save what was lost?” (v.10)
5. This week how can you keep going further Up, in your relationship with God? In, in your relationship with those in the church? Or, Out, in your relationship with those outside the church?

**Prayer** | ask God to help you live out your application

## Last Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday, 10/15 – 1 Samuel 1:1-28

Tuesday, 10/16 – 1 Samuel 3:1-18

Wednesday, 10/17 – 1 Samuel 7:3-15

Thursday, 10/18 – 1 Samuel 8:1-22

Friday, 10/19 – 1 Samuel 9:27 – 10:8

Saturday, 10/20 – 1 Samuel 16:1-13

Sunday, 10/21 – 2 Samuel 12:1-9