

WELCOME WITHOUT JUDGMENT

April 8, 2018

Luke 7:36-50

I. Jesus _____ who come to Him. – v. 36-37

What sins, behaviors or lifestyles in others are you most likely to judge? Why? How can recognizing your own sin help you not to judge in these cases? Do you more often find yourself in the shoes of the judgmental Pharisee or the sinful woman? Why?

3. APPLY THE TRUTH

Pastor Micah talked about four ways the Bible tells us not to judge. How do these instructions correct your heart in the area of judgment and what can you do to better conform to these instructions?

II. Religious hypocrites offer only _____ welcome with _____ . – v. 38-39

4. COMMIT THIS WEEK

What can you do or not do to help others feel more welcome without judgment in our church? Share you ideas with your group and commit to start working on these to make Harvest a more welcoming church.



III. Forgiven sinners are _____ over their own _____
for Christ's welcome. – v. 40-50

**WE _____ THE ARROGANT JUDGMENTAL PHARISEE
WHEN WE _____ WE ARE THE SINFUL WOMAN.**

Stewardship Report:

Last Week: \$2,017.00

This Month: \$2,017.00

Last Month: \$22,824.00

Monthly Budget: \$15,070.00



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SMALL GROUP APPLICATION QUESTIONS

We have been welcomed by Jesus and we must extend that same welcome to others.

1. REVIEW THE SERMON

Read Luke 7:36-50. How did Jesus interact with the Pharisee and the Woman of the city and why? What have you learned from Jesus' interactions in this story?

How did the Woman of the city respond to Jesus? How did the Pharisee respond to Jesus? What was driving each of their responses? What was Jesus' point at the end of this story in regards to welcome and judgment?

2. ASSESS YOUR LIFE

How do you interact with various people in your life (i.e. Religious People, Non-Christians, Fellow Believers, Family Members)? How do these interactions compare with one another? How do they compare to how Jesus interacts with you?

