

REWRITING OUR STORY

Luke 19:1 (NIV) *Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through.*

Luke 19:2 (NIV) *A man was there by the name of Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was wealthy.*

We realize 3 things:

1). We are empty.

Luke 19:3a (NIV) *He wanted to see who Jesus was.*

2). We are Called.

Luke 19:3 (NIV) *He wanted to see who Jesus was, but because he was short he could not see over the crowd.*

Luke 19:4 (NIV) *So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore-fig tree to see him, since Jesus was coming that way. ⁵ When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, “Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today.” ⁶ So he came down at once and welcomed him gladly.*

3). We are changed.

Luke 19:7 (NIV) *All the people saw this and began to mutter, “He has gone to be the guest of a sinner.” ⁸ But Zacchaeus stood up and said to the Lord, “Look, Lord! Here and now I give half of my possessions to the poor, and if I have cheated anybody out of anything, I will pay back four times the amount.”*

Luke 19:9 (NIV) *Jesus said to him, “Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham. ¹⁰ For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.”*

TO WALK BY FAITH, WE MUST GIVE UP CONTROL.

Matthew 16:18 *Upon this Rock I will build my Church and the gates of hell will not prevail against it.*

Plant Community Groups
Reach Surrounding Communities
Expand our Campus
Virtual Presence
Additional Staff
Intentional Discipleship
Leadership Development

Total Attendance (worship/kids):

2022: 197

2023: 292

2024: 349

Last Sunday: 392

Psalm 71:18 (NIV) *Even when I am old and gray, do not forsake me, my God, till I declare your power to the next generation, your mighty acts to all who are to come.*

Primary goal—100% participation

Secondary goal—we reach the goal of \$2.5 million.

Timeline

- April 18: Good Friday
- April 20: Easter Sunday
- April 27: Children/Youth involvement
- **May 4: Pledge Sunday**
- May 11: Mother's Day
- May 18: Celebration Sunday
- June 1: First Fruits/Giving begins