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Luke 14:1–24

BIG IDEA: Love sees who's _____ and makes _____ for more.

1. They saw a _____. Jesus showed them a _____
_____. – v. 14:1–6

2. They saw a _____ of _____. Jesus showed them a
_____ of _____. – v. 14:7–11

3. They saw what _____ could _____. Jesus showed them
what _____. – v. 14:12–14

4. They saw a _____. Jesus showed them there was
_____. – v. 14:15–24



Monday

READ: Luke 14:15–24

REFLECT: Jesus tells a story about a banquet where the invited guests begin making excuses. The host responds by sending his servant out to bring in people who probably never expected an invitation. Then comes this beautiful line: “...there is still room.” That’s a picture of God’s heart. He keeps making room and keeps extending the invitation.

RESPOND: Who have you assumed wouldn’t be interested in Jesus? Ask God to put one person on your heart today.

Tuesday

READ: Luke 5:27–32

REFLECT: Matthew was a tax collector, which meant people wanted nothing to do with him. Jesus walked up and invited him to follow. Before long, Jesus was eating at a table surrounded by people the religious crowd avoided. Jesus saw people as worth pursuing.

RESPOND: Is there someone you’ve kept at a distance because of their reputation, lifestyle, or past? Ask Jesus to help you see that person the way he does.

Wednesday

READ: Luke 19:1–10

REFLECT: Zacchaeus was easy to dislike. He was wealthy from collecting taxes for Rome, probably at the expense of his own neighbors. Yet Jesus stopped beneath his tree, called him by name, and invited himself to Zacchaeus’s house. That encounter changed Zacchaeus. Jesus later explained that he came “to seek and to save the lost.”

RESPOND: Who do you regularly see but rarely notice? Slow down today and pay attention to the people God puts in your path.

Thursday

READ: John 4:4–10, 27–30

REFLECT: The woman at the well was a Samaritan and someone with a complicated story. But Jesus stopped and talked with her anyway. That conversation then affected an entire community. Sometimes God does something much bigger than we expect when we’re willing to cross a social boundary and simply have a conversation.

RESPOND: Who is outside your normal circle? Look for an opportunity to start conversation instead of passing by.

Friday

READ: Mark 10:13–16; Luke 14:21–23

REFLECT: The disciples tried to keep children away from Jesus because they assumed his time was better spent elsewhere. But Jesus welcomed them. Sometimes we decide ahead of time who will listen, who will come, or who is too far gone. That’s God’s decision to work out in their hearts. Ours is just to make room and extend the invitation.

RESPOND: Who have you already said “no” for without ever giving them the opportunity to say “yes?” Invite someone this week. Leave their responses to God.

W E L C O M E

New here?

We're so glad you're here. We'd love to meet you, answer your questions, and help you get connected at PCC. If you're ready to learn more, we invite you to do any/all of the following:

1

Connect Card

We'd love to get to know you and help you get connected! Scan the code to fill out a digital Connect Card.



2

Guest Services

Stop by Guest Services in the lobby. We'd love to get acquainted, give you a welcome packet, and a gift. If you have questions, we have answers!

3

Intro

Join us for Intro where you'll hear Pathway's story, meet some staff, and learn about next steps. Scan the code to sign up.



Anxiety Class

Thursdays, October 1 - November 19 | 6:30pm

This environment was created specifically for those navigating anxiety or those who are supporting loved ones through anxiety. This eight-week class combines clinical insight and biblical truth to help you understand anxiety, manage symptoms, and find practical tools for peace. You'll have space to reflect, connect, and grow in a supportive, judgment-free environment. There is no cost to attend.

Scan the code to sign up.



Ways to Give



- 1 | Scan to give
- 2 | Text GIVE to 1-833-568-5410
- 3 | Click GIVE on pccfw.org
- 4 | Tap GIVE on the PCC at Home app
- 5 | Drop your gift in the offering buckets or boxes



Ministries & Events SEPTEMBER 2026

CHURCHWIDE

SEP 25 | 6:30pm
WORSHIP NIGHT
SEP 28-OCT 18
21 DAYS OF PRAYER & FASTING

GROUPS

ONGOING
DAYS/TIMES VARY
LIFE GROUPS
SEP 10-OCT 1
HOST TRAINING SESSIONS

NEXT STEPS

SEP 12 | 5pm
INTRO
SEP 15 | 6:30pm
ROOTED
SEP 15 | 6:15pm
ALPHA
SEP 20 | 9am
LIFE AT PATHWAY

MEN

AUG 31 | 6:30pm
MANDAY MEAT-UP
SEP 14 | 7pm
MANDAY MONDAY

WOMEN

MONDAYS | 9am
WOMEN'S COFFEE & CONVERSATION
SEP 14 | 6:30pm
WOMEN'S MONDAY BIBLE STUDY
SEP 15 | 6:30pm
WOMEN'S TUESDAY BIBLE STUDY

SEP 16 | 12pm
WOMEN'S WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY
SEP 17 | 9am
WOMEN'S THURSDAY BIBLE STUDY
SEP 22 | 9am
MOM2MOM

CARE & SUPPORT

MOST SUNDAYS | 7:45am
Last Sunday of the month | 10:15am
SUNDAY PRAYER GATHERINGS

TUESDAYS | 7pm
CELEBRATE RECOVERY

SEP 3 | 6:30pm
First Thursday of each month
BREAST CANCER COMMUNITY GROUP

SEP 20 | 2pm
AN AFTERNOON WITH STEVE CUSS

SEP 21 | 8:30am
A MORNING WITH STEVE CUSS

SEP 24 | 7pm
INFERTILITY & LOSS SUPPORT

MISSIONS & OUTREACH

SEP 12+13
FOOD PANTRY DONATION WEEKEND
(Every 2nd Sunday)

SEP 12 | 9:30am
BOOMERANG BACKPACKS 5K & FAMILY FUN RUN

SEP 20 | 6:30pm
MISSION TRIP INTEREST MEETING

Scan the code for more information on these events



ADOPTION & FOSTER CARE

SEP 9 | 6:30pm
TRUE VINE MOM SUPPORT GROUP
SEP 12 | 9am
A MORNING WITH TORI HOPE PETERSEN

SEP 12+13
TRUE VINE WEEKEND

SEP 19 | 5pm
ROYAL FAMILY KIDS CAMP INFO SESSION

SEP 20 | 9am
ADOPTION & FOSTER CARE INFO SESSION

SEP 20 | 11am
TRUE VINE SERVE OPPORTUNITIES INFO MEETING

SEP 27 | 12pm
TRUE VINE FALL FUN DAY

COLLEGE

THURSDAYS | 7pm
PCC COLLEGE

STUDENTS

SATURDAYS | 5pm
SUNDAYS | 9+11am
PROJECT 5 (5th Grade)

SUNDAYS | 9+11am
IMPULSE: DIGGING DEEPER

WEDNESDAYS | 6:15pm
IMPULSE (Middle School)

WEDNESDAYS | 7:30pm
IMPACT (High School)

KIDS

SATURDAYS | 5pm
SUNDAYS | 9+11am
KIDCITY



Saturdays 5pm | Sundays 9am+11am
1010 Carroll Road, Fort Wayne, IN 46845
260.469.4444



SPECIAL GUEST

Steve Cuss

September 19–21

We're excited to welcome author, speaker, pastor, and former trauma chaplain Steve Cuss to Pathway September 19–21. In addition to joining us for our weekend services, he will be presenting at two special events:

Sunday, September 20 | 2–3pm

An Afternoon with Steve Cuss

Join us as we continue the conversation from his weekend message.
Everyone is welcome and there is no cost to attend.

Monday, September 21 | 8:30am–12pm

A Morning with Steve Cuss

This event will provide a more in-depth conversation about mental health and anxiety. Whether you're a therapist, chaplain, ministry leader, educator, caregiver, or simply someone who walks alongside people facing anxiety, you'll leave with practical tools to help yourself and others move toward greater emotional and spiritual health.

Scan the code to learn more and sign up.



Steve Cuss is an author, speaker, pastor, and former trauma and hospice chaplain who helps people understand and manage anxiety in themselves and their relationships. He is the author of *Managing Leadership Anxiety* and *The Expectation Gap*, and has taught his anxiety management framework to tens of thousands of people in more than 40 countries.



This fall, we'll journey through a seven-week sermon series happening in October and November. We're looking for people who are willing to create a welcoming space where others can connect and talk about what they're learning during the series.

A HOST is someone who will:

- Have** a heart for God and people
- Open** their home
- Serve** a snack
- Thoughtfully** guide conversations

You don't need to have all the answers. You just need a heart for people and a willingness to help create meaningful community. Before the series begins, you'll attend one required training session, with multiple dates available to fit your schedule. We'll walk you through what hosting involves so you feel prepared to HOST.

HOST TRAINING SESSIONS

September 10 – October 1

Attend one. A variety of days and times are available.

Scan the code to sign up.

