

**Week 1**

**March 6, 2022**

**Sermon Title:**

**Sermon Text:** Luke 5:27-39

**Speaker:** Wade Allen

**Sermon Notes:**

**Community Group:**

**Location:**

**Date:**

**BIBLE READING PLAN**

**Week 9**

- John 9:1-41
- John 10:1-21
- Luke 10
- John 10:22-42
- Luke 12
- Luke 13
- Luke 14

## Week 1 Day 1

**Bible Reading:**        **Luke 5:27-32**

### Questions for Reflection:

Who did Jesus call to follow Him in these verses?

What was his occupation? What is his other name?  
(c.f. Matthew 9:9-17)

What do we know about tax collectors in that day? Would they be considered wealthy? How did they obtain their wealth?

How does knowing tax collectors were very wealthy deepen our understanding of verse 28?

## Week 1 Day 2

**Bible Reading:**        **Luke 5:30-35**

### Questions for Reflection:

In verses 31-32, Jesus made His feelings very clear about Matthew's decision to follow Him. What did Jesus say about spending time with sinful people?

Read Matthew 9: 10-13. What additional information do we learn from this parallel passage? How does this help us to understand Jesus' heart about this issue?

Why were the Jewish leaders questioning Jesus about His disciples' habits of prayer and fasting? What motivated this line of questioning?

Why did Jesus use a picture of a bridegroom in verses 33-35? What does this represent? Who is the bride? (c.f. Ephesians 5:22-23)

## Week 1 Day 3

**Bible Reading:**        **Luke 5:36-39**

### Questions for Reflection:

What is a parable? What is its purpose?

Why did Jesus teach using parables? (c.f. Luke 8:9-15)

What are the two primary metaphors used in this parable?

Why is it a problem to use new fabric to patch old clothing?  
... or a problem to put new wine into old wineskins?

What correlation is Jesus making here in regard to the old and new covenants?