

VISION WEEK

“A Vision for Life Changing Love!” Luke 19:1-10

November 20 & 23, 2016: Cam Huxford, Senior Pastor

Compassion for people who are far from God, both locally and globally, is just normal when the church is working right.

I. Life-changing Love Makes a Difference!

There was a reason people wanted to see Jesus:

1. Jesus taught the truth...and didn't hold back!
2. Jesus cared about people...and showed it!

II. Life-changing Love Requires Risky Action! *Luke 5:29-32*

Zacchaeus had heard that Jesus cares about people who are far from God!

When you sit down across from the judge of the living and the dead...the all-knowing, all loving Lord Jesus... the agenda is you! *John 1:12*

In the New Testament, the idea of “receiving Jesus” is synonymous with believing in Him or putting your faith in Him.

III. Life-changing Love Changes the Future! *2 Corinthians 5:17*

Zacchaeus became a new creation. His greed and ruthlessness was replaced with love, gentleness and generosity.

Zacchaeus spent the first half of his life on success...he's spending the last half on significance!

I. Life-changing Love Makes a Difference *James 1:27 NIV*

II. Life-changing Love Requires Risky Action!

III. Life-changing Love Changes the Future!

When Jesus is my Lord, I MUST love like He loved, risk like He risked, and build the future He desires!

Ministry Opportunities

For the full list of upcoming events, visit CompassionChristian.com/events.

The Journey

Wednesday - Sunday, Nov. 30 - Dec. 4 and Dec. 7 - 11

Henderson Campus

Step back centuries in time and experience life the night Christmas began. The Journey is a two-part experience, starting with a concert of beautiful Christmas music performed by musicians from all our campuses followed by an interactive journey to Bethlehem. Purchase tickets in advance at CompassionChristian.com or at the door.

Wednesday Service Relocation During The Journey

6:45 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 30 and Dec. 7

Adult Ministry Center across the street

We use our Worship Center for The Journey, so services on Wednesday, Nov. 30 and Dec. 7 will be held in the Adult Ministry Center. Follow the signs for service parking. There will be no separate children's or student programming on these two dates.

Adopt a Family

Choose compassion and "adopt" a local family in need this Christmas. We'll pair you with a family and provide information about the children so you can buy appropriate Christmas gifts. You'll meet the family, present the gifts and share the good news about Jesus, the greatest gift of all. Sign up at Connecting Point or email Aida at areyes@compassionchristian.com.

Early Bird Registration for Student Summer Camps

Wednesday, Nov. 16 - Wednesday, Nov. 23

Summer camps are special times for middle and high school students to grow in their faith in God and in their relationships with other students. Registration for 2017 student summer camps is now open. Pay the \$75 deposit at CompassionChristian.com/camp2017 by Wednesday, Nov. 23, and get a \$25 discount off the total camp cost. High school camp is June 12 - 17 and costs \$330; middle school camp is July 10 - 14 and costs \$305.

2016 Year-To-Date Giving and Attendance

View information through October at CompassionChristian.com/give.