

**Matthew 22:1-14**  
Sermon: December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2011

**Know Your Neighbor**

1. Write down a couple of examples where you were ignored or snubbed after you extended an invitation. How did it make you WANT to respond?

**Know God's Word**

1. Reflect on the passage and in one or two sentences give a brief synopsis of the sermon last Sunday. (Write down two or three points that impacted you)
  - a. What are the three ways the three parables represent God? (Matt 21:28-22:14)
  - b. What, in your opinion, would cause the man who was not wearing wedding clothes to be "speechless?" (v 12)
  - c. Have you ever been in a situation where you can identify with being speechless in this way?
2. Read Ephesians 4:22-24
  - a. What does it mean to "put on the new self" and to "put off your old self?"
  - b. How does this passage describe the "old self" and the "new self?"
  - c. Why would any of us ever resist this process?"

**Know How to Live**

1. Which representation of God (from the three ways represented in the parables) do you think of him as... the least? Why?