



New Hampton Community Church

Message Notes

“Be Here Now!”

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“They did so, and the master of the banquet tasted the water that had been turned into wine. He did not realize where it had come from, though the servants who have drawn the water knew. Then he called the bridegroom aside and said, “Everyone brings out the choice wine first and then the cheaper wine after the guests had too much to drink but you saved the best till now.” John 2:8-9

“Jesus entered Jericho and was passing through. ²A man was there by the name of Zacchaeus; he was a chief tax collector and was wealthy. ³He wanted to see who Jesus was, but because he was short he could not see over the crowd. ⁴So he ran ahead and climbed a sycamore-fig tree to see him, since Jesus was coming that way. ⁵When Jesus reached the spot, he looked up and said to him, “Zacchaeus, come down immediately. I must stay at your house today.” ⁶So he came down at once and welcomed him gladly.

⁷All the people saw this and began to mutter, “He has gone to be the guest of a sinner.” ⁸But 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.” ⁹Jesus said to him, “Today salvation has come to this house, because this man, too, is a son of Abraham. ¹⁰For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.” Luke 19:1-10

❖ **47% of the time : a person’s _____
is _____ in the same place as _____**

➤ **Don’t _____ what you _____**

“Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself.... Matthew 6:34

❖ **A common reason we are not fully present is
because we _____ !**

Steps to help focus

➤ **Give _____ the _____ you _____**

➤ **_____ with the future you _____**

“Now listen, you who say, “Today or tomorrow we will go to this or that city, spend a year there, carry on business and make money. Why, you do not even know what will happen tomorrow. What is your life? You are a mist that appears for a little while and then vanishes. ¹⁵Instead, you ought to say, “If it is the Lord’s will, we will live and do this or that.” James 4:13-15

***“This is the day the LORD has made.
We will rejoice and be glad in it.”***

Psalm 118:24 NLT