

BEYOND SUNDAY

8.4.24

The Power of Personal Invitations — Paul De Neui

Read Revelation 3:20 and Genesis 3:9

1. **Personal Reflection:** What was a significant invitation in your life that shaped your faith or relationship with God? How did it impact you?
2. **God's Invitation:** The sermon discusses God's continual invitation to us. In what ways do you feel God is inviting you to deepen your relationship with Him right now?
3. **Scriptural Context:** The first question God asks in the Bible is "Where are you?" How does this question resonate with you personally? What do you think God wants to communicate through it?
4. **Altar Calls:** How do you feel about the tradition of altar calls in church? Have you ever participated in one, and what was your experience?
5. **Community Involvement:** Reflect on the story of the Horticulture Director. What simple invitations have led you to serve in your community or church, and how have they changed your perspective?

6. **Shared Meals:** The sermon highlights the significance of sharing a meal with Jesus. What does this imagery mean to you in the context of your relationship with Him?
7. **Growth Opportunities:** What opportunities for growth do you see in your life right now? How can you respond to God's invitation to step into those opportunities?
8. **Mentorship:** The sermon mentions the importance of mentorship. Who has been a mentor in your faith journey, and how did their invitation influence your life?
9. **Invitation to Others:** Is there someone in your life that God is calling you to invite to church or to share your faith with? How might you approach this invitation?
10. **Future Steps:** Reflecting on your own journey, what steps can you take to be more open to God's invitations in the future? How can you create a space for these invitations to flourish?