

**Love Like Jesus...  
BREAKS BREAD – Part 3  
February 25, 2018**

**Why Did Jesus Come?**

**John 10:10b (NIV)** *“I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.”*

**Matthew 9:13b (NIV)** *“For I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners.”*

**Mark 10:45 (NIV)** *“For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.”*

**John 12:46 (NIV)** *“I have come into the world as a light, so that no one who believes in Me should stay in darkness.”*

**John 6:38 (NIV)** *“For I have come down from heaven not to do My will but to do the will of Him who sent Me.”*

**How Did Jesus Come?**

**Luke 7:34 (NIV)** *“The Son of Man came eating and drinking, and you say, ‘Here is a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners.’”*

**Jesus came eating and drinking.**

**Scripture references to eating and banquets in Heaven...**

**Revelation 2:7 (NIV)** *“Whoever has ears, let them hear what the Spirit says to the churches. To the one who is victorious, I will give the right to eat from the tree of life, which is in the paradise of God.”*

**Matthew 22:2 (NIV)** *“The kingdom of heaven is like a king who prepared a wedding banquet for his son.”*

**Luke 22:29-30 (NIV)** *“And I confer on you a kingdom, just as My Father conferred one on Me,<sup>30</sup> so that you may eat and drink at My table in My kingdom and sit on thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel.”*

**We need to break bread in community.**

**Acts 2:42-47 (NIV)** *“They devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. <sup>43</sup> Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. <sup>44</sup> All the believers were together and had everything in common. <sup>45</sup> They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need. <sup>46</sup> Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, <sup>47</sup> praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.”*

**Acts 4:33-35 (NIV)** *“With great power the apostles continued to testify to the resurrection of the Lord Jesus. And God’s grace was so powerfully at work in them all <sup>34</sup> that there were no needy persons among them. For from time to time those who owned land or houses sold them, brought the money from the sales <sup>35</sup> and put it at the apostles’ feet, and it was distributed to anyone who had need.”*

**Share The Love Of Jesus...**

**1. With other believers at church.**

**Hebrews 10:24-25 (NIV)** *“And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, <sup>25</sup> not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.”*

**2. With a committed community of people.**

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**The church must be a place where you can belong before you even believe.**