



## Parables – Lost & Found

**Icebreaker:** What is your favorite animal?

**Read Together:** Luke 15

**Discuss:** The Lost Sheep, The Lost Coin, The Lost Son

- What do you notice in the scripture for this section that you have not seen before.
- What was the Holy Spirit saying
- When did you last notice that someone was missing from God's family?
- Why did Jesus use these stories in series like this?
- Who was Jesus speaking to in the first place?

**Read Together:** LUKE 19:10 (NKJV)

**Discuss:** Two Kingdom attitudes to embrace. Compassion & Celebration.

- What do you notice in the scripture for this section that you have not seen before?
- How often do you consider, "But for the grace of God, I would be a lost son"?
- Only 8% of our city has any type of religious affiliation. Who do you know that falls into the 92% who are not affiliated?
- When people are acting like what they are NOT meant to be, they don't need a shovel to the head, they need someone to show them how to live.

**Discuss:**

- When was the last time you celebrated when someone you don't like came to Christ?
- What would it look like for you to up your practice of Compassion and Celebration?

**Pray:**

- Ask God to help you expand your heart!
- Ask God to help you live out your beliefs so that others can see how to live.
- Ask God for a heart of Compassion for those who are lost.
- Ask God to help you Celebrate when a lost soul comes to know Him.