



11/07/2021 "Get Used to Different"

1. The sermon title "Get Used to Different" is a line in the show "The Chosen." Have you seen it? If so, share what it's about with the group.
2. What do you feel is most unique or unexpected about Jesus?
3. What is it about Jesus that draws you in or is most compelling to you?
4. Read John 4:1-30. What things in this passage seem to surprise the Samaritan woman and Jesus' disciples?
5. This is the longest recorded conversation Jesus has with an individual. Why is it unexpected and against human nature?
6. Read Luke 10:25-37. Jesus uses a parable of a Samaritan man to prove a point. What point was Jesus trying to make?
7. Human nature says, "why are those people here?" Jesus says, "why aren't those people here?" Why do you think most people tend to group together with like-minded and similar people to the exclusion of others?
8. Is Jesus' message different from the ideas of diversity and equality put forward in American culture? In what ways is it similar or different?
9. How does building relationships first help us overcome our differences?
10. Read John 13:35. With this in mind, what is the purpose of the church?
11. Where do you feel you might be falling short in fulfilling this great purpose of the church?
12. What do you feel is most challenging to you when it comes to this message? Why?