

Savoring the Word for Sunday, March 5, 2017

Luke 10:25-42 – The Parable of the Good Samaritan and the Visit with Mary & Martha

Memory Verse – Luke 7:37b -

Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

Reflection Questions

1. What is the relationship for you between action and reflection?
2. Are you one who reflects more than you do act or vice versa?
3. Do you feel Jesus calls us to one of those more than the other?
4. Reflect back on experiences when you were each of these people in the stories.

Prayer

Lord, help me to be a person of action. Help me to be a person of reflection. Help me to balance the times when I feel I need to *do something* and the times when you call me to *stop and reflect*. Show me the times when each is necessary and help me to go and do likewise.
Amen

How to read it this week

- Each day this week as you read the story, think of yourself as one of the different characters in the stories and see how it impacts how you hear the story
- Monday – Read the stories thinking of yourself as the man who was beaten and wounded.
- Tuesday – Read the stories thinking of yourself as the priest (the first one who came by the wounded man)
- Wednesday - Read the stories thinking of yourself as the Levite (the 2nd one who passed by)
- Thursday - Read the stories thinking of yourself as the Samaritan who stopped to help
- Friday - Read the stories thinking of yourself as Martha
- Saturday - Read the stories thinking of yourself as Mary