

SERMON NOTES
"Four Portraits of Jesus: Luke"

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Luke, an educated physician, is writing to the _____, or the "non-religious" people.

Luke 1:1-4

Jesus reaches out to the _____ and those _____.

- Lepers
- Gentiles
- Tax collectors & other disreputable people
- Women

Jesus valued women – both as _____ and _____ in His ministry.

Luke 8: 1-3

Jesus' teachings shocked the _____.

Luke 18:9-14

TAKE-HOME THOUGHTS

1. Who are the "lepers" or outcasts in my life?
2. What am I doing to reach out to them?
3. What am I doing to figure out how to show them I care?
4. What can I and our church do to be more approachable?