# Three Elevated Excuses for Inviting

Lord, I don't ask you for much today, I just ask that you give me your heart for lost people.

#### A. What We've Discovered:

- 1. LOST PEOPLE MATTER
- 2. SUNDAYS ARE STRATEGIC
- 3. PEOPLE WANT TO INVITE OTHERS
- 4. SOME SUNDAYS ARE BETTER THAN OTHERS
- 5. SOME <u>SEASONS</u> ARE BETTER THAN OTHERS

#### **B.** Three Types of Elevated Excuses:

### 1. Attractional Campaigns

2005 – 40 Days of Purpose

2006 - The God Questions

2008 - Future History (Daniel)

2009 - Jonah

2010 – To Save a Family

2012 - The Bible Questions

2015 – I Love Sundays

If you call the Sabbath a delight and the Lord's holy day honorable, and if you honor it by not going your own way and not doing as you please... then I will cause you to ride on the heights of the land and to feast on the inheritance of Jacob – Psalm 58:13

## **B.** Three Types of Elevated Excuses:

#### 2. Wow Weekends

2010 – Michael Franzese

2011 – Scott Rigsby

2012 – Tass Saada

2013 - Bethany Hamilton



#### 3. Comeback Events





- C. Why Elevated Excuses Work:
- 1. These events are appealing.
- 2. These events are moments-in-time.
- 3. Everyone gets involved

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