

**Summary:** 1. Jesus says not to take the best spot or you might be asked to move. 2. People make excuses not to come to the wedding – others are invited.

**Read Before:** Luke 14:1-24; Christ's Object Lessons 219-237 Bible Story Vol8 p125-127

**Aim:** 1. Don't be a "me first." 2. Jesus will look everywhere to find people to come to heaven. 3. Are you going to let something small/unimportant keep you from going to heaven?

1. What do I already know? ☒ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

**Quiz:** Stand up or sit down to show answer.

1. Would you rather go to a party or do some work?
2. Would you rather go to a party with all your friends or stay with people who are mean?
3. Would you rather have lots of great food, or food that tastes good but makes you sick?

**Give:** Children a piece of A5 paper and tell them to draw a plate with some food.  
OR Get them to colour in the Party in Heaven food.

2. Tell story / give facts. ☐ Listen / Talk ☒ See ☒ Do

**Act out the two stories:** 1. Have children sit with their "food" in front. You sit in the best spot and demonstrate someone asking you to move to a worse spot.  
2. Servant brings word part is ready and people make excuses.

3. Review / how does it apply today? ☒ Listen / Talk ☒ See ☐ Do

**Ask:** What are some times people push to be first but should let others go first?  
**Ask:** What are some excuses people give for not praying or coming to church?

4. What can this become / what can we do? ☐ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

**Craft:** Jesus and Me book.

Use a digital camera and printer to print a photo of each child letting another child go first.

If having a church lunch arrange for children to serve adults



## To Do List

### Print:

- ☐ A MV colouring page for each child
- ☐ A program list for each teacher
- ☐ Craft.pdf onto card and cut out.
- ☐ Party in Heaven.pdf or blank A5 paper

### Have:

- ☐ A sample page done up to show
- ☐ A digital camera, printer and photo paper or card available
- ☐ Scrapbook tape (optional) and / or paper glue
- ☐ Black A4 card
- ☐ Red textas