Covered In Dust-Head: New In Christ

Text: Luke 5:36-38

Purpose: To believe in the truth that Jesus came to make us new and to continue to grow and change even though we still live with our old self.

Opening Question: What's one New Year's resolution/changes you made for this new year?

Read and Discuss: Luke 5:36-38

- 1. How do old habits, old hurts or negative thought patterns hinder your? What effect do they have on your life?
- 2. What are some of your negative patterns, hurts or unhelpful ways of thinking that you would like to see changed this year?
- 3. What makes change difficult for us? Why are the old ways or old patterns more comfortable or easier to stay in?
- 4. Even though Jesus has made us new, we still wrestle with our old self. How do you stay engaged and continue to grow while still living with your old self?
- 5. Are you a person that changes unhealthy thoughts/behaviors quickly or does it take time?
- 6. What role does the Holy Spirit have in helping us to change? How has the Holy Spirit helped you change in the past?
- 7. How does the bible give you fresh perspective about your life? How does bible give you hope for the future?