







THE STORY OF GOD'S SECOND CHANCES



### CHRISTIMAS SEASON

- Man's depravity Sin in us
- God's generosity God with us (Emmanuel)





# IMAINS DEPRAMITY

- Globally
- Regionally
- Nationally
- Family
- Personally





### GODS GENEROSITY

His second chances





## GOD'S SECOND CHANCES

- The purpose of the Cross
- The encounter
  - David
  - Peter
  - Zacchaeus
  - Woman caught in adultery
  - Matthew
  - Samaritan woman
  - And many more...





And the Lord said to me, "Go **again**, love a woman who is loved by another man and is an adulteress, even **as the Lord loves the children of Israel**, though they turn to other gods and love cakes of raisins."

Hosea 3:1-3





### STORY OF HOSEX

- Last prophet to the Northern Kingdom (760 BC 720 BC)
- Hosea and Gomer
- To speak about the unfaithfulness of God's people and the faithfulness of God
- Gave a prophetic picture of Jesus Christ redeeming us











### GOD GAVE HIS ALL OF US TO BE WITH US



<sup>4</sup> "I will **heal** their waywardness and **love** them freely, for my anger has **turned away** from them. <sup>5</sup> I will be like **the dew** to Israel; he will **blossom** like a lily. Like a cedar of Lebanon he will send down his roots; <sup>6</sup> his young shoots will **grow**. His **splendor** will be like an olive tree, his **fragrance** like a cedar of Lebanon. <sup>7</sup> People will **dwell again** in his shade; they will **flourish** like the grain, they will **blossom** like the vine— Israel's **fame** will be like the wine of Lebanon.

Hosea 14:4-7





#### OUR RESPONSE

Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

**Psalm 51:10** 

