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Invited

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MASSACHUSETTS

ii. You are the hosts

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John 1:9

The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world.



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WINTER ON THE LAKE

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JESUS

The WAY to live

John 14:6

Jesus answered, 'I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.'



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WINTER ON THE ROCKS

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JESUS

The Host

Luke 2:15

When the angels had left them and gone into heaven, the shepherds said to one another, 'Let's go to Bethlehem and see this thing that has happened, which the Lord has told us about.'

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UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

JESUS

The Host

Romans 12:13

Practise hospitality.



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WINDY COAST

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We are hosts

i. with just a stable

Luke 2:16

**So they hurried off and found
Mary and Joseph, and the
baby, who was lying in the
manger**



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**So Jesus pops up
in a stable and
starts inviting
people in. What
strikes you about
that?**

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ii. with just ourselves

Matthew 8:20

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iii. outside our circle too

Matthew 11:19

The Son of Man came eating and drinking, and they say, “Here is a glutton and a drunkard, a friend of tax collectors and sinners.” But wisdom is proved right by her deeds.’

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UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

**Father, who should I
be invitational with
this Christmas that I
would easily over
look because they
are not in my circle?**

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WINTER ON THE ROCKS

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iv. outside our plans

Matthew 2:11

On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshipped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts ...

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**When was the last
time you sent out an
invitation ?**

**What would it mean for
you to be a host to
someone this Christmas?**

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