Series: Rooted: A Lifestyle of Radical Dependence Sermon: Rooted in Forgiveness and Generosity Scripture: Gen 45:10-11, 21-23; Luke 19:1-10 (ESV) Teacher: Jeff Norris Dates: November 2/3, 2019

Forgiveness and Generosity as seen in the lives of:

Zacchaeus ...

Luke 19:1-10

¹ He entered Jericho and was passing through.

² And behold, there was a man named Zacchaeus. He was a chief tax collector and was rich.

³ And he was seeking to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was small in stature.

⁴So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him, for he was about to pass that way.

⁵ And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today."

⁶So he hurried and came down and received him joyfully.

⁷ And when they saw it, they all grumbled, "He has gone in to be the guest of a man who is a sinner."

⁸ And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, "Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor. And if I have defrauded anyone of anything, I restore it fourfold."

⁹ And Jesus said to him, "Today salvation has come to this house, since he also is a son of Abraham.

¹⁰ For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost."

Joseph ...

Genesis 45:10-11, 21-23

¹⁰ You shall dwell in the land of Goshen, and you shall be near me, you and your children and your children's children, and your flocks, your herds, and all that you have.

¹¹ There I will provide for you, for there are yet five years of famine to come, so that you and your household, and all that you have, do not come to poverty.

²¹ The sons of Israel did so: and Joseph gave them wagons, according to the command of Pharaoh, and gave them provisions for the journey.

²² To each and all of them he gave a change of clothes, but to Benjamin he gave three hundred shekels^[a] of silver and five changes of clothes.

²³ To his father he sent as follows: ten donkeys loaded with the good things of Egypt, and ten female donkeys loaded with grain, bread, and provision for his father on the journey.

Jesus ...