



Sermon Discussion Guide

Week 4 – March 11, 2024

Sermon: March 11: Authenticity vs. Appearances

DISCUSSION GUIDE: Authenticity vs. Appearances

SHARING: How have you experienced God this week?

READ SCRIPTURE ALOUD: Matthew 23:25-28

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. What stood out to you from the message or from these passages?
2. How has the world encouraged you to keep up appearances?
3. How has the church encouraged you to keep up appearances?
4. What tensions do you feel between how others see you and how you see yourself? What's the result of those tensions?
5. Where and in what ways might God be calling you to be honest about where you're really at?

RESPONSE:

1. How can you cooperate with what God is doing in your life?
2. What steps will you take? Who could help you?
3. How will you share what you're learning with others?

PRAYER:

1. How can we encourage and pray for you?
2. How can we pray for friends, neighbors, and the world around us?

