

SERMON NOTES

HONEST AND HUMBLE LIVING
2 CORINTHIANS 11:12-21 | FEBRUARY 18, 2018
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Intro:

1. _____ with full transparency and honesty, not in disguise. (12-15)

2. Seek _____ to make a point through sarcasm sparingly, and reluctantly. (16-21)

Conclusion:

WEEKLY READING PLAN:

Monday, February 19 // Jeremiah 23:9-22
Stand on truth

Tuesday, February 20 // 2 Timothy 3:1-17
Continue in what you've learned

Wednesday, February 21 // Psalm 25:1-22
Lift your soul to Him

Thursday, February 22 // 2 Timothy 4:1-18
The Lord delivers

Friday, February 23 // 2 Corinthians 11:21-32
Cautious Confrontation

WEEKLY EVENTS:

**A full schedule is available on the final page of this bulletin.*

AWANA (Pre-K - 4th)

- This week is Snack-Pack Night!

FUSE (5th-6th) / FUEL (7th-8th)

- Next meeting is February 21

- FUEL Revive is February 23-25

IGNITE (9th-12th)

- Next meeting is February 18

RESONATE (18-22)

- Next meeting is March 1

AMPLIFY (23-30+)

- Next meeting is February 22

IMPACT GROUP QUESTIONS

KEY PASSAGE: 2 CORINTHIANS 11:12-21A

Opening: What truths impacted you most from the sermon/scripture?

1. Have you experienced someone being deceptive, and “disguising himself or herself as a servant of righteousness”? What was the situation?

2. From the passages below, list some of the cautions you see regarding hypocrisy.

a. Matthew 6:1-7

b. Matthew 7:1-5

c. Matthew 23:1-36

d. Galatians 6:3

e. Titus 1:16

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3. In what areas of life do you see yourself, or other believers, struggling with hypocrisy? How can you battle against being hypocritical?

4. What do the following verses tell us about our speech?

a. Proverbs 10:19

b. Ephesians 4:29

c. James 3:1-5

5. How is Paul being sarcastic in verses 16-21? What is the challenge for us in how we choose our words to make a point?

LIFE APPLICATION

We can be tempted to disguise what is really going on in our hearts. What are you “disguising” from God and others? How can you, with the help of the Holy Spirit, move toward a place of honesty in this area?