



# Sermon Questions

September 22, 2024 | Scripture: 1 Thessalonians 2:1-16 (Integrity)

Pre-study: 3 things from the sermon. *Note down 3 ideas, illustrations, quotes, or points that made an impression in the sermon.*

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- 2.
- 3.

1. How does the world around us encourage us to live for ourselves or other people before God? What areas are you tempted to do so?
2. Pastor Joe, following an NYC pastor named John Starke, suggested that we live in an age of performative individualism. How do you see that (or not)?
3. In this passage, Paul reminds us that God is a God who sees and a God who saves. How does knowing that God sees your life both challenge and encourage you?
4. Integrity is our gospel-shaped consistency in motives, words, and life. Anchor that idea to specific places in the text and then share how that challenges you.
5. Read verse 8 aloud. Take time to reflect as a CG whether or not this verse could be written about you. What are you doing well? What needs to change?

**WORSHIP THROUGHOUT THE WEEK**

Reflect on these Scriptures:

- Proverbs 10:9
- Psalm 25:21
- Proverbs 11:3
- Titus 2:7-8
- 2 Corinthians 8:21
- Philippians 4:8

Serve: Convince another member of your group to come with you to [Equipping for Evangelism](#) on October 5.

Pray: [Join the Mid-Week Prayer Meeting on Wednesday in person at MPC or remotely](#)

