

Sermon Application Sheet

June 24, 2018

Sermon Outline

- I. **Hypocrisy of Mind**
 - A. Resting in Advantages
 - B. Resting in Privileges
- II. **Hypocrisy of Life**
 - A. Relating to Fellow People
 - B. Relating to God
- III. **Before a Watching World**
 - A. Barriers to the Gospel
 - B. How to Tear Down Barriers

Application Questions

1. What is it about your theology that you tend to think makes you superior to others? Why is that dangerous?

2. It has been said "your life is the only Bible many people will read." In what specific ways does that affect how you live?

3. Why do you think the Lord makes it central to the gospel that believers have to show their weakness?

Romans 2:17–24 (ESV)

¹⁷ But if you call yourself a Jew and rely on the law and boast in God ¹⁸ and know his will and approve what is excellent, because you are instructed from the law; ¹⁹ and if you are sure that you yourself are a guide to the blind, a light to those who are in darkness, ²⁰ an instructor of the foolish, a teacher of children, having in the law the embodiment of knowledge and truth— ²¹ you then who teach others, do you not teach yourself? While you preach against stealing, do you steal? ²² You who say that one must not commit adultery, do you commit adultery? You who abhor idols, do you rob temples? ²³ You who boast in the law dishonor God by breaking the law. ²⁴ For, as it is written, "The name of God is blasphemed among the Gentiles because of you."