

SHARE Group Discussion Guide

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Introduction:

- As we begin anew with our SHARE Groups what are you looking forward to the most? What was a good experience you had last year?
- As we think about the sermon this morning, how would you define worship?

Getting Into the Text:

- What favorite song styles exist within your group?
- What does Jesus have to say about preference (or tradition)? What is the difference? Is there one?

Read Matthew 15:8-9

- What are ways that we tend to honor God with our lips while our hearts remain distant?
- How did Isaiah’s words speak to the Pharisees? How do they teach us today?

Read Matthew 12:34-35

- What does it mean to cultivate our heart? For worship? For work? For relationships?
- How have you seen the above scripture prove true in your life?

Taking it Home:

- As we begin a new year of SHARE Groups, who are some people that we can invite to be a part of our group?
- Spend some time in prayer about the upcoming year.

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