

## **Talk it Over: Spring Cleaning, April 22 & 23**

### **Key Scriptures**

*Judges 6:11-16*

*Ephesians 2:10*

*2 Peter 1:3*

*Philippians 4:13*

### **Key Thoughts**

*The Lord is with you, and you are His masterpiece!*

### **Start Thinking**

*Do you believe that the Lord sees things in you that you don't see?*

### **Start Talking**

*How do you feel about spring cleaning?  
How about spring cleaning of your heart?*

### **Start Sharing**

- 1. What stood out to you from this message?*
- 2. Pastor Troy suggested three reasons why we feel inadequate. Do any of these resonate with you? Explain.*
  - Unfair Criticism*
  - Unrealistic Compliments*
  - Unwise Comparisons*
- 3. God's view of you is different than you think. Do you believe that you are a mighty warrior and his masterpiece? If you did, how would that change your life?*
- 4. God has given you more than you think. Share a time when you've recognized that God equipped you in some way that surprised you.*

*5. It's less about you than you think. How would believing this truth and keeping it at the forefront of your mind give you courage to step out of your comfort zone?*

*6. God wants what you have. What do you have right now? What is God calling you do with what you have? What excuses are you using to prevent you from taking this step? What is that connected to?*

*7. How would seeing others as God sees them help you love more fully? Who in your life do you need to start looking at as God's masterpiece?*

### **Start Praying**

*Lord, thank you for creating us as your masterpieces. You call us mighty warriors and your children. You see things in us that we don't see. Thank you for the things you've given us! Forgive us when we focus on what we don't have. Help us today to have your heavenly perspective of ourselves and others. Allows us to believe that we are who you created us to be, your masterpieces. Give us eyes to see all the things you've given us and courage to step into your power to do what you are calling us to do. It's less about us and more about you Lord! We can do all things in You, and we want to live that out. Jesus' name, Amen.*

### **Start Doing**

*What is one heavenly truth from this message that you need to keep top of mind this week because it will change your life? What strategy will you use to do that?*