WBS Lecture Notes **October 28, 2026**
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Main point: Jesus wants us to move from just _____ in Him to _____ like Him.

Point #1: Your _____ will determine who your audience is.

A common theme:

_____ (When you . . .)

_____ (don't make it obvious . . .)

_____ (for they try to look miserable)

_____ (truly I tell you they have received their reward)

_____ (But when you fast . . .)

_____ (and your Father . . .)

"Grace is not opposed to effort; it is opposed to earning"
- Dallas Willard (The Great Omission)

John 12:43 - *For they loved human praise more than the praise of God.*

Question: Who am I really performing for? _____

Point #2: Your _____ will determine your _____.

1 Timothy 6:17-19 - *Teach those who are rich in this world not to be proud and not to trust in their money, which is so unreliable. Their trust should be in God, who richly gives us all we need for our enjoyment. [18] Tell them to use their money to do good. They should be rich in good works and generous to those in need, always being ready to share with others. [19] By doing this they will be storing up their treasure as a good foundation for the future so that they may experience true life.*

Proverbs 22:9 - *Blessed are those who are generous, because they feed the poor.*

Question: What is quietly competing for my loyalty? _____

Point #3: Your motives will determine your _____ _____.

A Common Pattern:

_____ (don't worry . . .)

_____ (look at the . . .)

_____ (your heavenly Father . . .)

_____ (aren't you far more valuable?)

_____ (seek the Kingdom of God above all else).

1 Peter 5:7 - *Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about you.*

Question: Where are my eyes fixed right now? _____

"'Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
10 your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
11 Give us today our daily bread.
12 And forgive us our debts,
as we also have forgiven our debtors.
13 And lead us not into temptation.
but deliver us from the evil one.'

- Matthew 6:9-13