



Sermon Title: Stories of the Kingdom: The Ten Bridesmaids

Scripture Reference: Matthew 25:1-13

Connection:

- What do you remember most from last week's sermon?
- How did you hear God's voice or sense His presence this past week?
- What is most exciting coming up this springtime?

Reflection:

- Summarize this week's sermon in one to three sentences. What was the main point of the message?
- What did the message say about you, God's people or the world?

Application:

1. Where in your life might you look spiritually ready on the outside, but not actually be ready on the inside?
2. Why can't spiritual readiness be borrowed from someone else? What does that say about your personal faith?
Read: Romans 14:12, Philippians 2:12-13
3. How can the delay of Jesus' return cause people to drift or lose urgency in their faith?
Read: 2 Peter 3:3-9, Matthew 24:42-44
4. What does it actually mean for Jesus to know you? How is that different from just knowing about Him?
Read: Matthew 7:21-23, John 10:14
5. If Jesus returned tonight, what would make you confident you're ready? What might give you hesitation?