

(sermon notes)

The Joy of Practiced Unity

Phil. 2:1-11

“Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brothers to dwell together in unity!” (Ps. 133:1, NASB)

We already _____ UNITY in Christ. (v. 1)

We have to _____ UNITY on a daily basis. (v. 2)

“...with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, making effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.” (Eph. 4:2-3)

“Do everything without grumbling and arguing.” (Phil. 1:14, also 4:2,3)

What does Practiced Unity look like?

- being _____ - _____ (v. 2a)
- showing _____ to _____ (v. 2b)
- being _____ in _____ (v. 2c)
- working toward the _____ (v. 2d)

The Key to Practicing Unity is _____ - _____ . (vv. 3-4)

“... [love] is not self-seeking....” (1 Cor. 13:5)

“So then, let us pursue what promotes peace and what builds up one another.” (Rom. 14:19)

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Our ultimate example:

_____ ! (vv. 5-11)

“For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve....” (Mark 10:45a)

