

Read Philippians 3:12-21

What stood out/challenged you from Justin's sermon or these verses?

We are all striving towards something. **Whether "spiritual" or not, what are the things you have been striving towards as of late?** (*examples could be: a new diet, financial goals you have, some learning subject, etc.*)

Philippians have been full of various tensions so far. **What areas of life do you find the most tension between loving Jesus and loving the world?**

Gospel striving is *from* security in Christ, not to *gain* security from Christ. **Why can this be so hard for us to believe on a daily basis?**

What areas of striving are you tempted to believe God will accept/love you more if you strive well?

Gospel striving is striving *towards* Christ. **What does striving towards Christ, opposed to things of this world, practically look like for Christians?**

Gospel striving is striving *against* distraction. **What things distract you from striving after Christ?**

Gospel striving is striving as a hope-filled exile. **How does knowing the joy and security of our eternity affect how we strive now?**

Men's/Women's Time

Have a time of sharing. (*i.e. Share highs/lows in this season, needs in your home/community, etc.*)

PRAY for one another.