Filled With Joy: "The Joy of Life in Christ"

Philippians 1:12-26 March 5, 2023

- I. Finding joy in life depends on your <u>perspective</u>
 - A. Paul's joy was not based on his <u>circumstances</u>
 - B. Paul's joy was not based on people
- II. Finding joy where God has you
 - A. Paul found joy in obedience to his calling
 - B. Paul found joy in God's promises

LET'S GO DEEPER:

- 1. How did Paul's circumstances provide new areas of ministry rather than keep him from being faithful in ministry?
- 2. How did Paul's chains encourage believers to be bold in their witness?
- 3. Why was Paul able to rejoice in the face of those preaching the gospel out of jealousy?
- 4. What does this passage teach us about the importance of intercessory prayer?
- 5. Why did Paul wrestle with continuing his earthly ministry versus his desire to be with Christ?