



THE CREED

Week 4 Discussion Questions

SERMON SUMMARY

*In this sermon, Pastor Chase walked us through Philippians 2 to illustrate the life of Christ through these five movements: **eternal majesty, perfect humility, divine tragedy, triumphant victory, and glorious sovereignty**. He invited us all to reflect intimately on our own faith journey, urging us to accept Christ's mercy, model His humility, rest in His sovereignty, and boldly proclaim His totality in our lives. As we face the storms and challenges of life, we should reflect the heart of Christ as we await His glorious return. The moment is now—let your life resonate with the symphony of grace!*

ICEBREAKER

- If you could play any instrument in an orchestra magically overnight, what would it be and why?

ETERNAL MAJESTY. READ PHILIPPIANS 2:5–6.

- What does it mean that Jesus was in the "form of God"?
- How does this shape our understanding of His eternal majesty?

PERFECT HUMILITY. READ PHILIPPIANS 2:7–8.

- What does it mean that Jesus "emptied Himself"?
- Discuss a time when you had to set aside your own privileges or rights for the sake of others. How did it feel, and what did you learn?



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DIVINE TRAGEDY. *READ PHILIPPIANS 2:8*

- Why is it important to understand the depth of Jesus' sacrifice?
- How does acknowledging our own sinfulness and need for a Savior change the way we view the cross?

TRIUMPHANT VICTORY. *READ PHILIPPIANS 2:9-11*

- What does it mean for Jesus to be exalted and given the name above every name?
- How does the resurrection of Jesus provide hope and assurance in your life?

DIVINE TRAGEDY.

- Discuss the significance of Jesus' return as described in the Nicene Creed. How does this future hope influence your present actions and decisions?
- In what ways can we proclaim Christ's sovereignty in our communities and relationships?



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DIGGING DEEPER.

- **Reflect on all the Nicene Creed's statements about Jesus.** How do these ancient affirmations help us guard against modern misunderstandings of who Jesus is?
- **Consider the implications of Jesus' dual nature as fully God and fully man.** How does this mystery enhance your worship and understanding of the gospel?
- **Identify specific areas in your life where you can model Christ's humility.** What steps can you take this week to serve others selflessly?