

# PHILIPPIANS



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## Sermon Notes

### Paul's Thanksgiving and Prayer

Philippians 1:3-4

1. Paul says to always be joyful, never stop praying, be thankful in all circumstances, can you say that is true for you?  
**1 Thessalonians 5:16-18**
2. Do you have any relationships where your heart is filled with hate? Who do you need to stop hating?  
**1 John 4:20**
3. Evaluate your thoughts...Do you have a forgiving spirit or a critical spirit? When you speak, what does it reveal about your heart? Are your thoughts towards others good? Do you keep a record of wrongs?  
**1 Corinthians 13:5, Galatians 5:22-23, Philippians 1:3, Luke 6:45**
4. Evaluate your prayer life. Are you consistent? Is there a focus on the needs of others? How thankful are you? How joyful are you?

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3 Every time I think of you, I give thanks to my God. 4 Whenever I pray, I make my requests for all of you with joy