

LIFE GROUP STUDY - WEEK 3

Read Philippians 2:1-11

Engage

1. As you think back on your week, what situations or conversations made you joyful?
2. What sorts of relationships, situations or circumstances in your own life provoke your sense of entitlement? When and how do you recognize a feeling of entitlement in your heart?

Explore

3. What steps does Paul encourage the Philippians to take to complete his joy (Philippians 2:3-4)?
4. How would you describe the mindset Paul encourages Christians to have in Philippians 2:5?
5. Philippians 2:8 speaks of how Jesus humbled himself; what are some scriptures and stories that highlight different ways Jesus was an example of humility? According to Philippians 2:9-11, what were Jesus' rewards for walking in humility all the way to the cross?

Apply

6. What does pride look like most often in your own life? What are some of the effects of pride in our lives? Since pride is almost always masquerading as self-justification, how can we open ourselves up to receiving correction and recognize the pride in our own hearts?
7. Think of a recent time you became defensive when someone disagreed with you. What may have been the underlying emotions in that moment? Do you feel insecure when others disagree with you? Do you feel like you need to hide past errors in your thinking?
8. In what ways have we missed or minimized thankfulness to God for all the blessings, opportunities and relationships in our lives? What are some practical ways we can break the sense of entitlement in our hearts?



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