



Worship Guide for May 25, 2025

Sermon Notes

Gospel Encouragement in the Real World

Philippians 1:1-2, 27

Is it easy to be a Christian in today's world? No. What does it mean to live a gospel-centered life? Paul writes to the Philippians to encourage them and help them to know how to live lives worthy of the Gospel. In his letter, Paul shares great encouragement in how to live this gospel-life to the fullest, speak the gospel without fear, and seek to advance the gospel whatever the cost. The gospel must be central to all we are and all we do.

1. Gospel Identity - Jesus at the Center

For Paul (and Timothy) - Servants of Jesus Christ

For the Philippians - Saints in Christ Jesus

2. Gospel-centered Living - "lives worthy of the Gospel of Christ"

The Gospel Demonstrated:

Inward Characteristics -

Outward Characteristics -

The Gospel Defended

Applications: _____

Sermon Reflection Guide

"Let the *Word* of Christ *dwell* in you(all) *richly*
teaching and *admonishing* one another in all *wisdom*..."

- Colossians 3:16a

Focus #1: GOD

1. What does this passage reveal about the character or nature of God?
2. What does this passage reveal about God's eternal plans and purposes?
3. What does this passage reveal about how God interacts with his creation?

Focus #2: ME

4. How does this passage reveal sin in my own mind, heart, or life?
5. In what ways does this passage help us to see how we need to be aligned with God's will?
6. What is one tangible and measurable way that the Spirit is leading me to respond to his Word?

Focus #3: OTHERS

7. What is one truth that I can share meaningfully with someone, and with whom?
8. How can I specifically encourage someone or everyone in my Life Group or church family from this passage?

Three contributions (reflections, questions, observations, etc.) I plan to include in our next Life Group discussion:

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MAY

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JUNE

1 Deacon's Meeting @ 8am

4 Life Together Ice Cream @ 6:30pm

6 Membership Class @ 6pm

6-14 Utah Mission Trip

8 Financial Peace Univ @ 3:30pm

9-11 SBC Annual Meeting, Dallas TX

14-22 Yvonne on vacation