Paul's Prayer 3



Big Idea Paul prayed for the saints of Philippian church to glorify God through a holy life out of abundant love.

Philippians 1:3-11 I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, 4 always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, ⁵ because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now. 6 And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. 7 It is right for me to feel this way about you all, because I hold you in my heart, for you are all partakers with me of grace, both in my imprisonment and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel. 8 For God is my witness, how I yearn for you all with the affection of Christ Jesus. 9 And it is my prayer that your love may abound more and more, with knowledge and all discernment, 10 so that you may approve what is excellent, and so be pure and blameless for the day of Christ, 11 filled with the fruit of righteousness that comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.



Three Key Questions

- 1. What is a key word in this passage?
- 2. What is a key verse in this passage?
- 3. What is a key tone of voice of this passage?



Text-based Questions

- What must believers do first to be the glory of God? (1:9)
- 2. How can believers develop discernment?
- How long do believers have to keep their purity?
 (1:10)



Three Christ-centered Questions

- 1. Who is Christ in this passage? (John 3:16)
- 2. Who is Christ to you?
- 3. Who are we in Christ?



Spirit-led Application