



Philippians: A Word About Love
October 8th 2023

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WELCOME

* CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: The Lord of all has brought us here today from many places.

ALL: We come expectantly to be filled with God's presence and power. LEADER: Free us, Holy One, to be united by your grace in Jesus, the Christ.

ALL: Fill us, Holy Spirit, so that your love may overflow more and more

each day as we await your coming. Amen.

PRAYER OF THE DAY

O God, you pour out your spirit of Grace and love. Deliver us from cold hearts and wandering thoughts, that with burning zeal and steady minds we may worship you in spirit and truth. Amen.

HYMN Jesu, Jesu UMH #432

THE BASKET

SCRIPTURE Philippians 1:1-11 Common English Bible

To all those in Philippi who are God's people in Christ Jesus, along with your supervisors and servants.

May the grace and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

I thank my God every time I mention you in my prayers. I'm thankful for all of you every time I pray, and it's always a prayer full of joy. I'm glad because of the way you have been my partners in the ministry of the gospel from the time you first believed it until now. I'm sure about this: the one who started a good work in you will stay with you to complete the job by the day of Christ Jesus. I have good reason to think this way about all of you because I keep you in my heart. You are all my partners in God's grace, both during my time in prison and in the defense and support of the gospel. God is my witness that I feel affection for all of you with the compassion of Christ Jesus.

This is my prayer: that your love might become even more and more rich with knowledge and all kinds of insight. I pray this so that you will be able to decide what really matters and so you will be sincere and blameless on the day of Christ. I pray that you will then be filled with the fruit of righteousness, which comes from Jesus Christ, in order to give glory and praise to God.

MESSAGE: Poured Out and Overflowing

ANTHEM Blessed Be Your Name Parish Drive

Verse 1

Blessed be Your name
In the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow
Blessed be Your name

Verse 2

Blessed be Your name
When I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness
Blessed be Your name

Pre-Chorus

Ev'ry blessing You pour out I'll
Turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in Lord
Still I will say

Chorus

Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your name Blessed be the name of the Lord Blessed be Your glorious name

Verse 3

Blessed be Your name
When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's all as it should be
Blessed be Your name

Verse 4

Blessed be Your name
On the road marked with suffering
Though there's pain in the offering
Blessed be Your name

Bridge

You give and take away You give and take away My heart will choose to say Lord blessed be Your name

PRAYER OF GOD'S PEOPLE

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WORSHIPING GOD THROUGH OUR GIVING

OFFERTORY

Give Thanks

Give Thanks with a grateful heart, Give thanks to the Holy One, Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ His Son. X2

And now let the weak say "I am strong;" let the poor say, "I am rich" Because of what the Lord has done for us. X2

Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen.

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Loving God, faithful and gracious forever, You love us more than we love ourselves. You believe in us more than we believe in ourselves. You call us to walk with Christ, and be more than we ever thought possible. Take our gifts. Receive our thanks. Accept our praise: through Jesus Christ. Amen.

Give thanks with a grateful heart. Give thanks.

* CLOSING HYMN Blessed Be the Tie that Binds UMH #557

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Better Things Parish Drive

Our Administrative Council is meeting after worship today!

Thank you for financially supporting our ministry. We offer many ways to give:

In the sanctuary or by mail.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS October 8, 2023

CALENDAR OF EVENTS October 9 – October 15 Monday October 9th

AA mtg @ 7:30pm in Fellowship Hall (Room 8)

Tuesday October 10th

Karate @ 4pm in the underground Bible Study @ 7pm in Pastor's Office

Wednesday October 11th

Bible Study @12pm in Room 8 BYO Lunch Karate @ 4pm in the underground Grace Café @6:30pm in Room 8 BYO Dinner

Thursday October 12th

Karate @ 4pm in the underground

Friday October 13th

BoyScouts in the Underground

Sunday October 15th

Worship @10am Philippians: A Word About Unity

Save the Date!

Laity Sunday is October 22nd!

See our insert for ways you can participate

Prayer and Devotion on Friday Mornings at 7am on Facebook.

Our Facebook page is: UMC.Wayne

Join Pastor Ninabeth for this 30 minute gathering. You do not have to be a Facebook user to participate.

Our Annual Church Conference will be held on Saturday October 28th at the Butler UMC

Registration 11:10 - 11:25 am Worship 11:30 - 12:00 pm Church Conference 12:05 - 12:45 pm

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October 8 – A Word About Love

October 15 – A Word About Unity

October 29 – A Word About Holiness

November 5 – A Word About Joy

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