**Morning Watch Knowing, Experiencing, and Enjoying Christ as Sept. 25-Oct. 1, 2023**

**Revealed in Philippians–Week 3**

**Being One in Soul to Enjoy Christ by Thinking the One Thing,**

**by Being One with Christ in**

**His Inward Parts,**

**and by Allowing God to Operate in Us the Willing and the Working for His Good Pleasure**

**Monday 9/25**

**Phil. 1:4-5**

**4** Always in my every petition on behalf of you all, making my petition with joy,

**5** For your fellowship unto the furtherance of the gospel from the first day until now,

**Phil. 2:17-18**

**17** But even if I am being poured out as a drink offering upon the sacrifice and service of your faith, I rejoice, and I rejoice together with you all.

**18** And in like manner you also rejoice, and you rejoice together with me.

**Phil. 3:1a**

**1a** Finally, my brothers, rejoice in the Lord.

**Phil. 4:1, 4**

**1** So then, my brothers, beloved and longed for, my joy and crown, in the same way stand firm in the Lord, beloved.

**4** Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice.

**2 Cor. 3:3**

**3** Since you are being manifested that you are a letter of Christ ministered by us, inscribed not with ink but with the Spirit of the living God; not in tablets of stone but in tablets of hearts of flesh.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Knowing, Experiencing, and Enjoying Christ...Philippians – Week 3, Day 1*

**Tuesday 9/26**

**Phil. 1:27**

**27** Only, conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, that whether coming and seeing you or being absent, I may hear of the things concerning you, that you stand firm in one spirit, with one soul striving together along with the faith of the gospel,

**Phil. 2:19-20**

**19** But I hope in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you shortly, that I also may be encouraged by knowing the things concerning you.

**20** For I have no one like-souled who will genuinely care for what concerns you;

**Rom. 12:2**

**2** And do not be fashioned according to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of the mind that you may prove what the will of God is, that which is good and well pleasing and perfect.

**John 17:21**

**21** That they all may be one; even as You, Father, are in Me and I in You, that they also may be in Us; that the world may believe that You have sent Me.

**2 Cor 3:18**

**18** But we all with unveiled face, beholding and reflecting like a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, even as from the Lord Spirit.

**Phil 1:21**

**21** For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Knowing, Experiencing, and Enjoying Christ...Philippians – Week 3, Day 2*

**Wednesday 9/27**

**Phil. 2:2, 5**

**2** Make my joy full, that you think the same thing, having the same love, joined in soul, thinking the one thing,

**5** Let this mind be in you, which was also in Christ Jesus,

**Phil. 3:8-9, 12-14**

**8** But moreover I also count all things to be loss on account of the excellency of the knowledge of Christ Jesus my Lord, on account of whom I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as refuse that I may gain Christ

**9** And be found in Him, not having my own righteousness which is out of the law, but that which is through faith in Christ, the righteousness which is out of God and based on faith,

**12** Not that I have already obtained or am already perfected, but I pursue, if even I may lay hold of that for which I also have been laid hold of by Christ Jesus.

**13** Brothers, I do not account of myself to have laid hold; but one thing I do: Forgetting the things which are behind and stretching forward to the things which are before,

**14** I pursue toward the goal for the prize to which God in Christ Jesus has called me upward.

**1 Cor 1:10**

**10** Now I beseech you, brothers, through the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that you all speak the same thing and that there be no divisions among you, but that you be attuned in the same mind and in the same opinion.

**Phil 4:13**

**13** I am able to do all things in Him who empowers me.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Knowing, Experiencing, and Enjoying Christ...Philippians – Week 3, Day 3*

**Thursday 9/28**

**Phil. 1:8**

**8** For God is my witness how I long after you all in the inward parts of Christ Jesus.

**Col. 3:12**

**12** Put on therefore, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, inward parts of compassion, kindness, lowliness, meekness, long-suffering;

**Philem. 12, 20**

**12** Him I have sent back to you-him, that is, my very heart-

**20** Yes, brother, may I have profit from you in the Lord; refresh my inward parts in Christ.

**2 Cor. 12:15**

**15** But I, I will most gladly spend and be utterly spent on behalf of your souls. If I love you more abundantly, am I loved less?

**Eph. 4:16**

**16** Out from whom all the Body, being joined together and being knit together through every joint of the rich supply and through the operation in the measure of each one part, causes the growth of the Body unto the building up of itself in love.

**1 Cor. 12:26-27**

**26** And whether one member suffers, all the members suffer with it; or one member is glorified, all the members rejoice with it.

**27** Now you are the body of Christ, and members individually.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Knowing, Experiencing, and Enjoying Christ...Philippians – Week 3, Day 4*

**Friday 9/29**

**Phil. 2:12-13**

**See Lord’s Day**

**S. S. 4:4**

**4** Your neck is like the tower of David, Built for an armory: A thousand bucklers hang on it, All the shields of the mighty men.

**Matt. 16:24-25**

**24** Then Jesus said to His disciples, If anyone wants to come after Me, let him deny himself and take up his cross and follow Me.

**25** For whoever wants to save his soul-life shall lose it; but whoever loses his soul-life for My sake shall find it.

**Eph. 6:16-18**

**16** Besides all these, having taken up the shield of faith, with which you will be able to quench all the flaming darts of the evil one.

**17** And receive the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which Spirit is the word of God,

**18** By means of all prayer and petition, praying at every time in spirit and watching unto this in all perseverance and petition concerning all the saints,

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Knowing, Experiencing, and Enjoying Christ...Philippians – Week 3, Day 5*

**Saturday 9/30**

**Gen. 6:14**

**14** Make yourself an ark of gopher wood; you shall make rooms in the ark and shall cover it within and without with pitch.

**Matt. 24:37-39**

**37** For just as the days of Noah were, so will the coming of the Son of Man be.

**38** For as they were in those days before the flood, eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day in which Noah entered into the ark,

**39** And they did not know that judgment was coming until the flood came and took all away, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be.

**1 Pet. 3:20-21**

**20** Who had formerly disobeyed when the long-suffering of God waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared; entering into which, a few, that is, eight souls, were brought safely through by water.

**21** Which water, as the antitype, also now saves you, that is, baptism, not a putting away of the filth of the flesh but the appeal of a good conscience unto God, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ,

**1 Thes. 5:3**

**3** When they say, Peace and security, then sudden destruction comes upon them, just as birth pangs to a woman with child; and they shall by no means escape.

**Luke 21:36**

**36** But be watchful at every time, beseeching that you would prevail to escape all these things which are about to happen and stand before the Son of Man.

**Rev. 3:10**

**10** Because you have kept the word of My endurance, I also will keep you out of the hour of trial, which is about to come on the whole inhabited earth, to try them who dwell on the earth.

**Further Reading:** *HWMR Knowing, Experiencing, and Enjoying Christ...Philippians – Week 3, Day 6*

**Lord’s Day 10/1**

**Phil. 2:6-13**

**6** Who, existing in the form of God, did not consider being equal with God a treasure to be grasped,

**7** But emptied Himself, taking the form of a slave, becoming in the likeness of men;

**8** And being found in fashion as a man, He humbled Himself, becoming obedient even unto death, and that the death of a cross.

**9** Therefore also God highly exalted Him and bestowed on Him the name which is above every name,

**10** That in the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of those who are in heaven and on earth and under the earth,

**11** And every tongue should openly confess that Jesus Christ is Lord to the glory of God the Father.

**12** So then, my beloved, even as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only but now much rather in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling;

**13** For it is God who operates in you both the willing and the working for His good pleasure.

**Hymns,** *#750*

**Further Reading:**

*CWWN, 1980, vol. 2, “The Secret of*

*Experiencing Christ,” ch. 9*

**Churchwide Truth Pursuit of Romans**

**Level 1—Romans Sequential Study**

**Scripture:** *7:1-25*

**Assigned Reading:** *Life-study of Romans, msgs. 44-45*

**Level 2—Romans Topical Study**

**Crucial Point:** *Grafting*

**Scripture:** *Rom. 11:16-32*

**Assigned Reading:** *Life-study of Romans,* msgs. 63-65; *The Experience of God’s Organic Salvation Equaling Reigning in Christ’s Life,* ch. 4

**Supplemental Reading:** *None*

**Hymn:** *#152*

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