



“Have This Mind in You” | 6/28/26-7/4/26

LOOK BACK: TESTIMONIES & GOALS/ACCOUNTABILITY RECAP: *As you look back over last week, what steps did you take to meet your action goals from your last meeting? Also, did you love on people by praying with someone, sharing your testimony with them, discipling them, or sharing God’s story with them?*

LOOK UP: This Sunday we looked at Paul’s vision of discipleship in Philippians 1–3. Paul reminds us that Jesus is bringing the good work He began in us to completion at the day of Christ. That means we are not simply living for this age, but preparing now for the day when Jesus returns. In Philippians 1, Paul prays that our love would abound with knowledge and discernment, so that we would approve what is excellent and be pure and blameless for that day. In Philippians 2, he shows us the way of Jesus: humility, obedience, and suffering now, leading to glory when every knee bows and every tongue confesses that Jesus Christ is Lord. In Philippians 3, Paul calls us to press on, forgetting what lies behind and straining forward toward the goal of resurrection life in the age to come. Today in our groups we will talk about what it looks like to follow Jesus on the road of humility, endurance, and hope as we prepare for the day of Christ.

GROUP PRAYER POINTS:

1. ***Read Philippians 1:9–10. Paul prays that our love would grow with knowledge and discernment, so that we would “approve what is excellent.” What are some things in this age that compete for your love, attention, or approval? How can we grow in approving what will matter on the day of Christ?***
2. ***Read Philippians 2:5–11. Jesus chose the road of humility, obedience, and suffering before being highly exalted by the Father. Where is the Lord currently inviting you to follow Jesus in humility or obedience, even if it feels costly?***
3. ***Read Philippians 3:7-14. Paul’s goal was resurrection life in the age to come, and that hope shaped how he lived in this age. What would look different in your daily life if the resurrection and the day of Christ became more central to how you made decisions?***

LOOK FORWARD: SET GOALS & ACCOUNTABILITY: *Spend time together in prayer.*

(1) Where is the Holy Spirit calling you to grow or obey this week? Write down one specific step and be ready to share next week.

(2) Who can you encourage, pray for, serve, or share Jesus with this week?

(3) Who could you begin discipling or inviting into an FDG, and what obstacle do you need prayer for?

PURPOSE OF FDG’s:

To raise up disciple-making believers who follow Jesus by experientially teaching others to walk in His ways.