

Unchained: Thanksgiving & Prayer

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A Week in Review

As servants of Christ we are all called, like Paul, to advance the gospel and build up the church.

Group Opener

What is your favorite holiday and why?

Study Questions

Read Philippians 1:3-11. What stood out to you from this passage (or the weekend message) and why?

How would you describe the levels of thankfulness and prayer in your life? Explain.

Who and what was Paul thankful for? Who and what are you grateful for?

Who are your partners in being and making disciples that proclaim the gospel with their lives and lips?

Do you believe God began a good work in you and will see it through to its completion? Explain.

What "good work" do you see the Lord doing in you? What "good work" do you see Him doing in others?

Paul had a longing to be with his Philippian brothers and sisters. In what ways do you resonate with him?

Prayer was a key component of the apostle Paul's life. How would you describe prayer and what your prayer life is like?

What strikes you about Paul's prayer for his fellow believers in Philippi? (Vv. 9-11)

Who or what do you pray for regularly?

Take a moment and pray Paul's prayer for the Philippians over someone else in your life or group.

In what ways might you grow in love, discernment, purity, blamelessness, and the fruit of righteousness?

Who will you give thanks and pray for this week as a fellow partner in the advancement of the gospel?