

Pastor Paul Dawson • July 22-23, 2023 • [Fill-In Online Bulletin](#)
[Philippians 2:1-4](#) (ESV)

So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, 2complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. 3Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. 4Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Philippians 2:1-4

True unity is based on humility and the work of Christ in and through us.

• **What the Gospel calls us to**

Do nothing out of selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility consider others as more important than yourselves. Everyone should look not to his own interests, but rather to the interests of others. Philippians 2:3-4 (Christian Standard Bible - CSB)

I am not praying for the world but for those you have given me, because they are yours... Holy Father, protect them by your name that you have given me, so that they may be one as we are one...I pray not only for these, but also for those who believe in me through their word. May they all be one, as you, Father, are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us, so that the world may believe you sent me. I have given them the glory you have given me, so that they may be one as we are one. I am in them and you are in me, so that they may be made completely one, that the world may know you have sent me and have loved them as you have loved me. John 17:9, 11b, 20-23 (CSB)

• **How we can live this humble unity**

Make my joy complete by thinking the same way, having the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose. Philippians 2:2 (CSB)

Our purpose is to make Him known, to guide others into life with Him, to live out and proclaim in word and action the Good News of the Gospel wherever we are!

• **Why any of this is possible**

If, then, there is any encouragement in Christ, if any consolation of love, if any fellowship with the Spirit, if any affection and mercy... Philippians 2:1 (CSB)

Questions to consider and talk about:

1. How has your life in Christ encouraged you this week?
2. What comfort has the love of God and of others given you?
3. When have you most felt the Holy Spirit's presence this week?
4. Are you regularly sharing affection and sympathy with others?
5. How will Paul's call to humble unity change the way you live in the weeks to come?

See page 2 for bulletin announcements.

What's happening with the Lighthouse family...

Because relationship with one another is at the core of being a disciple of Christ, we invite you to find community and experience spiritual transformation through LCC's groups, classes, events, and service opportunities.

Men's Breakfast: For all men. Come enjoy a tasty breakfast while connecting with one another. 8:00am on Saturday, July 29. No registration required.

Parents, please note: From August 6 through September 3, Sunday classes for kiddos 5 years and up (downstairs rooms) will be open for the 9:00am service ONLY (no 11:00am classes). Kids are always welcome to attend worship services with their parents. The parent room (third floor) and the conference room (off of the main building foyer) will be open and equipped with live video feed of worship services. Nursery rooms will remain open as usual for little ones 0-4 years (upstairs rooms). Regular Sunday morning classes at both 9am and 11am for all kids 0-12 years will resume on Sunday, September 10.

eNews: Sign up for LCC's weekly eNews. Get special announcements and messages from our pastors and Leadership Team, updates and emergency notices, and a first look at upcoming groups, classes, and events. Visit www.lighthousehome.org/enews to sign up.

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