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Sermon-Based Discussion

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Bible Passages

Ephesians 4:1-6

Unity in the Body of Christ

11 therefore, a prisoner for the Lord, urge you to walk in a manner worthy of the calling to which you have been called, 2with all humility and gentleness, with patience, bearing with one another in love, 3eager to maintain the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace. 4There is one body and one Spirit—just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call— 5one Lord, one faith, one baptism, 6one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

Philippians 2:8

8And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

Matthew 5:3-10

- ³"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.
- 4"Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.
- ⁵"Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.
- ⁶ "Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.
- 7"Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.
- **8**"Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.
- **9**"Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons^a of God.
- **10** "Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Group Discussion & Life Challenge

Use these notes as discussion prompts for your group, or in your personal time with God.

Connect:

Get to know each other. Connect, warm up to each other, fellowship.

Care:

Carry each other's burdens. Share life's challenges and practice Soul Care. Pray together.

Challenge:

Dive into God's Word. Use these discussion questions. Learn from each other's insight.

1) Share an experience from the past week that was awkward.

2) What do you think about when you hear the word WORTHY?

3) How do we examine our walk and if it is worthy, without getting into legalism or religious activity?

4) Describe a time in your life when you felt like you were very clear on your mission and your walk was strong? Maybe someone in the group could share a time when it was weak?

5) What will look different this week in your time with the Lord if you are walking worthy of the calling?

Clarify:

Does anyone need clarity on something? Are there any big God questions you are wrestling with?

Celebrate:

Celebrate life's successes and God's provision. Worship God's presence. Time to brag about God.

KEY TAKEAWAYS