

Message Notes

MAY 19, 2019

9:30 & 11:00am



In his book on Philippians, BOUND FOR JOY, Pastor Stuart Briscoe titled this paragraph: "I'm so happy here in prison." The entire letter to the believers in Philippi radiates with joy. Paul's attitude was not determined by circumstances but rather by his focus on Jesus and the people who shared his desire to live to the glory and praise of God.

As Paul thinks about his friends, he:

1. Gives thanks for them
2. Prays for them
3. Affirms their faith
4. Loves them
5. Misses them

6. Encourages them to grow in their faith and effort for Jesus:
 - a. In knowledge
 - b. In discernment
 - c. In purity
 - d. In fruit bearing
 - e. In Worship

WHEN THIS IS OUR FOCUS, IT IS DIFFICULT, PERHAPS IMPOSSIBLE, TO DO LIFE WITHOUT A SENSE OF

JOY

NEXT SUNDAY

May 26, 2019
9:30 &
11:00 A.M.

"LIFE WITH CHRIST DOES NOT JUST
HAPPEN — IT IS PLANNED"
Philippians 1:12-19

Spanish interpretation available at 11:00am service