



MESSAGE NOTES

Becoming One with God's Family

Part 2

Church Family

Philippians 2:3-5

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“Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, 4 not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.5 In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus:”

1. Shared Purpose of Honoring God

Remember that we all are working together to bring honor to God. This helps remind us that each one has something to contribute.

2. Selflessness Over Selfishness — Humility

Philippians 2:3 “Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves,”

Paul reminds us about the mindset of Jesus' leadership, which is servant leadership.

3. Looking Out for Each Other

Philippians 2:4 not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.

Our motives should be other-centered. When seeking leaders, look for people who serve, individuals who are givers rather than takers.

Conclusion:

It's crucial to understand that the church is not a building but a community of people. These people are in relationships with one another, sharing the common goal of bringing honor to our Heavenly Father. Our Heavenly Father desires for us to love and serve one another with the same love He continually pours out upon us.