

Sunday, 01-08-2023

Proclaiming Christ
Bible Background: Philippians 1:12-30
Printed Text: Philippians 1:15-26 KJV/NLT
Devotional Reading: Psalm 119:169-176

Aim for Change:

1. **COMPREHEND** Paul's message of joy in the proclamation of the Gospel of Jesus Christ
 2. **REFLECT** on the variety of motives for proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ
 3. **FASHION** a personal proclamation of the Gospel
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Devotional Reading:

- **Monday – Praising God in Word and Life – Psalm 119:169-176; Hebrews 4:14-16; James 1:2-8; 2 Peter 1:4-8**
 - (vv. 169-170) – What do you ask God when you cry out? Are your wants aligned by His word?
 - (vv. 171-172) – Have you made a promise to God you haven't kept?
 - (vv. 173-175) – Whose help, guidance, and direction do you follow in times of difficulty?
 - (v. 176) – Are you so idle you've forgotten about your salvation?
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Focal Verses:

- **Sunday – Proclaiming Christ in Every Way – Philippians 1:15-26**
 - (vv. 15-18) – **A New Effort – Romans 4:8-12; 2 Corinthians 11:12-15**
 - How do you proclaim the Gospel of Christ to others?
 - Do you proclaim the Gospel out of genuine love for Christ or ulterior motives?
 - Do you rejoice when the Gospel is proclaimed even when you're not doing it?
 - (vv. 19-26) – **A Certain Victory – Acts 4:8-12; Romans 10:8-10; Galatians 4:3-7**
 - How confident/dependent are you in Christ to work out your struggles?
 - Are you honoring Christ with your attitude, actions, and behavior or is your life reflective of the world?
 - Do you find purpose in living for Christ, or do you feel it's expected?
 - How convicted are you in Christ? Are you certain of your salvation?

Note – *Bold/Italicized*** scripture(s) are additional scriptural reference(s) that may be read during class**

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