Live Humble Lives // Philippians 2:1-4Pastor Matthew St. John // February 26, 2017

Discussion Questions

- 1. Tell about a time when someone else made you feel honored, esteemed and significant. How did you respond internally? What did this do for your soul?
- 2. Brainstorm and rehearse all the blessings of encouragement, comfort, participation, affection and sympathy (Philippians 2:1) that come through your relationship with Christ.
- 3. Read 1 Peter 5:1–7. What do you think it means that "God opposes the proud?" Why do you think Peter includes the encouragement to "cast all your anxieties" on God in the context of humility?
- 4. Why do you think Paul doubles up on the exhortation related to the mind ("same mind" and "one mind") in vs. 2?
- 5. As one practical expression of this passage, plan a "Philippians 2:4 Dinner." As you eat together, pay attention to the needs of the people around you.
- 6. Pray through Philippians 2:3–4, asking God to work these attributes in one another's lives.

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