

SHOULDER TO SHOULDER FOR THE GOSPEL

LIVING OUT YOUR SALVATION

PHILIPPIANS 2:12-13

Ben Blakey - Compass Bible Church - October 15 and 16, 2022

1. Live		Philippians 2:12–13 (ESV)
	(v. 12a)	12 Therefore, my beloved, as you have always obeyed, so now, not only as in my presence but much more in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling, 13 for it is God who works in you, both to will and to work for his good pleasure.
2. Live		
	(v. 12b)	
3. Live		
	(v. 13)	

APPLICATION QUESTIONS

- 1. **Read Philippians 2:9-11**. How would you like to see the reality that Jesus Christ is Lord and highly exalted reflected in your life most this week?
- 2. **Read Ephesians 4:17-24**. Why should we think of our "work" in sanctification not as a burden but as something good & positive? Why should "working out our salvation" be a joy?
- 3. Think through the tools (Word, prayer, and suffering) that were mentioned in the sermon. How have you seen God use these tools to help you "work out your salvation"? In what ways would you like to grow more effective in learning from these things?
- 4. **Read James 4:6-8**. As you think through areas of needed growth in your life, how will those situations require you to submit or yield your desires and impulses to His will? Why is God's will better than yours in those areas?
- 5. **Read Philippians 2:13**. How does it encourage you to know that God is working in you and that His purposes are good? Find at least one other verse that emphasizes these same themes and meditate on it when you are discouraged this week.

RECOMMENDED RESOURCES

Here are some books which may help you dig deeper into what we studied today.

While Pastor Ben cannot endorse everything about each book/author, he does think
these books are worth considering and reading.

MacArthur, John. The Gospel According to Jesus. Zondervan, 2008.

Piper, John. Future Grace. Multnomah. 2012. Wiersbe, Warren. Be Joyful. David C Cook, 2008.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray that our church would live out our salvation. Pray that we would view sanctification as the wonderful thing that it is.

Pray that we would be encouraged that God is working in us.

Pray for our final women's event in the "Spot the Lie" series.

Pray that God will provide a long-term home for CBCTV through the Taking Ground project.

REVIVAL FROM THE BIBLE READING		
Date	Old Testament	New Testament
10/17	Isaiah 57-60	1 Timothy 1
10/18	Isaiah 61-66	1 Timothy 2
10/19	2 Kings 20-21	1 Timothy 3
10/20	2 Chronicles 32-33	1 Timothy 4
10/21	Nahum 1-3	1 Timothy 5
10/22	2 Kings 22-23	1 Timothy 6