

CONNECTION GROUP HOMEWORK

April 19, 2020

Philippians 1:1-11

GETTING STARTED:

1. If you had your choice of where to “self-quarantine”, where would it be and why?

THE MESSAGE:

2. Reread Philippians 1:1-11. How did Andrew explain the titles Paul gives to himself and Timothy (servants) and the title he gives to the believers at Philippi (saints)? Why are both of these titles significant?

3. Why did Paul have such a deep affection for the church at Philippi?

4. What two things specifically does Paul pray for the Philippian church in verses 9-11?

5. *Why* does Paul pray for that? Is that prayer still relevant to the church today?

6. What insight, principle or observation from this weekend’s message did you find to be most helpful, eye-opening or troubling? Explain.

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7. Read Colossians 1:9-11. How would you compare this to Philippians 1:9-11?

MY LIFE:

8. Andrew asked the question: Are there areas in your life where you might be looking at your situation in the wrong way? How did you answer that? Has the current situation given you any unique opportunities to share Jesus?

9. In what ways can you allow love to abound in your life? Who is God calling you to love in this season?

10. Paul says that his prayer is “that our love may abound more and more, *with knowledge and all discernment.*” (verse 9) How can you develop and grow in your knowledge and discernment? Is this something you’ve always considered important? Do you consider it important now?
