

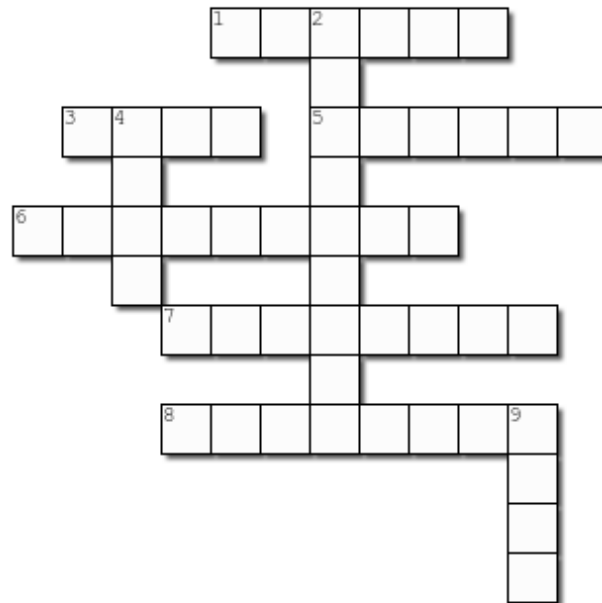
Joy in Sacrificial Living

Philippians 2:17–18

Sermon Questions

1. Rather than grumbling and complaining, Christians are called to have _____.
2. It is especially difficult to have joy in the midst of suffering. (Yes/No)
3. A drink offering is when the priests would drink in honor to the Lord. (Yes/No)
4. The metaphor in verse 17 can be reworded to say, "Even if I am _____ for your progress in the faith, just as you are _____ for your faith in Christ, I am glad and rejoice. And so should you!"
5. What are three reasons for Paul's joy from this text:
 - i. Joy in suffering for _____.
There are two reasons that joy is found in suffering for God's sake:
Joy comes in following the one you _____ and joy comes in living a life of _____.
 - ii. Joy in suffering for _____.
 - iii. Joy in looking forward to the day he stands before _____.
6. When do you find it hard to have joy? _____
7. For a Christian, what is the untouchable treasure that is a constant source of joy? _____
8. What three perfections (attributes) of God help us in sacrificial living?
 - i. He is _____.
 - ii. He is _____.
 - iii. He is _____.
9. The key to joy and gladness is to behold _____.

Complete the crossword below



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Across

1. Good news.
3. Rather than complain, we're called to be _____.
5. Everyone will stand before _____ in judgment.
6. The attribute of God that speaks of his power to do all that he wants.
7. The opposite of pride.
8. Paul said he was being poured out as a drink _____.

Down

2. The Philippians faith in God is said to be a _____.
4. The sacrifice of Christ demonstrates his _____.
9. For to me, to live is Christ and to die is _____.