

# PULPIT CURRICULUM

November 26, 2017

## Better Together, The Joy of Following Jesus

Philippians 3:12-21



*"I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus."*

Philippians 3:14

### REVIEW THE SERMON

Go around the room and have several people share an entry from their journal reflecting on a reading from Scripture this week. *(keep it to 5 minutes a person max. Simply read the entry and allow others to respond)*

From your sermon notes, write the definition of discipleship.

Read Philippians 3:12-21

Review your sermon notes and summarize the main points

**What are 4 requirements to experience the joy of following Jesus?**

1. A \_\_\_\_\_
2. A \_\_\_\_\_
3. A \_\_\_\_\_
4. A \_\_\_\_\_

Describe each requirement and how it fits with the definition of discipleship.

Which truths or points from the text/sermon stuck out most to you?

### ASSESS YOUR LIFE

Which requirement do you find...

- Easiest, most natural?
- Most Difficult, struggle?
- Would probably help you experience more joy?

### APPLY THE TRUTH

Which requirement do you need to focus on as your next step in following Jesus?

What are some specific choices you can make that would impact your joy in following Jesus?

### COMMIT THIS WEEK

Share your next steps with a person who you respect as a follower of Jesus and ask them to pray for you.

Continue reading one chapter of Scripture/day and writing what you are learning in a journal. Come next week prepared to share a journal entry.