

Oh Joy!

Message 3: The Joy of Unity

Philippians 1:27 - 2:8

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Ephesians 6:12 - *For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.*

The Cause of Conflict – Disunity

Philippians 2:3-4

Three Causes of Disunity

1. _____ **Mark 9:33-35**
2. _____ **Proverbs 16:18; 3:10; 11:2; 8:13**
3. _____ **Matthew 16:22-24**

The Cure for Conflict – Unity

Luke 22:42-43

1 Peter 2:21-23; 3:1-2; 7-9

Ephesians 4:1-6

Philippians 2:5 – *Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus.*

Key Truth #1: Christ set the perfect example of _____.

Key Truth #2: When we deny self and are submissive, we are really obeying _____.



*All scripture is from the NIV unless otherwise noted.