

SERMON NOTES

NOV 05 & NOV 08

Philippians 3:12-21 | Trent Thompson

Fighting for Purity of Heart and Mind in Christ

How do we fight for a pure heart and a pure mind in Christ?

Remember that Christ has claimed us as His own. (12)

Look to the future not the past. (13-16)

Choose the right examples. (17-21)

1. What stood out to you from the passage or sermon?
2. Where do you see the need for most growth in becoming like Christ?
3. Are you more prone to rehash past failures or lean on past victories in your Christian walk? Why? Why don't either of those help us become more like Jesus?
4. How would you apply the descriptions of verses 17-21 to identify good and bad examples to follow?
5. We are told here that our citizenship is in heaven. What are the implications of that truth? List as many as you can think of.
6. Take time to pray for one another about the areas of growth you mentioned in response to question number 2.

Challenge Verse

Each week we want to challenge you to memorize 1 verse from our teaching passage. This week's verse is *Philippians 3:12*

Not that I have already obtained this or am already perfect, but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own.