

腓立比书: 过去一周的作业

- 继续读腓立比书多遍
- 仔细理解第三大段（1:27 — 2:30）的内容。总结这段的主题大意。（注意与“作者原意 / 目的”的连接。）
- 列出您在这一段所得出的洞见（insights）
- 考虑如何在我们生活中的应用

作者原意

To encourage the Philippians to continue their commitment to spreading the gospel, that they, following examples of Christ, Paul, Timothy and Epaphroditus, might be humble, self-giving, keeping unity, and living a joyous Christian life.

- by reminding the Philippians of their participation with him (Paul) in the progress of the gospel from their very birth as a church, expressing confidence in God's continued work in their lives, and praying for them to deepen even more in their commitment and understanding of their new faith. (1:1–11)
- by explaining how his own suffering in prison contributed to the progress of the gospel, emboldening others to share their faith and cultivating in him a single-minded focus to live for Christ. (1:12–26)
- by challenging them to strive together with one mind for the progress of the gospel, putting aside all personal rights and following the selfless attitude of Christ, who gave up all His rights on the cross—an attitude which Paul, Timothy, and Epaphroditus modeled as well. (1:27–2:30)
- by sharing his own example more fully, describing his journey, which led him to give up all things in which he might boast and replace them with a single-minded desire to become like Christ and achieve all of His purposes for his life. (3:1–21)
- by exhorting them to stand firm in the gospel, warning them to deal with all the little things that could eat away at their one-minded commitment to the progress of the gospel, such as internal bickering, impatience with each other, and everyday anxieties, and replace them with the habit of Christ-like thoughts and reflections. (4:1–9)
- by praising them for their generous financial contribution to him toward the progress of the gospel, reminding them of the future interest they will receive on their investment and giving them a final greeting. (4:10–23)

分段：

- Intro: 1:1-2
- 1:3-11 Thanksgiving, participation in the gospel from the first day until now. Philippians are partakers of grace with Paul (whether he is in prison or in defending the gospel). Confidence in God's continued work in their lives. Pray for them to deepen in their love, faith, fruit of righteousness
- 1:12-26 explaining Paul's affairs, how his own suffering in prison contributed to the spread of gospel; and Paul rejoiced that Christ will be exalted and remain with them for the sake of their progress and joy in faith
- 1:27-2:30 exhorting them to fight and stay in unity, be humble like Christ, as well the models of Paul, Timothy and Epaphroditus
- 3:1-21 sharing his own example on how to give up all things for Christ and replace them with a single-minded desire to become like Christ and achieve all of His purposes
- 4:1-9 (or 3:15-4:9) exhorting them to stand firm in gospel, warning them to deal with little disagreement (that can destroy the one-mindedness) and put all things they learned into practice.
- 4:10-23 praising them for their generous contribution to him toward the progress of gospel. Reminding them of the future.

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- 这封信的两大风格: 1) 朋友性1:12-26; 2:19-30; 2) 劝慰性1:27-2:18;
- 这一段的起头经文: **1:27-28a** 你们同有一个心志, 站立得稳, 为所信的福音齐心努力, 凡事不怕敌人的惊吓,
- 两个方面: 1) 合一; 2) 敌对;

林后

8:1 弟兄们、我把 神赐给马其顿众教会的恩告诉你们。 8:2 就是他们在患难中受大试炼的时候、仍有满足的快乐abundance of joy、在极穷deep poverty之间、还格外显出他们乐捐的厚恩。 8:3 我可以证明他们是按着力量、而且也过了力量、自己甘心乐意的捐助。 8:4 再三的求我们、准他们在这供给圣徒的恩情上有分。 8:5 并且他们所作的、不但照我们所想望的、更照 神的旨意、先把自己献给主、又归附了我们gave themselves to the Lord and to us by the will of God。

敌对

- 保罗的经历，耶稣的经历； 1:28-30； 2:17
- 罗马公民 vs. 天上的国民（2:9-11； 3:20； 1:27 你们行事为人与基督的福音相称）
- 与基督徒将来的盼望紧密相连
 - 1:9-11 to 2:6-11; 2:16 (own story 1:21-24, climax 1:9-11 and 2:6-11, appeal 2:16)
 - 3:12-14 (own story 3:4-14, climax 3:12-14, appeal 3:20-21, 4:1)
- 应用

合一

- 1:27 同有一个心志，站立得稳，为所信的福音齐心努力
- 2:1-4: 劝慰: selfishness, empty conceit vs. humility, high regard for others, looking out for interests of others
- 2:6-11: 耶稣的例子
- 2:12-16: 继续劝慰: grumbling, disputing
- 2:20-22: 提摩太的例子
- 2:25-30: 以巴弗提的例子

作业（在礼拜六6/30晚前交）

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