

**Living Hope
Baptist Church**

*Small Group
Study Guide*

Appreciate What He's Doing
Philippians 2:1-11

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A C L O S E R L O O K

P h i l i p p i a n s 2 : 1 - 1 1

A Call to Humble Service:

1. What does Paul call the Philippians to do in verses 1 and 2?
2. How does Paul tell the Philippians to view their own interests in comparison to the interests of others in verses 3 and 4?

The Example of a Humble Servant:

1. In verses 5 to 8, Paul shares about the example of Christ. How was Christ an example to us in the area of humility and service?
2. How is Christ exalted in verses 9 to 11?

L I F E A P P L I C A T I O N

1. How would you define Christian unity? Does it mean that all Christians need to believe the same things? Does it mean that we all need to agree on everything?
2. How does the world view a lack of unity among Christians?
3. In verse 3, Paul tells the Philippians to “count others more significant than yourselves”. How does this compare with the secular mantra, “Always look out for number one”?
4. The ultimate example of humility and service is found in Christ, as Paul highlights in this passage. What hinders you from following Christ's example in your day to day life?
5. How does living a life of humility and service help us to communicate the gospel to lost people?