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## **Upcoming Events**

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**GROW** Discipleship Groups

Men's Group (Ages 13+) Ladies' Group (Ages 13+)

Wednesday January 12<sup>th</sup> at Agape Sunday January 2<sup>nd</sup> at the Deans

**Watch Service Replays on our Church App -** You can now watch replays of our entire Sunday morning worship gathering on our church app in addition to our website. Download our Church Center App and check out the Sermons button. New replays will be added each week.

**No Nursery in January -** We invite all of our families to worship together on Sunday morning throughout the month of January. Activity bags are available for your children. Please see one of our greeters for more information.

GIVETODAY

If the LORD leads you to give as part of worship, you can use the offering box in our main worship area.

You can also give on our website or Church Center app.



Sunday Morning **Worship Service Guide**January 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

# A Reading From

Colossians 3 (ESV)

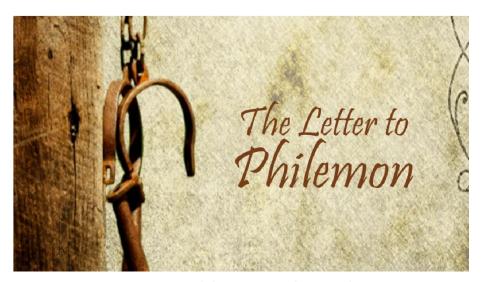
<sup>9</sup>Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have put off the old self with its practices 10 and have put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge after the image of its creator. 11 Here there is not Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave, free; but Christ is all, and in all. 12 Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, <sup>13</sup> bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. 14 And above all these put on love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. 15 And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in one body. And be thankful. 16 Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. 17 And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

PRAYERFOCUS



**Hebrews 3:15** - Today, if you hear his voice, do not harden your hearts as in the rebellion.

Pray that God would speak to us as we begin this new year. Pray that we will hear His voice, through His word by His Spirit, and that we will obey. Pray that our obedience would bear much fruit.



Pt 1: Providence and People

David McConnell

Philemon 1:1-19 (ESV) -

<sup>1</sup> Paul, a prisoner for Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother,

To Philemon our beloved fellow worker <sup>2</sup> and Apphia our sister and Archippus our fellow soldier, and the church in your house: <sup>3</sup> Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. <sup>4</sup> I thank my God always when I remember you in my prayers, <sup>5</sup> because I hear of your love and of the faith that you have toward the Lord Jesus and for all the saints, <sup>6</sup> and I pray that the sharing of your faith may become effective for the full knowledge of every good thing that is in us for the sake of Christ. <sup>7</sup> For I have derived much joy and comfort from your love, my brother, because the hearts of the saints have been refreshed through you. <sup>8</sup> Accordingly, though I am bold enough in Christ to command you to do what is required, <sup>9</sup> yet for love's sake I prefer to appeal to you—I, Paul, an old man and now a prisoner also for Christ Jesus— <sup>10</sup> I appeal to you for my child, Onesimus, whose father I became in my imprisonment. <sup>11</sup> (Formerly he was useless to you, but now he is indeed useful to you and to me.) <sup>12</sup> I am sending him back to you,

sending my very heart. <sup>13</sup> I would have been glad to keep him with me, in order that he might serve me on your behalf during my imprisonment for the gospel, <sup>14</sup> but I preferred to do nothing without your consent in order that your goodness might not be by compulsion but of your own accord. <sup>15</sup> For this perhaps is why he was parted from you for a while, that you might have him back forever, <sup>16</sup> no longer as a bondservant but more than a bondservant, as a beloved brother—especially to me, but how much more to you, both in the flesh and in the Lord. <sup>17</sup> So if you consider me your partner, receive him as you would receive me. <sup>18</sup> If he has wronged you at all, or owes you anything, charge that to my account <sup>19</sup> I, Paul, write this with my own hand: I will repay it—to say nothing of your owing me even your own self.

#### Three Gospel Themes in Philemon:

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- 2. Once inside the app, search for Agape Pinson
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