The Path to Joy

## Be a Joy! Phil 1:1-11

* How does Paul pray with joy in prison (vv. 3-5)?
* What can we learn from Paul and Silas in Acts 16:25 singing hymns at midnight after being publicly beaten in Philippi?
* How is this joy connected to the good work in verse 6? Does joy or good work depend on having a good situation?
* Is being joyful an act that we can put on over the difficult days? If it is not connected to a good situation where does it come from?
* We put understanding and facts before feelings in most matters. In vv. 7-8 Paul talks about his feelings, affection, and how he longs for them. In what context of understanding and facts are these emotions important (v. 9)?
* If we find joy impossible to find, what is the problem?