

PREACHING CURRICULUM



SERMON TITLE: Be Reasonable

SCRIPTURE: Philippians 4:2-9

'...you are deeply loved by God and are fully equipped with everything you need in order to stand firm...'

1 REVIEW THE SERMON

How is thinking clearly and well, important to our witness and communication?

What are some logical fallacies to watch out for, and to ensure we don't propagate?

How do we love God with our minds?

What does it mean for us to be 'clear minded'? What does it mean for us to be 'holy minded'?

2 ASSESS YOUR LIFE

What are we to learn from the call to set aside our differences and be 'like minded' "in the Lord"?

What do we mean by "in the Lord"? How should this draw us back to unity?

If we are told not to be anxious, what sins may anxiety in your life be symptomatic of?

How can we replace anxiety with prayerfulness?

3 APPLY THE TRUTH

How do we show our reasonableness as Christians?

How is reasonableness a broad word encompassing our mind, our hearts and our character?

What is our rejoicing dependent on? What is it not dependent on? How then can we rejoice always?

If we recognize the starting point of our Christian living as being in our thinking, how does this truth force us, and cause us to think well?

How does a person become wise?

4 COMMIT THIS WEEK

Will you allow your thoughts to become more like God's thoughts as you strive for wisdom and to exemplify Christ in your reasonableness?