

## TODAY'S TEACHING

## FOCUSED FOR LIFE! A FORGE Study Through Philippians- October 4 2022 TALK 1 Philippians 1:1-11 Gospel Basics- IDENTITY & PURPOSE

- ✓ *SAINTS: v 1-2*
- ✓ SERVANTS: v 1-2
- ✓ SOLDIERS: v3-11

## TEAM TALK

- ✓ We talk about IDENTITY a lot at FORGE, because this is the starting point/foundation and the ongoing focus of our walk and journey with Christ. What does the Apostle Paul and the New Testament mean by calling Christians, "saints"? What are some confusing ideas associated with "sainthood"? Why is it important to have radical clarity in our minds that we are "saints"?
- ✓ The word "servants" conveys an over all category for our purpose in life as Christian men. What are the 3 major areas of Purpose that we emphasize at FORGE? How do those 3 areas work out the overall category of SERVANTHOOD?
- ✓ Our passage today in Philippians doesn't use the word SOLDIERS, but Paul uses it elsewhere in the New Testament. As Soldiers of Christ, how does this clarify our unity and partnership in the Gospel? How can this focus us to build a Fire Team?