

JANUARY 21, 2024 | AARON CLOUD

**Key Idea:** <u>IDENTITY</u> rooted in the wrong places, will result in investing our lives in the wrong things.

**Life In Christ:** We are <u>TRANSFORMED</u> & given a new identity.

Identity In Christ: Philippians 1:1

- We are <u>SERVANTS</u>. We serve the plan, purpose & priorities of Jesus.
- We are HOLY people; set apart & walking in righteousness.

**Key Question:** How Do We Live Out A Spiritually Mature Identity In Christ? Philippians 1:6

- God, in His <u>GRACE</u>, will finish in us the work that He has started.
- YIELD to this work of Christ.

## What Does Maturity In Christ & Walking Out A New Identity Look Like?

- Love for God & one another; growing in wisdom & understanding.
- WALKING in discernment.
- Living <u>PURE</u> & blameless.
- Filled with the fruit of <u>RIGHTEOUSNESS</u>.

**The Outcome:** Jesus Christ is at the center of everything & God is <u>GLORIFIED</u> & worshipped.

**Reflection:** Where do I need to yield my life in service & submission to Jesus as Lord?



## **FAMILY DEDICATIONS**

On Sunday, February 11, during 2nd & 3rd service in the Great Room, we will be meeting to learn about dedications. This meeting will include what to do to prepare, along with sharing ideas & resources for spiritually leading your family. Family Dedication Day will be on Saturday, February 24, from 9:30-10:30 a.m. This will be a day that you can invite your friends & family to the ceremony, take family photos, & enjoy refeshments as we celebrate this important milestone. Please register at gpw.church/dedication or contact Pastor Ryan at rkoltiska@gracepointwesleyan.org, with any questions!

## **MEALS ON WHEELS**

We are scheduled to deliver Meals on Wheels February 12 through February 16 & February 20 through February 23. We need drivers & helpers to pick up meals at the Brookings Activity Center (just north of the Brookings Public Library) by 11 a.m. Monday - Friday & deliver to area residents who are homebound. Please sign up at gpw.church/meals or call the office at 692-6671, if you can help. Thank you!

## **NEW MOBILE APP**

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