Date: November 23, 2025

Series: Philippians: Triumphant, Tenacious, Battle-Tested JOY!

Title: Pressing Onward and Upward!

Text: Philippians 3:12-16



1. Christian maturity <u>recognizes</u> its **imperfection**.

2. Christian maturity <u>presses</u> on toward the **prize**.

3. Christian maturity <u>holds true</u> to **God's revealing grace**.

Questions for Further Study, Reflection, and Application...

- 1. Where in my walk with Christ have I grown complacent, and what would it look like this week to "press on" because Christ has already taken hold of me?
- 2. How consistently am I viewing my circumstances through an eternal, Christ-is-coming mindset—and what daily habits could help reorient my focus upward?
- 3. Am I patient and gracious with fellow believers who are still maturing, entrusting their growth to God's timing as Paul did?
- 4. What truth of the gospel or of Christ's character do I already know but need to "hold fast" to more firmly right now?