# Triangle Bible Study Lesson 15: Philippians Overview

#### Warmup

• What was most meaningful to you about the Philippians Overview lecture and why?

### Day 1: Read Acts 16:11-40 [Open NIV] [Open NKJV]

- 1. List the facts you learn about Philippi in v. 12.
- 2. Name the people God used to start the church in Philippi.
- 3. Which verses from today's lesson were most encouraging to you and why?

#### Day 2: Read Philippians 1 [Open NIV] [Open NKJV]

- 4. Who wrote Philippians? To whom was it written? Of what was Paul confident (vs. 1-6)?
- 5. What was Paul's attitude about being imprisoned? Why did he have this perspective (vs. 12-14)?
- 6. Explain the point being made by Paul in vs. 21-26. How will you apply it?

### Day 3: Read Philippians 2 [Open NIV] [Open NKJV]

- 7. What do you learn about humility in vs. 1-11?
- 8. Describe what you learn about Paul's relationship with Timothy and Epaphroditus in vs. 19-30.
- 9. Write down something from Chapter 2 that you will choose to incorporate in your life.

### Day 4: Read Philippians 3:1-11 [Open NIV] [Open NKJV]

- 10. List facts about Paul's life (vs. 1-6).
- 11. What did Paul think of his own privilege and accomplishments (vs. 7-11)?
- 12. Which verses from today's passage will you apply to make you a more devoted Christ follower?

## Day 5: Read Philippians 3:12-4:7 [Open NIV] [Open NKJV]

13. Write down what you learn about persevering in Christ from Philippians 3:12-16.

- 14. Explain what you believe Paul means in v. 20 that "our citizenship is in heaven."
- 15. Select a verse in Philippians 4:1-7 that helps you understand your relationship with God. Tell why you chose that verse.

#### Day 6: Read Philippians 4:8-23 [Open NIV] [Open NKJV]

- 16. Paul refers to having learned the "secret to contentment" in vs. 10-13. What is it?
- 17. For what did Paul commend the Philippian church in vs. 10-18?
- 18. Which verse in today's passage spoke to you in a specific way? Explain why.