

Advent Bible Study Discussion – “From Division to Peace” (Philippians 3:7–4:7)

1. Peace in a Season of Conflict

Christmas can highlight old wounds, tensions, and divisions in our relationships.

Who is someone you feel tension with right now, and what is one practical step you could take this season to move toward peace?

2. Remembering Why Peace Is Possible

Paul reminds us that peace begins with remembering who Jesus is and what He has done.

What part of Jesus’ example (humility, sacrifice, service) challenges you most, and how could you imitate it in a current relationship?

3. Re-Minding Ourselves of Our Identity

Paul says believers share the same love, the same Spirit, and the same belonging in Christ.

How might remembering your identity in Jesus change the way you respond to someone who frustrates or hurts you?

4. Choosing Humility Over Pride

Paul calls believers to value others above themselves and look to their interests.

Where might pride be blocking reconciliation in your life, and what would a humble next step look like?

5. Doing “What Depends on You”

Paul says, “As far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone.”

What is one relationship where you have been waiting for the other person to move first, and what’s one step you could take instead?

6. Praying Toward Peace

Paul connects peace with prayer—bringing everything before God with honesty and trust.

What situation is creating anxiety, tension, or division for you, and how can your group pray specifically for peace in it this week?

