Use these questions in your Life Group gatherings or for further discussion as a family.

### **OUR RELATIONSHIPS MATTER | SEPTEMBER 7, 2025**

#### **SERMON RECAP**

Our relationships reflect our relationship with Christ, and unity in the church is central to our witness. Paul calls us to stand firm, pursue humility, and work through conflict so that our lives together point people to Jesus.

# THE LEAD IN

 Share a story from a time you had to work through conflict with a family member, friend, or coworker. What made it so difficult or meaningful?

### **GETTING INTO THE TEXT**

- Read Philippians 4:1-3. Why do you think this passage is preserved as Scripture? Why did Paul make it a public matter instead of providing a private rebuke?
- What can this passage teach us more broadly about relationships within the church?

# **GOING DEEPER**

- Think about your current relationships within your Oikos and beyond. How
  do those relationships reflect your walk with Jesus?
- Relational brokenness within the church can very easily hinder other's interest in the gospel. What does unity among believers communicate to the world?
- Are you experiencing relational brokenness with another believer? Is it worth stepping into the messiness of conflict for the sake of unity? What next steps do you need to take?

# **PRAYER**

 Thank God for the unity we can have in Christ and ask for courage and humility to pursue reconciliation in Christlike ways.