## **Joy Beyond Circumstances: Joy in Christ Alone**

Philippians 3:1-11

## **Discussion Questions**

**Key Texts:** Philippians 3:1-11; Romans 3:10, 5:20-21, 11:33; Psalm 13:5, 51:12; Titus 2:11-12;

## The Essentials

- 1) Have you ever thought of joy as something to train yourself in?
- 2) How might we lose the joy of our salvation?
- 3) How might we build our own righteousness?
- 4) How is building your own righteousness like fake money?
- **5)** What does God's grace do to us?

## **Going Deeper**

- 6) What are some purposes of the power of the Holy Spirit?
- 7) Speaking personally, what might you be tempted to put your confidence in?

**Memory Verse:** "not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but that which is through faith in Christ—the righteousness that comes from God on the basis of faith." Philippians 3:9

**Prayer Point:** Please pray for the IBC Hamburg leaders retreat this Saturday.