

OPENING PRAYER September 27, 2026 Sunday Joint
Worship

Reflecting on Philippians 2:1-13

God Eternal, in our walk as followers of Christ we look to Jesus for the ideal. Though truly one with you, he lived his life as a servant, a humble human being. We ask that through the power of your Holy Spirit we might be more like Jesus in all our actions, thoughts and words. For it is only in humility, letting go of the ego that we are able to open ourselves to your desire for us. To put on the mind of Jesus is to seek you first, to let your love shine forth in and through us. It is the way to our true selves, the persons you meant us to be, living lives of justice, kindness, and service, in communion with you. Bless us as we worship together and open our hearts and minds to you. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.