

PULPIT MINISTRY - AUGUST 2009

Theme: **Fellow Servants in the Lord**

MORNING WORSHIP

2 August 2009

Title: **"Epaphroditus- Fellow Worker, Fellow Soldier"**

Text: **Philippians 2:25-30**

(I) THE STANDING OBTAINED

- 1. My Brother (Philippians 2:25a)**
- 2. Fellow-worker (Philippians 2:25b)**
- 3. Your messenger (Philippians 2:25c) (literally "apostle")**

(II) THE DEEDS THAT ARE REMEMBERED

1. A mind that is engaged in Thoughtful Ministry

- a) Ministering where it counts most
- b) Ministering to deep personal needs

*"The one who ministered to my need" **Philippians 2:25d***

2. A heart that deeply cares

- a) For Paul
- b) For the Philippians

*"He was longing for you all, and was distressed because you had heard that he was sick" **Philippians 2:26***

3. A spirit that is unafraid of risks that are involved in ministry

- a) The risk of falling ill
- b) The risk of near-fatal illness

*"For indeed he was sick almost unto death..." **Philippians 2:27***

*"For the work of Christ he came close to death, not regarding his life" **Philippians 2:30***

(III) APPROPRIATE RESPONSE: HONOURING SUCH SERVANTS OF GOD

1. Rejoice

*“When you see him again you may rejoice...” **Philippians 2:28a***

2. Reception

*“Receive him therefore in the Lord with all gladness” **Philippians 2:29a***

3. Esteem

*“And hold such men in esteem” **Philippians 2:29b***

Combined Worship
Text: Acts 9
Title: "Dorcas- Full of Good works"
Speaker: CT

MORNING WORSHIP 16 August 2009
Combined Worship (Pre-36th Anniversary Dinner Event at RCCC)
Text: Acts 16:1-15
Title: "Lydia- The Lord opened her heart"
Speaker: CT

ANNIVERSARY MESSAGE 22 August 2009
36th Anniversary Dinner RCCC
Text: Acts 4:36-37; 11:22-26; 13:1-4
Title: "Barnabas- A good man, full of the Holy Spirit"

MORNING WORSHIP 23 August 2009
Combined Worship (Post 36th Anniversary Dinner Event at RCCC)
Commencement of 37th Year of Ministry
Text: Acts 15
Title: "Judas and Silas... Leading men"

MORNING WORSHIP 30 August 2009
Text: Romans 15
Title: "Strive together with me in prayers to God"

EVENING WORSHIP

BILINGUAL WORSHIP

02 August
Text: Psalm 119:145-152
Title: "I rise before the dawning of the morning"
Speaker: CT

30 August
Text: Psalm 119:161-168
Title: "Seven Times a Day I praise You"
Speaker: CT