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Sermon Series on Sanctification: Part 3

Be Who You Are

Colossians 3:12-14

Sermon Point:

Being united to Jesus/being in relationship with Christ (Colossians 3:1-4) requires us not only to put away sin in our lives (Colossians 3:5-11) but to also “put on” a new set of virtues for the sake of unity and love in the church (Colossians 3:12-14).

Sermon Aim:

- To convince us that the motivation for our sanctification is grounded in our relationship with Christ.
- To help us realize that the essence of our sanctification is about becoming more Christlike; to put on Christian virtues is to put on Christ!
- To appreciate—and live out—the priority of love corporately as a local church.

Sermon Outline:

- 1) The Gospel Incentive for ‘Putting on’ Christian Virtues
- 2) The Christlike Attire to ‘Put On’
- 3) Forgiveness: A Case Study in Sanctification
- 4) Love: The “Super Glue” of Sanctification