



Daily Reflections

September 14, 2018

Scripture Phil. 2: 6-11

Brothers and sisters:

Christ Jesus, though he was in the form of God,
did not regard equality with God something to be grasped.

Rather, he emptied himself,
taking the form of a slave,
coming in human likeness;
and found human in appearance,
he humbled himself,
becoming obedient to death,
even death on a cross.

Because of this, God greatly exalted him
and bestowed on him the name
that is above every name,
that at the name of Jesus
every knee should bend,
of those in heaven and on earth and under the earth,
and every tongue confess that
Jesus Christ is Lord,
to the glory of God the Father.

Our Scripture Reflection

Humility is the most important virtue, in fact, it is the “gateway” virtue: No humility, no faith, love, prudence, hope, etc. How does one develop humility?

1. I surrender to the Truth that there is a God

2. It is not me.

The beautiful "Philippians hymn" illustrates true humility on the part of Jesus, the Model of humility

Food for your Journey

Many of us need to be more like the little girl whom the farmer found lost in his meadow. The farmer said to her, "Do not cry; I'll take you home."

The little child snuggled up to him, and with a smile, said, "I knew you would; I was waiting for you."

"Waiting for me?" said the man. "What made you think I was coming?"

"I was praying you would," she said.

"Praying? When I first heard you, you were saying A-B-C-D-E-F-G. What was that for?"

She looked up again and said, "I'm just a little girl. I was praying all the letters of the alphabet and letting God put them together the way he wanted to. He knows I was lost, and he knows how to put them together better than I do."

A Prayer from the Heart

Dear Jesus, meek and humble of heart, make my heart as Your heart. Amen