

A STUDY OF COLOSSIANS

READING

Read:

Option 1: The whole letter to the Colossians

Option 2: Colossians 1:1-2 and other greetings from Paul's letters

REFLECTION

- What does it mean for you to live with "two addresses," both <u>in</u> your earthly zip code and <u>in</u> Christ? Which identity most shapes how you live?
- Paul calls the Colossians "saints" (holy ones) and "faithful siblings." How does that shape the way you see yourself and others in the church?
- How do you need to experience God's grace and peace this week: in your relationship with Him, with others, or within yourself?

PRAYER

Our Heavenly Father, thank You that in Christ You have made us holy and faithful. Thank You for the grace that saves and sustains us, and for the peace that reconciles us to You and to one another. Teach us to live out of our true identity in Christ. Anchor us in His supremacy and sufficiency. Amen.

PREPARE

Colossians 1:3-14

Read it several times. Take note of what paul prays for the Colossians.