

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER PRAYER

Praying with Paul, part 4

EPHESIANS 3:14-21

- Read the passage together and spend the first few minutes praying about anything that comes to mind from reading the passage.

Give praise to God for the riches of his glory (v. 14-16)

- Someone read Psalm 105:1-6
- Express thanks to God for his attributes and his character
- Praise God for salvation as a free gift of his grace

Ask God to help you know his love that is beyond knowledge (v. 17-19)

- Someone read 1 John 4:7-12
- Declare your need for God's help and strength to receive his love
- Ask God for others (all the saints) to develop a deeper, transforming understanding of God's love in their lives
- Pray for God to bring someone to mind that you can show the love of God to this week

Ascribe to God his immeasurable greatness, power, glory and authority (v. 20-21)

- Someone read Matthew 28:16-20 and Romans 11:33-36
- Prayers of ascription focus our hearts and minds on God. They often start with "You are" or "You have..."
- Ask God to grow your view of him so that it is in line with his immeasurable power and authority
- Praise God for his glory in the church – that as people experience the glory of God they would be saved through faith in Jesus

Pray for Harvest's fall emphasis on fasting

- Pray for endurance for those committing to fast on Fridays
- Pray for times of deep personal worship and intimacy with the Lord
- Ask God how he would have you to participate in fasting Fridays