



What Should we Learn from Paul's Life of Fervent Prayer?

1. A Posture of Total Surrender (v.14-15)
2. A Petition for Spiritual Strength (v.16-19)
3. A Prioritization of God's \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_ (v.20-21)
  - A. This Conclusion is a \_\_\_\_\_
    - 1) Who is He?
    - 2) What is He able to do?
    - 3) How is He able to accomplish all of this?
  - B. This Conclusion is a \_\_\_\_\_
    - 1) What is He worthy of?
    - 2) Why is He worthy?
    - 3) For How long is He worthy?

➤ What is your next step to stop relying on your own power so that you can live in the power of God for His glory?



Welcome  
We are so glad you're here!

April 19, 2026

**SUNDAY**

- WORSHIP SERVICE – 10AM Richmond High School Auditorium
- GRACEKIDS
  - Infant/Toddler Nursery – Birth-Pre-K
  - Kids Church – K-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Kids will be with us for worship then dismissed during the video before the sermon. They will return at the end of the service.
- SMALL GROUPS – Week of April 19th

**THIS WEEK**

- Wednesday – Effect Student Ministries
  - (6-12<sup>th</sup> Grade) 6:30-8:30PM
  - At the Church on Forest & Friday
- Friday – Grace Seniors Hymn Night 6PM at the Church on Forest & Friday

**UPCOMING**

- May 2 – Ladies Brunch 10AM  
Signup online, Church Center App as soon as possible, limited seating.
- May 7 – National Day of Prayer 12:20PM at Richmond City Hall
- May 9 – Effect Students (6-12<sup>th</sup> Grade) Senior Bash 4PM
- June 22-27 – Week #3 LA Camp
  - Please register kids ASAP!
- Vacation Bible School 2026 (July 27–31 6-8:30pm)  
If you are a member of GCC and willing to serve, signup in the lobby.



**Week 16**

**Can you keep the law of God perfectly?**

No. I am inclined by nature to hate God and my neighbor.

**Romans 3:10**

**Our Giving to the Lord**

4/12/26 Offering \$6,340.71  
Offering YTD 2026 \$120,836.30  
Budget YTD 2026 \$116,550.00

Thank You for continuing to give sacrificially to the Lord! You can give by mail, the Church Center App, and online [migracechurch.com/give](https://migracechurch.com/give)

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**SMALL GROUP STUDY GUIDE**  
PRAYING FOR THE FAMILY – Part 2  
Ephesians 3:14-21  
April 19, 2026



**REVIEW**

1. What is one of the biggest ways the first three chapters of Ephesians have encouraged you?
2. Share a time when God answered a prayer in a way that was “immeasurably more” than you asked or imagined. How did that experience transform your faith?

**ASSESS**

3. The same power that raised Christ from the dead is “at work within us.” How does this truth challenge the way you see your own limitations, weaknesses, or failures?
4. Verse 20 says God works “according to his power that is at work within us.” How does this truth have the power to transform the way you pray?

5. Imagine if our church fully believed that God’s power can produce immeasurably more fruit through our discipleship efforts. What specific steps would we take to move from casual Christian friendships to intentional, life-on-life disciple-making? What fears or excuses are currently holding us back?
6. The passage ends with an explosion of praise. How does a fresh grasp of God’s immeasurable power lead you to deeper worship?

**APPLY**

7. In what area of your character or daily habits do you most need to stop relying on your own strength and start depending on God’s power that is working in you?
8. How will we know, three months from now, that this study of Ephesians 3:20-21 actually produced transformation in us individually and as a group? What evidence will we be looking for?

**PRAYER**