

SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS
APRIL 6, 2025

PRAYING WITH PAUL
EPHESIANS 3:14-21

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

As God's family we have the privilege of praying together for His strength, love, and fullness in order that He would be praised in the church forever.

- I. The Privilege of God's Family (v.14-15)
- II. The Prayer of God's Family (v.16-19)
- III. The Praise of God's Family (v.20-21)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

- 1. How did you learn to pray? What have been the dominant influences on your prayer life?¹
- 2. Where do you see the corporate emphasis in this example and instruction in prayer? What does that tell you?
- 3. What steps can you take to make the glory of God the central concern of your life?²
- 4. Children – do you want to grow in prayer? How can you get God's help in prayer?

FURTHER READING: Phil 1:6; Eph 1:18-20; 1 Tim 4:8; Eph 1:15, 2:4-7; Rom 11:36

¹ DA Carson, *Praying with Paul*, 2nd edition, p.180

² Carson, p.181