

Welcome to our June 2023 reading plan! We will be diving deeply into the book of Ephesians this year and as we navigate it we will also explore different passages of the Bible that increase our understanding of the Gospel and how it's truth affects how we live day to day. Before you read each day meditate on Ephesians 2:8-10 \bigcirc , pray for one person to know Christ \bigcirc and pray for one person to grow in Him \bigcirc .

Memorization & Meditation:

"For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is a gift of God, not a result of works, so that no man can boast. For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them." – Ephesians 2:8-10

WEEK 1

- [June 1] Ephesians 2:18 | How does this verse apply to your prayer life?
- [2] Spend some time today reviewing your memory verses from the past few months in Ephesians. Can you remember them? How has memorizing scripture helped you in your walk with Jesus?
- [3] Spend time in prayer today for Antioch both the congregation and the leadership (the pastors and elders). Spend time in prayer for your brothers and sisters in Christ that you engage with regularly at church.

WFFK 2

Sunday, June 4th

- [5] Ephesians 2:19-22 | Can you think of a time when you felt like the Presence of the Lord came and was dwelling with you? Where were you? What was that like?
- [6] 1 Kings 6:1-38 | Take note of the care with which Solomon and the people built the temple of God. Note what valuable materials he chose. How does this change the way you look at Eph. 2:19-22?
- [7] Matthew 24:1-2 | Jesus is foretelling the destruction of the physical temple. Why is this significant?
- [8] John 16:1-14 | Why does Jesus say it is better that he goes away? How have you experienced the Holy Spirit as your Helper?
- [9] Revelation 21:3 | Someday God will dwell physically with His people again! Spend time today praying and asking God to prepare your heart for that day.
- [10] Spend time praying today and ask God to cultivate your heart and mind into a better dwelling place for His Spirit. Ask Him to convict you of any areas that need growth or repentance and invite the Spirit to lead you in that change.

WEEK 3

Sunday, June 11th

- [12] Ephesians 3:1-7 | Why was it a big deal to find out that the Gentiles were to be full heirs to the Gospel?
- [13] Ephesians 3:8-13 | How does it make you feel to know that God has had a redemption plan in mind since before time began? (v.11)
- [14] Colossians 1:24-29 | How does this passage compare to the ones you read the last two days?

- [15] Ephesians 3:11-12 | Are your prayers filled with boldness and confidence? What could be hindering you from praying that way?
- [16] Romans 11:33-36 | God is mysterious, and His ways are high above ours! How have you experienced the mystery of God as you have walked with Him?
- [17] Spend time in prayer today and ask the Lord to continue to make Himself known to you. Spend some time also praying for the fathers in your life, whether biological or spiritual.

WEEK 4

Sunday, June 18th – Father's Day

- [19] Ephesians 3:1-13 | What stands out to you most as you read this passage again?
- [20] Acts 26:1-26 | Paul is sharing his conversion story, to which he alludes in Ephesians 3. Have you ever shared your conversion story with someone? How did you do it? If you haven't, spend some time thinking about how you would share your story if given the opportunity.
- [21] Acts 9:1-22 | This account reveals in more detail Paul's calling to bring the mystery of the Gospel to the Gentiles. What stands out to you in this account?
- [22] Ephesians 3:13 | Do you know anyone personally who is suffering for the Gospel? Pray for believers around the world who are experiencing persecution.
- [23] Romans 15:8-13 | How do these prophecies serve as clues that gradually reveal the mystery of the Gospel?
- [24] Spend some time in prayer today thanking God that He saw fit to include all peoples, not just the Jewish people, in His plan of redemption and salvation. Pray and thank Him specifically for your own salvation and pray for someone you know to be saved.

WEEK 5

Sunday, June 25th

- [26] Ephesians 3:14 | What prompts Paul to pray with such humility and gratitude?
- [27] Ephesians 3:15-16 | What do you think it means to be strengthened with power through the Holy Spirit in your inner being?
- [28] Ephesians 3:17-19 | How does being rooted and grounded in love change our perspective? How does it change your everyday life?
- [29] Ephesians 3:20-21 | Why do these verses encourage us to pray with great expectation?
- [30] Ephesians 3:14-21 | What does this passage teach us about the resources of God?

Pray for one person to grow in Christ this week.	Pray for one person to know Christ this week.

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