

Ephesians 3:14-21

Discussion Questions

1. This passage starts with “for THIS reason...” (v.14a), which begs the question for us: “for what reason?” (*Text context is key here! Any time we see a “for this reason” or “therefore”—we must ask ourselves “what’s the “therefore” there for??) Look backwards in the text and in your study from last week for clues!*
2. Based on the text, was Paul’s reason to kneel before the Father (v. 14)? How does it set the tone for his encouragement in the following verses?
3. Read (aloud, if possible) Psalms 95:6, then Psalm 107:43, and Romans 11:33. These verses echo Paul’s fervor and passion—WHERE do they help re-direct our focus? How can these verses clarify your own life perspective right now?
4. Paul prays that we would be able to comprehend the love of Christ “with all the saints” (Eph 3:18). In what ways have you been able to better grasp God’s love in community with other believers?

How have specific group members helped you better grasp God’s love for you? Praise God together for how He has used members of your group to help you better grasp His love.

5. Paul has been passionately encouraging his fellow believers to un-cage their expectations and understanding of God’s overwhelming goodness to us, framed by the joining together of Gentiles and Jews into the family of Christ.

Ephesians 3:20 says “to HIM Who is able to do immeasurably more than we ask or imagine...to HIM be the glory...”.

Is there an area of life where the Lord is prompting you to actively living and praying in greater faith as a result of something you’ve learned about His character?

Is there an active step of obedience you need to walk in? (Courageously sharing with each other encourages the body of believers, helps with accountability, and invites the Lord to move in power as we pray together!)