



***Sermon Questions: Blessing Grace***  
***Date: April 25, 2021| Scripture: Ephesians 1:3-14***

1. Read Ephesians 1:3-14. As you read, make a list of everything that God does according to this passage. Share as a group and pray before digging into the rest of these questions – praise God for who he is and what he’s done!
2. One truth of this passage is that God has chosen you. Specifically, you are chosen as a son or daughter. Think through different areas of your life – family, work, faith, etc. How does the truth of adoption inform those areas?
3. God has redeemed you. As you fully grasp the scope of this redemption and forgiveness, what impact does it have on your relationship with God? On your relationship with others?
4. God has a future for you. Reflect together on common causes of hopelessness (either generally or in your own life). How does this guarantee of a future give you hope?
5. Read verses 13 and 14 again. What do these verses teach about the Holy Spirit? What is your relationship with the Spirit like?
6. How does the passage empower you to bless others? How do you take this passage and turn from inwardly accepting these truths to outwardly proclaiming and sharing them?

*Inward Grace in Action*

*The questions below are a little more intimate and are meant to be discussed with a trusted friend or partner.*

1. God has chosen you. God has redeemed you. God has a future for you. Which of these three truths is most difficult for you to believe? Why? Pray for one another using the words of Ephesians 1:3-14.

***WORSHIP THROUGHOUT  
THE WEEK***

Here are some other ways you can meet with God throughout the week:

*Reflect* on these Scriptures:

- [Ephesians 1](#)
- [Colossians 1](#)
- [Psalm 100](#)
- [John 16:5-15](#)
- [Romans 8](#)
- [1 Peter 2:1-12](#)

*Listen* to the Ephesians worship playlist on Spotify.

*Reach out* if you need assistance during this time:

- Call our church office at 703.821.0800
- Request aid from our Deacons’ Fund at [deaconsfund@mcleanpres.org](mailto:deaconsfund@mcleanpres.org)

You can also find additional resources on our website: **[capitalpres.org](http://capitalpres.org)**.