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#### Pastor Ron Raymer

To God's holy people. Paul's letter to the church of Ephesus

#### Paul's prayer for the Ephesians

Ephesians 3:14-21

Introduction: Paul prays for the 2nd time in his letter to the church of Ephesus. He reminds us of the importance of prayer and gives us some ideas about what types of things we should be praying for.

#### I. Postures in prayer

A.Kneeling. V. 14, Luke 22:41, Acts 9:40, 20:36, 21:5

B.Standing. 1 Kings 8:22

C.Sitting. 1 Chronicles 17:16

D.With face to the ground. Matthew 26:39

#### **II. His Power**

A.Strength through His Spirit in your inner being. V. 16

B.So that Christ may dwell in your hearts. V. 17

C.To grasp the love of Christ. V. 18

D.That's working within us. V. 20

#### III. His Love

A. Rooted and established. V. 17

B. The nature of Christ's love. Wide, long, high, and deep. V. 18

C. That surpasses knowledge. V. 19

D. So that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God. V.19

Conclusion: In the bible we see that there are many different "ways" to pray, both in posture, and petition. The most important thing is that we are praying regularly and that we are trusting that in the name of Jesus, through the power of the Holy Spirit, our Heavenly Father is transforming us.

# Week 6 Ephesians 3:14-21

## To God's holy people...

Paul's letter to the church of Ephesus

September 3, 2023



## **Greenview** Alliance Church

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Helping people take the next step in their relationship with God.

## Welcome!

We're glad you're here.

If you are a visitor today or church member with a prayer request or if you need to contact a staff member or elder, please take a moment to fill out the attached connection card and place it in the offering plate, located at the back of the sanctuary.

Nursery is available for children ages 0 up to 4 years old. KidZone, for kids age 4-5th grade, will be dismissed during the service after the Children's Message. All Children's Ministry workers have clearances on file with the church.

Eric Nagy will lead us in prayer.

The worship team will be leading the following songs: How Great Thou Art, God You Are, How Deep the Father's Love, and At the Cross.

Thank you for spending your morning with us!

#### **See Church Center App for** our Event Calendar

9:30am Sunday Worship Service



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## Announcements



#### **Second Offering for September**

Every month Greenview supports a ministry or nonprofit (local, national, or international) by providing an opportunity to give over and above the regular tithe. Over the next two years. The Alliance is committed to five specific goals to fully engage with Jesus in the future flourishing of the Kingdom and our movement. One of those goals is to have one new U.S. church plant per week for the next two years. As an Acts 1:8

family, our call to preach the gospel is both global and local. Visit cmalliance.org/now to learn more.



#### On Mission Together - 9/24

- 1. Through Sept. 24th, choose four specific people to pray for.
- 2. Pray (1) they encounter the Light of the World & (2) over the chair they will occupy at GVA.
- 3. [Optional] Donate to support our new

#### **Opportunity to Serve Others**

We are looking for volunteers to make and/or serve food at Sojourner Truth Ministries on Sept. 23. Sign up at the Info Center by the coffee counter to indicate how you can volunteer (time or food). The menu Is: hamburgers, coleslaw, beans, chips, and cake. See Christine Pearson if you have any auestions.



#### **Operation All Hands on Deck**

The final jobs are upon us! Use this link or QR Code to sign up: https://bit.ly/GVAallhandsondeck

No experience required and all volunteers must be 18+ years old. We will be in touch to indicate when you are needed.

#### **Greenview Church Center App**

Events, the church calendar, sign-ups, and group communication are available on our app. Use the QR Code provided (opposite page) to download the app and sign in. Access from the web, as well, at https:// greenviewalliance.churchcenter.com/home

For more information email the office at greenviewalliance@comcast.net or call 570-433-4506



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