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EPHESIANS

THE CHURCH:

A MYSTERY REVEALED

Sunday, April 26

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Announcements & Opening Prayer

Holy, Holy, Holy (20)
Anchored (80)

Scripture reading (Psalm 140)
Prayer of response

Now Why This Fear (87)
Before The Throne Of God Above (154)

Sermon - Brandon Phillips

More Love To Thee (224)
Benediction

*"God loves each of us as if there were only
one of us" ~ Augustine*

POWER-PACKED PRAYER

EPHESIANS 3:16-19

Paul prays in two crucial ways for the saints at Ephesus and beyond. He prays that the church at Ephesus would be:

I. Granted Spiritual Strength (3:16-17a)

1. Paul begins by beseeching God to strengthen the Ephesian church according to the riches of His glory.
2. Paul prays that this strengthening would be in the inner man through the power of His Holy Spirit.
3. He wants them to be spiritually strengthened so that Christ would be at home in their hearts.

"A mighty fortress is our God"

~ Martin Luther

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The evening prayer times will continue this week - we will re-evaluate this at the end of April.
 - We will meet on Tuesday, and Thursday from 8 to 8:30 pm.
- We are planning to have a video-based youth meeting in May.
 - More details to come!
- We expect that 4/26 should be our last online only meeting unless something changes with the state of Florida.
- Following the State of Florida phase one guidelines, we are plan to gather at GACAR on Sunday, May 3rd.
 - The meeting will be highly modified to account for social distancing requirements.
 - We have published a letter describing how we will meet government requirements for the meeting.
 - We will continue to place a high priority on our streaming service for those in vulnerable groups or for those who display any symptoms.
- **Men's Study**
 - We will meet to set up at GACAR in lieu of our usual Sunday study on 5/3
- **Thank you for abundantly giving from your heart!**
 - You can send your giving checks to the church's physical address, or you can give online through the giving portal. (giving portal link and mailing address information can be found at gracegainesville.org)