

A Hodgepodge Bible study  
Culminating in Eph. 1:3-14

1. Paul's Imprisonment

- a. First Imprisonment
  - i. Acts 21-28

- b. Second Imprisonment

2. Background of Ephesus

- a. History

- b. Religion

- c. Ignatius Letter to the Ephesians

3. These verses serve as introduction or opening. With that being the case what would you expect the letter to cover?

4. Why did God choose us?

5. When are we adopted as sons of God? What does that mean for us?

6. What is the mystery of God's will?

7. What is our inheritance and when do we receive it?

8. What does it mean to be "sealed with the promised Holy Spirit"?

9. Who is this all done in?

10. How do we see the past, present, and future here?

11. Paraphrase 1:3-14