

EPHESIANS

WEEK OF August 9 – September 16 / GROUP TIME GUIDE

This guide is given to aide in the facilitation of leading your small group. It is only an aide for you to **experience Christ together.**

Prayer: Begin your time in group together by inviting God to be with you. Ask Him to change you as you seek Him and study His Word together. Ask him to use everyone in the group to encourage, challenge, and teach one another.

Bible Study:

1. This last week we finished our series “Knowing Who We Are,” by looking at Ephesians 1:11-14. From this passage we learned about two spiritual blessings that define who we are. The first was, “**We Are Heirs.**”
 - a. **What does it mean that we are heirs?**
 - b. **What were three things we learned from Paul concerning our inheritance? (it is ours, by God’s sovereign grace, and for His glory.)**
2. Secondly we learned that, “**We Are Sealed.**” Out of this we learned four things about being sealed, discuss each individually,
 - a. **A seal is a sign of a finished transaction**
 - b. **A seal is a sign of authenticity**
 - c. **A seal is a sign of ownership**
 - d. **A seal is a sign of protection.**
3. **Now that we have completed our study of Ephesians 1:3-14, what of these four weeks most impacted you and your relationship with God? How has this series helped you and your understanding of who you are?**