

The Mystery of the Church

Monday 9/15

Eph. 3:3-5

3 That by revelation the mystery was made known to me, as I have written previously in brief,

4 By which, in reading it, you can perceive my understanding in the mystery of Christ,

5 Which in other generations was not made known to the sons of men, as it has now been revealed to His holy apostles and prophets in spirit,

Eph. 1:1-3, 9-10, 22-23

1 Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus through the will of God, to the saints who are in Ephesus and are faithful in Christ Jesus:

2 Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us with every spiritual blessing in the heavenlies in Christ,

9 Making known to us the mystery of His will according to His good pleasure, which He purposed in Himself,

10 Unto the economy of the fullness of the times, to head up all things in Christ, the things in the heavens and the things on the earth, in Him;

22 And He subjected all things under His feet and gave Him to be Head over all things to the church,

23 Which is His Body, the fullness of the One who fills all in all.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ(2)...Week 9, Day 1*

Tuesday 9/16

Rom. 16:25-26

25 Now to Him who is able to establish you according to my gospel, that is, the proclamation of Jesus Christ, according to

the revelation of the mystery, which has been kept in silence in the times of the ages

26 But has now been manifested, and through the prophetic writings, according to the command of the eternal God, has been made known to all the Gentiles for the obedience of faith;

Eph. 1:17-18

See Saturday

Eph. 3:14-17

14 For this cause I bow my knees unto the Father,

15 Of whom every family in the heavens and on earth is named,

16 That He would grant you, according to the riches of His glory, to be strengthened with power through His Spirit into the inner man,

17 That Christ may make His home in your hearts through faith, that you, being rooted and grounded in love,

Eccl. 3:11

11 He has made everything beautiful in its own time; also He has put eternity in their heart, yet so that man does not find out what God has done from the beginning to the end.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ(2)...Week 9, Day 2*

Wednesday 9/17

Rev. 10:7

7 But in the days of the voice of the seventh angel when he is about to trumpet, then the mystery of God is finished, as He has announced the good news to His own slaves the prophets.

Dan. 9:24

24 Seventy weeks are apportioned for your people and for your holy city, to close the transgression, and to make an end of sins, and to make propitiation for iniquity, and to bring in the righteousness of the ages, and to

seal up vision and prophet, and to anoint the Holy of Holies.

Col. 2:2

2 That their hearts may be comforted, they being knit together in love and unto all the riches of the full assurance of understanding, unto the full knowledge of the mystery of God, Christ,

Matt. 13:11

11 And He answered and said to them, Because to you it has been given to know the mysteries of the kingdom of the heavens, but to them it has not been given.

Eph. 6:19

19 And for me, that utterance may be given to me in the opening of my mouth, to make known in boldness the mystery of the gospel,

Col. 1:26-27

26 The mystery which has been hidden from the ages and from the generations but now has been manifested to His saints;

27 To whom God willed to make known what are the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory,

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ(2)...Week 9, Day 3*

Thursday 9/18

Col. 2:2-3

2 That their hearts may be comforted, they being knit together in love and unto all the riches of the full assurance of understanding, unto the full knowledge of the mystery of God, Christ,

3 In whom all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge are hidden.

Eph. 3:4

See Monday

Eph. 3:8-10

8 To me, less than the least of all saints, was

this grace given to announce to the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ as the gospel

9 And to enlighten all that they may see what the economy of the mystery is, which throughout the ages has been hidden in God, who created all things,

10 In order that now to the rulers and the authorities in the heavenlies the multifarious wisdom of God might be made known through the church,

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ(2)...Week 9, Day 4*

Friday 9/19

Col. 1:26-27

See Wednesday

Eph. 5:32

32 This mystery is great, but I speak with regard to Christ and the church.

1 Cor. 6:17

17 But he who is joined to the Lord is one spirit.

Rev. 21:2, 10-11

2 And I saw the holy city, New Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

10 And he carried me away in spirit onto a great and high mountain and showed me the holy city, Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God,

11 Having the glory of God. Her light was like a most precious stone, like a jasper stone, as clear as crystal.

Rev. 22:17

17 And the Spirit and the bride say, Come! And let him who hears say, Come! And let him who is thirsty come; let him who wills take the water of life freely.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ(2)...Week 9,*

Day 5

Saturday 9/20

1 Tim. 3:15-16

15 But if I delay, I write that you may know how one ought to conduct himself in the house of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and base of the truth.

16 And confessedly, great is the mystery of godliness: He who was manifested in the flesh, Justified in the Spirit, Seen by angels, Preached among the nations, Believed on in the world, Taken up in glory.

Eph. 1:17-19

17 That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you a spirit of wisdom and revelation in the full knowledge of Him,

18 The eyes of your heart having been enlightened, that you may know what is the hope of His calling, and what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,

19 And what is the surpassing greatness of His power toward us who believe, according to the operation of the might of His strength,

Zech. 12:1

1 The burden of the word of Jehovah concerning Israel. Thus declares Jehovah, who stretches forth the heavens and lays the foundations of the earth and forms the spirit of man within him,

Rev. 4:11

11 You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive the glory and the honor and the power, for You have created all things, and because of Your will they were, and were created.

Further Reading: *HWMR Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ(2)...Week 8, Day 6*

Lord's Day 9/21

Eph. 2:4-10

4 But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us,

5 Even when we were dead in offenses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved)

6 And raised us up together with Him and seated us together with Him in the heavenlies in Christ Jesus,

7 That He might display in the ages to come the surpassing riches of His grace in kindness toward us in Christ Jesus.

8 For by grace you have been saved through faith, and this not of yourselves; it is the gift of God;

9 Not of works that no one should boast.

10 For we are His masterpiece, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand in order that we would walk in them.

Hymn: #821

Further Reading

The Conclusion of the New Testament, msg. 337

Churchwide Truth Pursuit of Genesis

Level 1—Sequential Life-study Reading

Scripture Reading and Copying: *Gen. 25:19-34*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Gen, msg 55-56*

Level 2—Topical Study

Crucial Point: *Melchizedek*

Scripture: *Gen. 14:18-20*

Assigned Reading: *The Priesthood, ch. 5*

Supplemental Reading: *Truth Lessons, Level Three, Vol. 1, ch. 5*

Questions: *See the church website at churchinnyc.org/bible-study*