

# Pray the Bible

## Session #4: Praying the Apostle Paul's Prayers with Kevin P. Halloran

### Message Outline

#### Who Was the Apostle Paul?

1. Paul Was an Apostle
2. Paul Was a Sinner Transformed by the Gospel
3. Paul Was a Man of Prayer
4. Paul Was a Pastor
5. Paul Was a Worshipper

#### What Are Paul's Prayers?

1. Wish Prayers
2. Prayer Reports
3. Requests for Prayer
4. Benedictions

Ephesians 1:15–23

Ephesians 3:14–19

Ephesians 6:19–20

### Discussion Questions

1. Paul shares a short biographical sketch of his life in 1 Timothy 1:12–17 (verse 17 is a prayer). How does that passage shed light on why Paul was so dedicated to prayer? How does it motivate you to pray?
2. Read Ephesians 1:15–23. This prayer is to connect the Ephesians' head knowledge of glorious gospel truths with their everyday life experience. How do you need a great understanding of the hope of the gospel, the love of God, and God's power toward us? How might you pray this passage or its themes?
3. Read Philippians 1:9–11 and make it your prayer. How do you find it helpful? For what situations might it prove especially useful?
4. Read 2 Thessalonians 3:1–5 and make it your prayer. How do you find it helpful? For what situations might it prove especially useful?