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Unity In Christ

¹ Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God,

To God's holy people in Ephesus, the faithful in Christ Jesus:

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

Ephesians 1:1-2

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Ephesians 1:3-14

³ Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ. ⁴ For **he chose us in him before the creation of the world** to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love

Ephesians 1:3-4

⁷ In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace ⁸ that he lavished on us. With all wisdom and understanding,

Ephesians 1:7-8

⁹ he made known to us the mystery of his will according to his good pleasure, which he purposed in Christ, ¹⁰ to be put into effect when the times reach their fulfillment—to bring unity to all things in heaven and on earth under Christ.

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⁵ he predestined us for adoption to sonship through Jesus Christ, **in accordance with his pleasure and will**— ⁶ to the praise of his glorious grace, which **he has freely given us** in the One he loves.

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There is comfort in God's love

¹³ And you also were included in Christ when you heard the message of truth, the gospel of your salvation. When you believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit,

Ephesians 1:13-14

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¹⁴ who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession—to the praise of his glory.

Ephesians 1:13-14

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1. In what ways do you feel different from others at church?
2. How does God give you comfort?
3. Is predestination a difficult topic for you?