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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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WHAT THE CHURCH HAS IN JESUS

Ephesians 1:7-8

I. Doctrine: The Church Possesses *Full*

_____ **in Jesus**

A. –This Means we have an *Unimpeded*

_____ with God, (Heb. 4:14-16)

B. –This Means we have a _____ of *Everything* of Highest Value (from God), (Php. 4:19)

II. Three Great _____ the Church Enjoys *Because of Jesus, vv. 7-8*

A. *We Have Been* _____ from Everything that would Enslave us, v. 7a

B. *We Have Been* _____ from our Sins—which had Condemned us, v. 7b

C. *We Have Been* _____ with Amazing and Plentiful Grace, v. 8

III. How the Church is to _____ to her Remarkably Good God

A. –First, with Heartfelt and Full _____, (Eph. 1:3a)

B. –Then, by Standing in Life-Changing _____ at our Status in Christ, (Rom. 7:24-25)

Key Verse—v. 7: “In [Christ] we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of His grace . . . ”

NOTES & APPLICATIONS:

Aim: To Thrill at the glorious Graces the church Possesses—all in Jesus