## **Sermon Outline**

## **Apprehending Our Riches in Christ**

**Ephesians 1:15-23** 

- I. Introduction: The need for a clearer spiritual vision Context: Our riches in Christ (vv.3-14)
- II. Exposition: Prayer for spiritual enlightenment
  - A. Giving thanks for their faith in Christ and love for the saints (vv.15-16)
  - B. Petitioning the Father to grant them/us the Spirit of wisdom and spiritual enlightenment (v.17)
    - 1. The hope of His calling (v.18b)
    - 2. The riches of the glory of our inheritance (v.18c)
    - 3. The surpassing greatness of the power that works in us (v.19)
    - 4. The glory and majesty of Christ our Savior (vv.21-22a)
    - 5. The unique place the church occupies as the body of Christ (vv.22b-23a)
- III. Application: