

Almighty God and Heavenly Father, we thank you for the opportunity to gather in Your name, the name that is above every name. Bless us as we look to your Word for encouragement.

Ephesians 3:14-20 says, “for this reason I bow my knees before the Father whom every family heaven and on earth is named, that according to the riches of his glory he may grant you to be strengthened with power through his Spirit in your inner being,”

Thank you, Lord, that we bear Your image and that in the riches of Your glory through Your Spirit, we are given strength to live and work for You.

“So that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith—that you, being rooted and grounded in love, may have strength to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God.”

Thank you, Lord, that we can know that by faith we are rooted and grounded by Your love for us in Christ. We are thankful for being filled to Your fullness with the love of Christ.

“Now to him who is able to do far more abundantly than all that we ask or think, according to the power at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, forever and ever.”

Amen.

