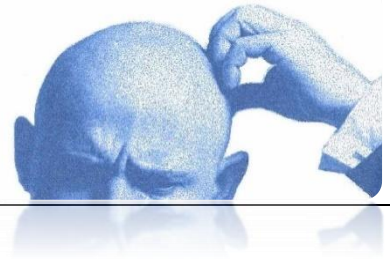


A Wilder God – Ephesians 3:14-21

Small Group Questions



The following questions are intended to start conversations.

Use only the ones your group finds helpful. Explore others as they come up.

- If you had to describe God in one minute, how would you do so?
- Read **Ephesians 14-21**. What does this text say about who God is?
- Paul prays that his readers would be able to grasp the dimensions of God's love. Can you think of a time in which this love become more real to you?
- Does God's love have any limits? What might those be?
- C. S. Lewis describes Aslan (a Christ figure in his Narnia Chronicles) as "not a tame lion." In other words, Aslan is wild. Have you ever thought of God as wild? What makes this description difficult for you to hear?
- How much do you value comfort? Has this impacted how you follow Jesus?
- How do you feel about God being knowable but beyond our full comprehension?
- Do you believe that God is able to do more than all we ask or imagine (v. 20)? What is the wildest request/need you have? How has God responded to this need?
- Read this prayer from Brendan the Navigator (an early Celtic saint). Discuss. Pray together.

Help me to journey beyond the familiar and into the unknown.

Give me the faith to leave old ways and break fresh ground with You.

Christ of the mysteries,

I trust You to be stronger than each storm within me.

I will trust in the darkness and know that my times, even now, are in Your hand.

Tune my spirit to the music of heaven,

and somehow, make my obedience count for You.