Ephesians Sermon Series GBC – Adell, WI 02/21/2021

## "Relational Fertilizer" SERMON NOTES

Ephesians 1:17-22

2 words used for "know" in vv. 17-18. What significance is this?

1. Know the \_\_\_\_\_\_ of His Calling (v. 18a)

What is hope?

We have this hope because God is IMMUTABLE (Mal 3:6; Jas 1:17) This hope is based on God's CALLING (Rom 8:28-30; Eph 1:4; 2 Tim 1:9)

What can you learn from 1 Kings 18-19?

See Eph 1:4, 13-14; 2;10; Phil 1:6; 2 Thess 2:13.

2. Know His \_\_\_\_\_\_ in the Saints (v. 18b) – see Deut 32:9

How do you define your value? What are you defining yourself with other than God? (Ecc 12:8)

What is the importance of "inheritance" for our daily living? (Eph 4:1-3)

3. Know the Incomparable Greatness of His \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 19-22)

Our weakness (Rom 7; 8:7-8) God's Power (vv. 20-22)

We see this power in...

Salvation (Rom 1:16; Col 1:13) Perseverance thru trials (Col 1:11-12; 2 Cor 12:8-10) Overcoming temptations & living holy (2 Pt 1:3-4; 1 Cor 10:13) Serving God faithfully (Col 1:29) Doing what God has called us to (Phil 4:13) Keeping us to the end (1 Pt 1:5; Jude 24-25)

PRINCIPLE on God's Power (Exod 14; 1 Kgs 14; Dan 3-4, 6) What do we often see before God's manifestations of power? \_\_\_\_\_\_& \_\_\_\_\_ What steps of faith & obedience is God calling you to?