Questions on Ephesians chapter 1

1. Through or by what was Paul an apostle? What two groups are addressed in this epistle? Verse 1.

What two things did Paul wish for the Ephesians and from whom do they come? Verse
2.

3. Who is to be praised or blessed? How many spiritual blessings are in Christ? Are there any out of Christ? Verse 3.

4. What people were chosen and when were they chosen? What two characteristics were they to have when before God? Verse 4.

5. Unto what were those in Christ predestinated or chosen? Verse 5.

6. What is the purpose or object of the adoption of children? Verse 6.

7. What is redemption and what is its relationship to the remission of sins? Verse 7.

8. What two features of God regulated his provision of grace? Verse 8.

9. Why is God's will described as a mystery? Verse 9.

10. What dispensation or age is referred to as the fullness of times? What purpose does God have in mind during this time? Verse 10.

11. According to what were those in Christ predestinated and made heirs of God? Verse 11.

12. Why were the redeemed made heirs of God in Christ? Verse 12.

13. Paul has spoken of spiritual blessings to "we" or "us" that have now been granted to "ye" also? Who are the "we" and "ye"? What two acts were performed before "ye" were sealed with the Holy Spirit of promise? Verse 13.

14. What is an earnest and how does the Holy Spirit serve in this way? What is the redemption referred to in this verse? Verse 14.

15. What two things had Paul heard about the Ephesians? Verse 15.

16. What did Paul do after he heard of the Ephesians' faith and attitude toward all the saints? Verse 16.

17. What does Paul pray that God will give the Ephesians? How do we obtain knowledge? Verse 17.

18. What needs to be enlightened? Verse 18.

19. What are the three things Paul prayed that we might know? Verses 18-19.

20. What four things did God's power do for Christ? Verses 20-23.

21. What is the principality, power, might, and dominion over which Christ was set?

22. What is the body of Christ?

23. Who is the head of the church and over what things is he the head?

24. Since the church is the fullness of Christ, why doesn't that give it the authority of Christ on earth?