Outline for August 14, 2022

 **PRAYING AN AUTHENTIC PRAYER**

 Colossians 1:9-14

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**BIG IDEA: Prayer is the starting point for getting our directions from God!**

 **PAUL’S INTENTIONAL PRAYING…**

1. He prays \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (1:3)

 2. He prays \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (1:3)

 3. He prays \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (1:9)

 **INCREDIBLE RESULTS OF PRAYING AN AUTHENTIC PRAYER…**

**I. A LIFE OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Colossians 1:10**

 A. Purposeful \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 B. Purposeful \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 C. Purposeful \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**II. A LIFE OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Colossians 1:11**

A. Endurance in relation to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 B. Patience in relation to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**III. A LIFE OF \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Colossians 1:12**

 A. Reasons to praise the Father.

 1. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_us to share in His inheritance. (1:12)

 2. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_us from the domain of darkness. (1:13)

 3. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_us into the Kingdom of the Son He loves. (1:13)

 B. Reasons to praise the Son.

 1. He provides \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (1:14)

 2. He provides \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (1:14)

**LIVING IT OUT…**

* *Prayer works, but we do not \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_at prayer!*
* *Prayer declares our \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_on God alone!*