**Thinking, Prayer and Action Summer 2021**

**Adopted As God’s Children Ephesians 1:3-14**

**<https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Ephesians%201:3-14&version=NLT>**

**Questions**

1. How does being ‘united with Christ’ and ‘adopted into God’s family’ make you feel?
2. What do you think are the hallmarks or characteristics of members of God’s family?
3. What spiritual blessings do you think you have received? What have you done with them?
4. Verses 9-11 talk about the plan of God and that everything will be brought under the authority of Jesus. What difference do you think it can mean to Christians to have Jesus as our leader?
5. Verse 14 tells us that we have a guarantee, the Spirit, and that we have been purchased by God so that we will glorify Him. How can we do that?

**Something To Do This Week**

Thinking about how you answered questions 4 and 5 particularly, how can you put your answers into practice this week, so that this is more than just theory? It will probably be different for each of us individually, but perhaps there are things we can do together in small groups or as a whole Church. If you have any ideas, do let the Church know.