**Ephesians—We Are Made for a Purpose**

**Ephesians 3**

1. **What do you think most people believe the purpose of their life is?***Answers vary.*
2. **God says that our purpose, like the apostle Paul’s purpose, is to give God glory by being Christ’s servant. What joy can we get from being a servant?***Tons of joy! Remember who we are serving! We are serving Christ, who loves us more than anyone else could. Christ is the best “master” anyone could ask for. It’s true that serving Christ is a ‘get to’, and not a ‘have to’.*
3. **As Christ’s servant, God asks you to communicate to people three things:**
* **Jesus saved all people from their sins. No one is excluded.**
* **Through faith in Jesus, we can approach God with freedom and confidence. We don’t have to live in guilt or fear!**
* **Because of Jesus, every person has a deep purpose to reveal his love to others. We affect people’s eternity!**

**Which of these three are you most excited to tell someone in your life?***Answers will vary.*

1. **Part of our purpose is to pray that people in our lives become fully developed followers of Christ. Who do you want to pray for? Think of someone who you’d like to grow closer to Jesus.**
2. **What challenges or obstacles do you personally face in living out your purpose?***It’s so easy to let other things in life become our main purpose. We may find out that we lose excitement to tell people about Jesus. We are timid or afraid of telling people about Jesus or feel we aren’t smart enough or don’t know enough.*
3. **Read Ephesians 3:20-21 (last verses on your notes). What comfort do these passages give you in living out your life’s purpose?***We are not on our own as we live out our life’s purpose. Christ give us his power! He is able to do more than we can ask or imagine!*