"Building a New You: #Mysterious"

Ephesians 3:1-13 Pastor Jim Oakley – March 31, 2019

We are stewards of the greatest mystery ever revealed, charged with sharing it whatever the cost.

1) THE MYSTERY REVEALED (v. 1-6)

2) THE MYSTERY SHARED (v. 7-12)

3) OUTCOME OF THE MYSTERY (v. 13)

Discussion Questions

ICEBREAKER: Are you good at keeping a secret or is it a struggle for you? Why?

- 1) Describe Paul's present state according to verses 1 and 13.
- 2) How did God reveal the mystery to Paul? (See also Acts 9.)
- 3) Identify and describe the mystery Paul is talking about.
- 4) How was the mystery revealed?
- 5) How is the mystery of redemption still a mystery in our world today?
- 6) What was Paul's responsibility regarding the mystery according to verses 7-9?
- 7) How does the church reveal the mystery today?
- 8) Who is the audience in verse 10?
- 9) How can your understanding of this mystery change your approach towards God?
- 10) What hope for his readers does Paul express in verse 13?
- 11) How does this passage challenge or encourage you?
- 12) How can we pray for you this week?