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Ephesians 1:19-23

Three Reminders for the Church...

- We comprise the _____ of Christ.
 - If the church is a building, then we are _____.
 - If the church is an institution, then we are _____.
 - If the church is a body, then we are _____.

- We possess the _____ of Christ.
 - Christ has all _____.
 - The church has the _____ of Christ.
 - _____ the authority of Christ in _____
the universe belongs to the church!

- We display the _____ of Christ.
 - Christ is continually _____ Himself to
the nations through His fullness in the church.
 - God says, “Look at the church and you will see my _____.”
 - It is an infinitely important _____ and
_____ to be a member of the body of Christ.

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How can we best display the glory of Christ to the world?



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 - If the church is a body, then we are _____ a community _____.

- We possess the _____ authority _____ of Christ.
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