**3 Activities of Blessing**

1. **Cause of (reason for) blessing**
2. **Nature of the blessing itself**
3. **Result of (response to) blessing**

**5 Categories of Blessing**

1. **Inheritance**
2. **Abundance**
3. **Government**
4. **Relationship of man with God**
5. **Relationship of man with man**
6. **Inheritance**
7. **Man’s inheritance, possession Y Y Y**
	* God as man’s inheritance Y
8. **God’s** inheritance, **His possession, Y Y Y**

 **His chosen, His called, His sealed**

1. Birthright Y **ʎ**
2. Fruitfulness, multiply, multitude, Y Y

many sons

1. **Son(s), sonship, adoption Y Y Y**
2. A continuous, sure house Y
	* David’s covenant Y Y
3. **God’s redemption Y Y Y**
4. Kinsman, **redemption (blood) Y Y Y**
5. The Land (of the covenant) Y Y
	* all these lands
	* the land God gave Abraham
	* the land God gave Israel
	* the land God swore to the fathers
	* the land of desire
	* land of delight
	* fruitful land
	* in the midst of the land
	* in the midst of Jerusalem
	* as Eden … as the garden of God
	* broad places
	* valleys stretching out
	* as far as the boundary of the

 age-abiding hills

1. The whole earth Y
	* Yahweh far above all the earth Y
	* new earth Y Y
	* the earthlies (*ta epigeia* - Jn.3:12; 1 Co.15:40; Ph.3:19) Y **ʎ**
	* **the things upon (regarding) the earth** **Y**

 (*ta epi tēs gēs* - Eph.1:10; Col.1:20; 3:2, 5)

1. The Deep (Abyss) Y Y
	* stretching out below Y
	* covering the earth (like a garment) Y
* its border set Y
* **the lower parts of the earth Y**
* **under-earthlies Y**
1. **Heavens Y Y Y**
	* heavens above the height Y
	* higher than the heavens Y
	* excellence of the heavens Y
	* His roof-chambers Y
	* He stretches out the heavens

 (like a curtain) Y

* + the windows of the heavens Y
	+ the clouds are His chariot **Y**
* new heavens Y Y
* **the things above Y Y Y**
1. **‘In the Heavenlies’ Y**
* **the things upon (regarding) the heavens Y**
* **in the Holies (heavenly Sanctuary) Y Y Y**
* **far above all the heavens Y**
* **the breadth & length & height & depth** **Y**
1. **God’s promises** **Y Y Y**/**ʎ**
2. **Abundance**
	1. Increase, riches: Y Y

 sowing, harvest, flocks, herds, silver,

 gold, servants, grain, bread, wine, oil,

 milk & honey, clothing, storehouses,

 His good treasure, God’s planting,

 pouring out

* eating you will eat
* all that he had
* all that you do
* all that the hand is put to
* all the work of the hand
* freewill offering of the hand
* in his coming in and going out
* spiritual abundance Y Y
	+ partakers of holy spirit Y
	+ **untraceable wealth Y**
	1. Fill, fullness, overflow
		+ physical Y Y
		+ spiritual Y Y
* full assurance Y Y
* **fullness of Israel, of nations, of Law Y**
* the fullness of the time Y
* the season has been (ful-)filled Y
	+ - **the fullness of the seasons Y**
		- **the fullness of the One filling the Y**

 **all things in all**

* **you may be filled unto all the Y**

 **fullness of God**

* 1. God’s lending Y
	2. Lend, lend to many nations Y
	3. **God’s gifts Y Y Y**
	4. **Give to needy, helpless, widow/orphan Y Y Y**

 often related to man’s judgment

* 1. **Sufficiency, satisfy (man, Y Y Y**

 **creation)**

* 1. Rain, water, springs, dew Y Y/**ʎ**
		+ springs of water
		+ rain in its seasons
		+ gardens by a riverside
		+ cedars beside waters
		+ poplars beside streams of waters
		+ Israel’s seed in many waters
		+ root opening unto waters
		+ occasionally metaphorical
	2. **Life (body)**, health/healing, revival Y Y **ʎ**
		+ resurrection, renewal Y Y
1. **Government**
	1. **God as Creator Y Y Y**
	2. God’s day Y Y
* **day of Christ Y**
	1. **God ordains seasons Y Y** **Y**
	2. God’s shepherding Y Y
	3. **Man’s shepherding (pastoring) Y Y Y**
	4. **God’s kingdom, reign, sovereignty Y Y Y**
	5. **God’s name, remembrance Y Y Y**
	6. **Man’s name, remembrance Y Y Y**
		+ **every name named (men & angels) Y**
	7. **God’s greatness, awesomeness Y Y Y**
	8. Man’s greatness Y Y
	9. **Man’s dominion Y Y Y**
	10. **Exalted king, kingdom Y Y Y**
* **reign over many nations Y Y Y**
* **Headship: over all principality and Y**

 **authority - over all things to the church**

* 1. **Kings, princes, headship Y Y Y**
	2. **God’s anointed, sent one Y Y Y**
	3. **God’s nation(s), people, family Y Y Y**
	4. God’s capital
* Jerusalem, Zion Y Y
* His earthly throne Y
	+ - His earthly resting place Y
		- Jerusalem created rejoicing Y Y
		- New Jerusalem Y
		- His heavenly throne Y Y
	1. Great nation, great people, Y

 high above all peoples

* 1. Great name (for His people) Y
	2. **Nations, peoples, all families Y Y Y**

 **of the earth/of peoples**

* 1. God above all nations Y
	2. **God’s strength extolled Y Y Y**
	3. **God’s strengthening, support Y Y Y**
	4. **Man’s strength, be strong, Y Y Y**

 **prevail, succeed**

* 1. **His people spoil, subdue (enemies) Y Y** **Y**
	2. Trample “high places” of enemies Y
	3. **Deliverance from enemies, evil, Y Y Y/ ʎ**

injustice, shame, reproach, **affliction**

* 1. **God’s security, shelter, salvation, Y Y Y**

 **help, comfort,** restoration

* 1. Restoration of country, cities Y Y
	2. Angels His fiery ministers Y Y
	3. **God fighting for His people Y Y Y**
	4. Nations aiding His people Y Y
	5. **Fighting for God Y Y Y**
	6. Be served (by others) Y
	7. **Love, serve, cling to God Y Y Y**
	8. **God’s peace Y Y Y**
	9. **Man’s peace Y Y Y**
	10. **God’s powers,** wonders, signs, **Y Y Y**

 fearful deeds

* 1. Man’s signs, wonders Y Y
1. **Relationship of man with God**
2. **God’s spirit active Y Y Y**
	* + **the unity of the Spirit Y**
3. **God’s glory, honor, majesty, Y Y Y**

 shekinah

* His glory is the glory of His people Y Y
1. Man’s glory Y Y
2. Angelic glory Y
3. God’s beauty Y
4. **God’s favor, grace, kindness, Y Y Y**

 **compassion, attention, love,**

 **esteem, desire**, jealousy

1. **Man’s compassion, kindness, Y Y Y**

 **love, favor, hospitality, recognition**

1. **God’s holiness Y Y Y**
2. **Sanctified (by God) Y Y Y**
3. **Consecrate self**, assembly **Y Y Y**
4. **Worship, fear God Y Y Y**
5. Obeisance (to man) Y
6. No fear of man, of beast Y Y
7. **Know God Y Y Y**
8. **Thank God Y Y Y**
9. Keep covenant Y Y/**ʎ** **ʎ**
	* + God keeps
		+ man keeps
10. **Meet with God Y Y Y**
	* + **access, nearness**
		+ **holy assembly**
		+ **fellowship, brotherhood**
11. Seek, wait for God Y Y
	* + recognition of the Son of God Y Y
12. Turn back to, appease God Y Y
13. God seeks man Y
14. **God’s house Y Y/ʎ Y**
15. God with/for His people Y Y
	* **Christ among you (collectively) Y**
16. God with nations Y
17. **Gifts, sacrifices to God Y Y/ʎ Y**
	* + **God’s sacrifice for men Y Y Y**
18. Gifts, tribute from nations Y Y
19. Levi’s priesthood, prayer, Y Y/**ʎ**

 covenant, mediation

* **man’s prayer, ministry Y Y Y**
* Melchisedek’s **high priesthood** Y Y/**ʎ**
1. **God hears, answers Y Y Y**
2. God’s Law – statutes, Y Y **ʎ**

 testimonies, **commandments**,

 precepts, paths, **feasts**

1. **God’s word, voice, revelation Y Y Y**
	* + **baptism (“the washing of the water”) Y**

 **by the word**

* + - **the unity of the faith Y**
1. **God’s prophets Y Y Y**
2. **God’s light Y Y Y**
3. Learn, desire for, love of, Y **Y**

 delight in, meditate on,

 keep, obey, teach the Law

* **learn Christ Y**
1. **Man hears God Y Y Y**
2. At rest, **sabbath** Y Y **ʎ**
3. Intermarriage forbidden Y Y
4. **God’s uprightness Y Y Y**
5. **Man’s righteousness, Y Y Y**

 **uprightness, integrity**

1. **Man’s meekness, humility Y Y Y**
2. **Man’s discretion, wisdom, Y Y Y**

 **purpose,** **justice**

* + - **rebuke the wicked**
		- break the oppressor
		- **tutored by God**
1. **God’s justice, judgments, Y Y Y**

 **purpose, wisdom, secrets**

* **sinners destroyed Y Y Y**/**ʎ**
	+ - scornful scorned Y
		- calamity for the unjust Y Y
1. **God’s forgiveness, forbearance, Y Y Y**

 **cleansing**

1. **God’s discipline Y Y Y**
	* + **mature, perfect man Y Y Y**
2. **God’s exalted, exclusive nature Y Y Y**
3. **Exalt, lift up, praise God Y Y Y**
	* + **sing, make music to Him, Y Y Y**

 shout, give a ringing cry

* dance before God Y
* **spiritual songs of praise Y**
1. **God lifting up man Y Y Y**
2. **Man’s trust of, hope in God Y Y Y/ʎ**
3. **God’s rewards, recompenses Y Y Y**
4. **God’s faithfulness, truth Y Y Y**
	* + **truth in Jesus Y**
5. **Man’s faithfulness, truth Y Y Y**
6. **Goodness, good, do good Y Y Y**
	* + even to enemies Y Y
7. **Man’s joy, gladness, happiness, Y Y Y**

 **delight**, laughing

1. **God’s joy, happiness Y Y Y**
2. Creation’s joy Y Y
3. **Relationship of man with man**
	1. Greet, salute, congratulate Y
	2. Gift, tribute (to man) Y Y
	3. Generosity Y
	4. Praise of men Y
	5. Remembrance among men Y
	6. Wicked, hypocritical Y Y
4. **Opposites**
5. Curse, revile Y Y