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Sacrifices That Please God! (Hebrews 13:15-16)

November 15, 2026

Sermon Summary: What can Christians offer God in light of what He's done for them through Christ? We can offer the sacrifices of our lips and lives!

Read Hebrews 13:15-16 and discuss these questions (Bolded questions are kid-friendly):

1. **What is one thing that stood out to you from this Bible passage or sermon, and why?**

2. **Verse 15 calls Christians to continually offer the sacrifice of our lips (verbal praise of God). In your experience, when is it easy to praise God? When is it hard? Why do you think it is important to make praising God a regular part of your life?**

3. For Christians, praising God with our lips isn't generic but Christ-professing ("acknowledge his name") (v. 15). What's the difference between generic praise and praise that openly professes Christ's name? How have people in your life heard you openly profess Christ? How would you like them to hear you?

4. Verse 16 calls Christians to sacrifice with their lives by doing good and sharing what they have, especially with other Christians. Why does the author begin with "do not neglect"? According to Hebrews 13:1-14, what are some ways Christians can do good to one another?

5. **In addition to doing good, Christians also sacrifice with their lives by sharing what they have (v. 16). "Sharing" comes from the word "fellowship" (Greek: *koinonia*). Why is sharing what we have important in Christian fellowship? How have you seen people in our church family share with others and do good for them? What's one way you would praise God with your words or serve others with your actions this week?**

Pray with one another. Spend time praying for one another, our community, and our world.