



the **lake** church

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**THANKSGIVING:
MORE THAN JUST A FAMILIAR BIBLE VERSE**

HOW WE ARE BLESSED BY BEING THANKFUL TO HIM:

- 1. THANKFULNESS GLORIFIES GOD**
2 Corinthians 4:15
- 2. THANKFULNESS HELPS US SEE GOD**
Colossians 3:15
- 3. THANKFULNESS PUTS US SQUARELY IN GOD'S WILL**
1 Thessalonians 5:18/Matthew 5:44-45
- 4. THANKFULNESS BRINGS PEACE**
Philippians 4:4-8
- 5. THANKFULNESS DRAWS US TO GOD**
Luke 17:17-19
- 6. THANKFULNESS BRINGS CONTENTMENT**
1 Timothy 6:6-8
- 7. THANKFULNESS DEEPENS FAITH**
Psalm 136:1
- 8. THANKFULNESS LEADS TO JOY**

Psalm 126:1-3

9. THANKFULNESS DEFIES SATAN'S LIES

Psalm 84:11/1 Peter 5:8

10. THANKFULNESS GUARDS AGAINST ENVY

Psalm 138:1-4

11. THANKFULNESS HELPS US LIVE NOW

Ecclesiastes 7:10/Psalm 118:24

12. THANKFULNESS IS A TESTIMONY TO OTHERS

Psalm 105:1

In a Nutshell: Just reading or quoting Psalm 100:4 – *“Enter into His gates with THANKSGIVING and into His courts with praise”* – or another thanksgiving verse is good... but it's NOT the same as GIVING our Lord the PRAISE and THANKS He deserves. We need to DO! (James 1:22 – ***Be doers of the Word and not hearers only.***)