

SERMON NOTES

Sermon: **Be Thankful For Everything**

Colossians 4:2 – 6

Thesis: Thankfulness Lifts Spirits.

I. We Never Run Out Of Things To Be Thankful For.

- A. God never stops blessing.
- B. Giving thanks is like a celebration.

II. The Idea Of Giving Thanks Is A Command.

- A. This isn't a suggestion.
- B. And it's good for us to do.

III. Giving Thanks Carries A Lot Of Weight.

- A. It carries a lot of weight with God.
- B. It carries a lot of weight with others as well.

Conclusion: You want a really good reason to be thankful. Just take a trip with me back in time to the garden. There you will find that a moment of ingratitude caused a fall from grace. Our original parents had millions of reasons to be and express thankfulness. But the serpent appealed to Eve and whispered words leading to one thought. That thought was "Don't you want more?" Don't let those words drive you from God's richest blessings. Obey His command and be thankful. Be thankful to God and those He brings in your life to bless. Do it moment by moment and day after day. Just thank Him for everything!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

In order to comply & follow the Covid-19 protocol of social distancing for large gatherings, we will be enforcing the seating of every other pew. This is especially important for the expected larger crowds for the upcoming holiday events. We ask that everyone adhere and follow this policy – we want to keep everyone as safe as possible.

The Board is currently accepting nominations for elder and deacon for the upcoming year. These can be submitted to an elder or Bro John.

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Serving Schedules:

Opening 11/29: Johnny Pinner **Prayer Request 11/29:** Jorge Bocanegra

Communion Meditation 11/29: Eugene Hyde

Unlock & secure the church building for:

November: Greg Spain

December: NEED VOLUNTEER

Communion Table: November: Greg Spain & Dan Black

December: Johnny Pinner & Bill Staton

Servers: November: Steve Scott, A.J. Stancill, Tom LaBarbera, Jorge Bocanegra

December: Hunter Scott, Mark Scott, Tommy Moore, Buddy Teel

Sound System: Dewayne Woolard/Becky Ormond/Ian Garriss

Preparing Communion:

***Home Communion (call if you need)**

November: Donna Spain

November: Tom LaBarbera (944-1547)

December: Becky Ormond

December: Greg Spain (341-1824)



Minister: John K. Ormond

Associate/Youth Minister: Dewayne Woolard

Music Director/Pianist: Jewell Whitehurst

Organist: Mary Coburn

You can also join us Sunday Morning, via Facebook Live, at 10:30 am for service.

Ways to connect:

Church website. - <https://mtplesantchurchnc.org/join-us-live-on-facebook/>

Facebook - <https://m.facebook.com/Mt-Pleasant-Christian-Church-278082645537332/>

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship *"I Will Bless Thee, O Lord"* Choir

WELCOME Eugene Hyde

*PRAISE & WORSHIP

"We Gather Together" (v 1) 546

"Thank You, Lord!" (For All That You've Done) Screen

Interlude Tomora Woolard

"I Worship You, Almighty God" Screen

Communion Meditation Tom LaBarbera

Communion Hymn

"O, How He Loves You & Me" (v 1 & 2) Screen

Communion

(if you wish to partake of the Lord's Supper, please hold emblems & take in unison)

Please place your offering in the plates provided as you exit the building after the service

Prayer Requests Greg Spain

Musical Offering *"I'm Thankful"* Choir

Morning Message *Colossians 4:2 – 6* John Ormond

"Be Thankful For Everything"

Hymn of Decision

"Take My Life & Let It Be" (v 1, 5 & 6) Screen

*Closing Prayer

***Closing Hymn** *"May Your Presence Go With Us"* Screen

Depart to Serve

**Please Stand*

PRAYER CONCERNS

- 1 David Tucker – recovering from surgery
- 2 Lucille Mayo – fluid retention issues; very weak
- 3 Matt Davis – brain cancer surgery 11/12
- 4 Ralph Yeager – strokes
- 5 Helen Yeager – possibly returning home this week
- 6 Rosa Johnson – kidney failure/ICU
- 7 Katie McKinney – stroke
- 8 Shirley Harrell – recovering from surgery
- 9 Jim Pillett – pneumonia
- 10 Bobby Bright – heart complications
- 11 Marie Bright - asthma
- 12 Brandy Duke – cancer has returned
- 13 Robby Stallings – cancer in kidney returned
- 14 Kourtney Stallings
- 15 Glen Pinkham – discharged – possible seizure
- 16 Erin Askew – back issues, surgery
- 17 Clara Jenkins – recovering from foot surgery
- 18 Carlos Lopez – broke back from car accident
- 19 Jennie Bright Singleton – brain tumor – starting steroids
- 20 Mandy Heck – upcoming body scan
- 21 Shelby Rogister – stroke - rehab
- 22 Doug Parker –shingles
- 23 Grant Parker – stroke
- 24 Buddy Teel – reduced pain
- 25 Kim Moulden – in hospital – getting more chemo, till dealing with blood clots
- 26 Russell Tyson – prostate cancer, surgery scheduled for 12/2
- 27 Mike Manning – stomach cancer
- 28 Lisa Manning – bone cancer (just recovering from breast cancer)
- 29 Sandy McLawhorn – surgery due to diverticulitis
- 30 James Hudson – cancer
- 31 Frankie Spain – rebuilding stamina/strength; last surgery scheduled for 12/03
- 32 David Lord – lymphoma
- 33 Richie Walls – now on dialysis
- 34 Billy Clifton – health issues
- 35 Henry Wallace – slow recovery - injuries from car accident
- 36 Donna Simmons – recovering; declared legally blind
- 37 Carol Johnson – lung cancer
- 38 Nicholas Conger – recovering at home – still needs prayers
- 39 Osborne Clark – recovering from kidney cancer surgery

PRAYER CONCERNS cont'd

- 40 Fred Daniels – fused vertebrae in back
- 41 Ellis Powell – ovarian cancer returned
- 42 Mike Rees – cancer surgery/readmitted for serious infection
- 43 Tony Sexton – had a colostomy – in much pain
- 44 Michelle Little – recovering from stroke
- 45 Greg Davis – brain tumor
- 46 Kenneth Mixson – stage 3 esophageal cancer
- 47 Diane Asby – stomach cancer
- 48 Jerri Nethercutt – brain tumor
- 49 Carl Bazemore - stage 3 cancer
- 50 Donna Cutler – stage 3 cancer – Duke
- 51 Valerie Valentino - cancer – lymphoma

UPDATES & ADDITIONS

LOVE & SUPPORT

Jayne Mayhew	Carrie Elmore	Myrna Rogerson
Guy Smith	Scott O'Neal	Andy McKinney
Dawn Johnson	Connie Herring	Nancy Smith
Sarah Glasgow	Ethel Grady	Glynn Bright
Savanna Grace Bailey	Tina Nobles	LB Garris
Linwood Adams		

On-Going Prayers For

Our Church Leaders	Our Church Family	Our Youth Ministry
Our Music Ministry	Our Country	Our Military Forces

PRAYER
changes things