

November 18th, 2018 Message Discussion Questions

1. Open with prayer – that God would be very present in your time together today.

2. Before you really dig in, if you were here Sunday – review the sermon content.

- What was the point of the text?
- How did God’s Word challenge you to live this differently this week?

3. This week is THANKSGIVING! As a group today you’ll have a chance to dive into some of what God’s Word says about the importance and aim of giving thanks.

- First though, go around and share a favorite thanksgiving tradition.

Then, as a group, read Colossians 3.15-17

- Read it again, to really get the “lay of the land” in terms of what Paul is saying here.

4. Identify all the ways “thankfulness” is mentioned in these verses.

- For each mention of it, identify:
 - How its used,
 - What it means,
 - And what it would look like to apply to your life in that way.

5. Application:

- What’s one way you could incorporate an aspect of thankfulness from these verses into your Thanksgiving plans this week?

6. Pray together before you go.

- (Surprise surprise) Spend an extended amount of time thanking God for as many things as you can think of as a group.
- Pray for the needs of one another if time allows afterwards.