

## Teaching: “Give Thanks & Praise”

### **It's all about Him**

- ♦ We are, created in His image & His workmanship:  
Genesis 1:27, & Ephesians 2:10

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- ♦ God loves us, His love is unchangeable & unconditional  
John 3:16, 15:13, Romans 5:8

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- ♦ Jesus born of God, life giving Spirit of Grace & Truth  
Isaiah 9:6, 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 15:45, John 1:14

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- ♦ We have a place prepared for us by the Father  
John 14:2-3

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- ♦ He will cleanse and sanctify us by His Word  
Ephesians 5:26

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We were made to be in fellowship with Him.

**GIVE HIM THANKS AND PRAISE**  
whether you feel like it or not,  
that is how the kingdom works

Reasons to give thanks and praise, when you don't feel like doing so.

- Praise Him because, our names are written in the book of life. [Luke 10:20](#).
- Praise Him because, He goes with us through our troubles. [Hebrews 13:5](#).  
Praise Him because, His Word is unchangeable [Hebrews 13:8](#).
- Praise Him because, God is for us and not against us, [Romans 8:31](#).
- Praise Him because, the peace that He gives us is “perfect peace. [John 14:27](#).
- Praise Him because, we can rest in Him. [Hebrews 4:11](#).
- Praise Him because, He has good thoughts towards us. [Jeremiah 29:11](#).
- Last of all, we can praise Him because, this life is temporal. [Ecclesiastes 3:1](#).