

Hope Rises: Thanksgiving

Ps. 100

- I. Some questions for you!
 - a. What does thanksgiving sound like?
 - i. The sounds at your house Thursday.
 - ii. Psalm 100:1.
 - iii. Psalm 9:11.
 - iv. Psalm 150.
 - b. What does thanksgiving look like?
 - i. Ps. 100:2.
 - ii. It reflects the joy of salvation. Ps. 40:1-3.
 - iii. It reflects the joy of knowing Jesus. Matt. 1:20-21.
 - c. How do we come before him with a heart of thanksgiving?
 - i. Ps. 100:4.
 - ii. Even in the pit! Acts 16:25.
 - iii. Our song of pardon! Eph. 2:4-5.
- II. Some important answers.
 - a. God is in control.
 - i. Ps. 100:3.
 - ii. In control of our circumstance.
 - iii. In control of our salvation.
 - b. We are his sheep.
 - i. Ps. 100:3.
 - ii. John 1:12.
 - iii. John 3:16.
 - c. God is Good!
 - i. Ps. 100:5.
 - ii. We celebrate God's:
 - 1. Steadfast love.
 - 2. Faithfulness.

Conclusion

Do we realize how much we have been blessed!

COUNTRY CLUB ROAD
CHURCH of CHRIST

700 W. Country Club Road
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Sunday Worship (10:00 a.m.)

Sunday Bible Study (9:00 a.m.)

Wednesday Bible Study (6:30)

Life Groups (Various Locations)

Minister:

Doug Austin

Elders:

Tim Dunnahoo - Lee Rogers

Kent Taylor - David West

Elder Chairman of the Month:

David West

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Song Leader: Kent Taylor

Song: 546 – O How I Love Jesus (vs. 1 & 2)

Welcome: Brandon Cometti

Songs: 481 – Is It for Me?

534 – I Will Sing the Wondrous Story – vs. 1, 2 & 5

535 – The Glory-Land Way

Communion Song: 358 – When My Love to Christ Grows Weak

Communion Offering: Jesse McCarty

Dismissal for Kid's Church

Song: 384 – The Lily of the Valley

Sermon: Doug Austin – “Hope Rises: Thanksgiving”

Invitation Song: 856 – There's a Fountain Free (vs. 1 & 4)

Closing Song: 723 – Zion's Call (vs. 1)

Closing Prayer: Robert Leyva

Sunday Morning Bible study (9:00 a.m.)

The Period Between the Testaments – Jon Young (Rm. 27)

How We Got the Bible – Jesse McCarty (Small Fellowship)

Philippians – Doug Austin (Couch Room)

Revelation (Spanish Class) – Mynor Vasquez (Rm. 15)

Jr. High/High School – Thomas Beard (Teen Room – Rm. 26)

JL 4th – 6th grade – JL History Room

JL 1st – 3rd grade – JL Bible Room

4's, 5's & Kinder – Amy Joy (Rm. 12)

2's & 3's – Rachel & Mattie McCarty (Rm. 3)

Nursery up through age 2 – Various teachers (Rm. 1)

Life Group meeting times & locations:

Warboys Life Group meets @ 4 in Room 25

Morrow Life Group meets @ 4 in the couch room

Austin Life Group meets @ 5 at 3313 Highland



Visitors, please scan the QR code to let us know you're worshipping with us today. We pray our time together is a blessing to you!

Prayer Requests

- **Rogert Gomez** was unable to have knee surgery again. It's been determined he will need three doctors to assist with the knee replacement which has been rescheduled for December 5th.
- **Joseph Holmes** is seeing a specialist today regarding whether he will need hip replacement for an injury he recently sustained.

Continue in Prayer

Anita Zuniga, Clara O'Neil, Sam Gentry, Cheryl Ringheimer, Helen Aston, Elaine Bell, Kathleen Sherman, Chris & Glenna Bertola, Betty Vinson, Rachel McCarty, Janice Bennett, Doris Rodriguez, Gale & Bill Wright, Alice Ray & Anna Lynn

Life@CCR

- **Our last Recharge of the year was a dandy! Special thanks to Nici Austin for making another tasty meal. Look forward to our Recharge meals resuming on 1/8.**
- Our condolences are extended to the family of **Helen Aston**, who passed away in Carlsbad on November 15th. Services are pending at this time.
- **This Sunday we will have family craft activity kits available on the foyer table for those families who are interested!** The kit includes a few fun things to help make your time meaningful and intentional this Thanksgiving. Please help yourself!
- **The church office will close at noon on Wednesday, 11/27 and will remain closed throughout the remainder of the week!**
- **Our Wednesday evening activities have been cancelled on Thanksgiving Eve, 11/27.** This Thanksgiving may your home be filled with peace as we give thanks to the Lord.
- **We were delighted to pass out 41 beds along with bedding on Wednesday to local flood victims.** Unfortunately, we ran out of bedframes but expect an additional shipment to arrive early next week for our second round of distributions!
- **Congratulations to Olga Mary Vasquez who is traveling to El Paso, TX for a ceremony where she will receive her U.S. citizenship! Ricardo & Mynor will also be joining her for this milestone event on Friday!**

Those Scheduled to Serve for November

Deacons on Duty: Greg Nibert, George Escalante, Joe Sanchez, Bryce Taylor
Men on Duty: Ron Doyle, Ronnie Merritt, Jerry Ringheimer

Week @ a Glance
Celebrations & Happenings

24th	A.M. worship @ 10 a.m., also available on 106.5 FM, Facebook Live & YouTube.
27th	Church office closes @ noon. No Wednesday evening activities.
28th	Happy Thanksgiving!
29th	Church office closed.

Life Groups Study Guide –

Text: Psalm 100

1. For what are you the most thankful?
2. What motivates you the most to praise and thank God?
3. What reasons does the Psalmist give for praising God?
4. Thanksgiving here seems to be a public communal event. Why would this be an important thing for Israel? Should the church imitate this example?
5. Try to define the term “steadfast love.” What are the implications of God’s steadfast love?
6. How are we like sheep? Can this ever be a good thing?

For the Record

Sunday/Wednesday Bible Class.....	103/---
Sunday AM.....	216
Kid’s Church.....	38
Social Media Count.....	878
Weekly Contribution.....	\$5,563

A Thanksgiving Prayer

Oh, God, when I have food
 help me to remember the hungry;
 When I have work, help me
 to remember the jobless;

When I have a warm home,
 help me to remember the homeless;

When I am without pain,
 help me to remember those who suffer;

And remembering, help me
 to destroy my complacency
 and bestir my compassion.

Make me concerned enough
 to help, by word and deed,
 those who cry out
 for what we take for granted.

-Samuel. F. Pugh