



Sermon Discussion Guide
Week of 11/26/2017

➤ ***Icebreaker***

How was your holiday?

➤ ***Announcements***

We have posted a video on You Tube of our Congregational Meeting. The link was found in your Sunday program.

On December 3 we will be taking a offering for our Facility Expansion Project. If you would like to give to this project in 2017- for tax purposes etc.- you can give at this time or any Sunday through the end of the year.

You're invited to get involved in loving and serving others this holiday season. This year at LifePoint you can help others in three more great ways- Angel Tree... Paxton Home... KidzLife Toy Drive. See our Sunday morning program for more details.

➤ ***Prayer Time***

➤ ***Discussion Questions***

What testimony from Sunday impacted you the most?

What are you thankful for today?

Why is it that thankfulness, gratitude, and a positive attitude are so often rare in our culture today? What are some factors that create discontent, dissatisfaction, and a negative climate?

Open a concordance and do a word search for "thanks." What does the Scripture say about giving thanks? What are some of the things that should make us thankful?

What do the following verses tell us about the importance of disciplining our thoughts, words, and attitudes? What kinds of thoughts and words should be a regular and predominant part of our lives?
Philippians 2:14-16; Philippians 4:4-9.

How did Paul's mindset enable Him to handle his hard circumstances so well- see Philippians 4:10-13.

Why is it important to not only think good thoughts about someone but to express those thoughts? Why are we so stingy sometimes with our affirmations of others?

> ***Conversational Prayer: Dear God help me...***