**THANKSGIVING QUESTIONS 2023**

(Please consider asking a friend or family member to prepare these same questions. Agree on a time/date to meet. Spend time together sharing some of your answers.)

**Day One:**

1. Please list 3 past blessings, then 3 present blessings, and then three future blessings. Will you take the time to thank the Lord for these?

PAST BLESSINGS:

PRESENT BLESSINGS:

FUTURE BLESSINGS:

1. From the following references, write down names and phrases about Jesus and then tell what it means to you personally.
   1. John 1:1-2
   2. John 1:3
   3. John 1:14
   4. John 1:29
   5. John 3:16
   6. John 4:42
   7. John 6:35
   8. John 15:1

Will you bow and pray now…praising the Lord Jesus for Who He is and What He is like?

**Day Two:**

1. What do you learn about worship from:
   1. Psalm 50:23
   2. Isaiah 59:2
   3. 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18
   4. Hebrews 13:15
2. With 1 Thessalonians 5:18 in mind, name one situation in your life that is difficult for you. What, in this present difficulty, can you thank the Lord for?

(Will you deliberately try and thank the Lord for blessings as you receive them throughout the day, not just in the early morning?)

**Day Three:**

1. Read Luke 17:11-18.
   1. What could have prevented the 9 lepers from returning to thank Jesus?

b) Which of these might be preventing you from thanking Jesus?

c) Once you have been blessed, why is it important to go back and thank Jesus?

1. Read Matthew 22:37-38. Will you ask the Lord to help you praise and worship Him daily?

**Day Four:**

1. Read Philippians 4:11-13. How can Paul (or you) be content in all situations?
2. a) Write down Philippians 4:6. Will you meditate on this verse, taking it prayerfully phrase by phrase?

b) What can happen when we offer thanksgiving as we pray?

**Day Five:**

1. Read Psalm 95.
   1. What do you learn about the Lord from these verses?
   2. What do you learn about yourself?
   3. What commands are given in this Psalm?
   4. What can keep you from obeying them?

**Day Six:**

1. Read James 1:17. Will you list gifts God has given you? Then, will you spend time thanking Him for each one?

Will you ask the Lord to create within you a thankful heart? Will you ask Him to help you daily spend time praising, worshiping, and thanking Him this Thanksgiving season and always?

***HAPPY THANKSGIVING!***