

Sermon Notes

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Date: November 21st, 2021

Series: Thanksgiving Message

Sermon: "A Theology of Thanksgiving"

Text: 1 Chronicles 29:10-22

Introduction: Thanksgiving in America has a long tradition and history. But thanksgiving as a "*spiritual principle*" goes back to the beginning of time. One of the primary instructions of God to his people was to give thanks to him. Having made all preparations for the building of the temple, David now embarks on a prayer of thanksgiving. In these verses, the text is going to reveal at least *eight theological truths* that inform the spiritual discipline of thanksgiving.

I. Thanksgiving _____ when we _____ God's greatness (vv. 10-11, 12b)

II. Thanksgiving recognizes _____ from God (vv. 12a; 14b)

III. Thanksgiving cultivates _____ (v. 13)

IV. Thanksgiving underscores _____ (v. 14a)

V. Thanksgiving highlights our _____ and God's _____ (v. 15)

VI. Thanksgiving _____ our _____ (v. 17-19)

VII. Thanksgiving _____ (v. 20-21)

VIII. Thanksgiving _____ (v. 22)

A Theology of Thanksgiving



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Today at BEREAN BAPTIST CHURCH

**8:30am & 11am Worship
Sunday School 10am**

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Welcome

Thank you for joining us today here at Berean Baptist Church. We would delight in assisting you in any way that we can; please do not hesitate to ask. Please visit our child check-in kiosk in order to check in any children to their respective classes.

Prayer

Missionary of the Month:

AJ & Aven Meiring ~ Japan ~ Overseas Missionary Fellowship

Prayer Families of the Week: *Ruben & Alina Balavenderan, Shaun Denooyer, Alex Kalaj, Scott & Beth Saathoff*

Prayer Ministry of the Month: *Deacons*

Calendar

<u>Monday 22nd</u>	<u>Tuesday 23rd</u>	<u>Wednesday 24th</u>
Anchormen 7:30am Revel 7pm		
<u>Thursday 25th</u>	<u>Friday 26th</u>	<u>Saturday 27th</u>

For a detailed listing of future events, please refer to our website calendar: www.bereanlife.org/calendar/

Stewardship

Tithes/Offerings:	\$8,684.32	YTD Giving:	\$765,685.36
Weekly Budget:	\$13,540.02	YTD Budget:	\$622,840.88
YTD Missions:	\$120,751.39	Building Fund:	\$166,634.49
Local Missions:	\$86,498.58		

OFFERING BOXES ARE LOCATED IN THE OVERFLOW AREA AS YOU EXIT THE AUDITORIUM, IN THE FOYER NEAR THE KIOSK AND AT THE EAST ENTRANCE.

ONLINE GIVING IS ALSO AVAILABLE AT WWW.BEREANLIFE.ORG/GIVING/

Announcements

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

There will be a Membership class on Friday, December 3rd at 6:30pm in the Commons room. If you are interested in becoming a member here at Berean or you would like to learn more about us, please contact the church office to let us know you will be joining us.

“CHRISTENING THE CHRISTMAS SEASON” – BEREAN’S TREE DECORATION/COOKIE FELLOWSHIP

Please plan to attend this all church/all building event on Sunday December 5th, from 5 PM to 7:30 PM. Details of this enhanced and exciting event are being posted weekly in Bits and Bytes. We encourage you to take this opportunity to invite friends and relatives to this event in order to see “the church in community”. This is a wonderful and non-threatening way to expose people to the church in the context of the fellowship of believers. What could be more simple or fun than bringing friends with you to this seasonal event?. We also encourage each family to bring a “family ornament” for the Berean Family tree. This is a long standing tradition at Berean.

BREAKING OF BREAD

Signups for Breaking of Bread are at the kiosk. Please contact Nikki Antone at 248-798-3603 or by email at nikkiantone@msn.com if you have any questions.

UPCOMING BABY SHOWERS

Ladies, come celebrate the following baby showers for...

- **Haley Campbell** on December 4th at 2:30pm in the Fellowship Chapel. Please RSVP to Jackie Campbell @ 248 770-6567 by November 29th. For those wishing to contribute to a group gift, please contact Pam Homrich @ tphomrich@charter.net. Haley is registered at Buy Buy Baby and Amazon.
- All Berean ladies are invited to a 'sprinkle' for the new **McIntosh twin boys!** Thursday evening, December 2nd @ 7:00-8:30 PM in the Fellowship Chapel. Essential items such as diapers (Huggies, Kirkland [Costco] and Pampers) in a variety of sizes, wipes, and onesies are encouraged as gifts. Ethan & Sarah are also registered at Amazon. A sign-up will be available at the kiosk. Please contact Sarah Sikes with questions @ 248.943.6570 or sarah.k.sikes@gmail.com