

Thanksgiving - Discussion Guide

Connect

Ice Breaker: What are you always expected to show up to Thanksgiving with?

Talk About It:

An attitude of gratitude glorifies God. Our attitude is a choice and we can decide to live in the negative (the world) or live in the positive (Jesus).

Key Passages: Psalm 118:24, 144:15, 100:1-5, Romans 12:2, Philippians 2:5

- 1. Take a few minutes and think about your thought process. Do you think more in the positive or negative? Are you more fatalistic or faith-filled? Do you think as a victor or victim? Take time to share your answers with the group.
- 2. Read Romans 12:2- What can you do to resist conforming to the way the world thinks and align with God's will for your life?
- 3. If you have written a Personal Growth Plan or have had a word of the year in the past: Share your experience with your group.
- 4. Read Psalm 118:24- Is it easy or difficult for you to have an attitude of gratitude? Why?
- 5. Share 3 things you are grateful for (no repeats allowed)

Protect:

Take time as group to pray for each other to have an attitude of gratitude, for the Lord to give everyone in your group a word for the year, and praise what God is going to do in 2024.

Grow:

For the next few weeks pray about the word and verse God wants to give you in 2024. Take time to write out a Personal Growth Plan and share it with someone.