



A Wise Thanksgiving

November 21, 2021

Prelude: Ann Forman

Greeting, Announcements, Invocation: Pastor Casey Dwyer

Call to Worship: selected verses from Psalm 107

“Forever”

“He Has Made Me Glad”

“Give Thanks With a Grateful Heart”

Children’s Procession and Praise

Scripture Reading: 2 Samuel 23:1-7; Psalm 132:1-12 John VanWyk

Offering:

“Come Ye Thankful People Come”

“My Country ‘Tis of Thee”

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Casey Dwyer

Sermon:..... A Wise Thanksgiving Pastor Jim Renke
Psalm 107

Our Response: “Bless the Lord, O My Soul (10,000 Reasons)”

Benediction

Postlude

Forever

Give thanks to the Lord
Our God and King
His love endures forever
For He is good He is above all things
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

With a mighty hand
And an outstretched arm
His love endures forever
For the life that's been reborn
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

Sing praise sing praise

Chorus

Forever God is faithful
Forever God is strong
Forever God is with us
Forever forever

From the rising to the setting sun
His love endures forever
And by the grace of God
We will carry on
His love endures forever
Sing praise sing praise

He Has Made Me Glad

I will enter His gates
With thanksgiving in my heart
I will enter His courts with praise
I will say this is the day
That the Lord has made
I will rejoice
For He has made me glad

Chorus

He has made me glad
He has made me glad
I will rejoice for
He has made me glad
He has made me glad
He has made me glad
I will rejoice for
He has made me glad

Give Thanks With a Grateful Heart

Chorus

Give thanks with a grateful heart
Give thanks to the Holy One
Give thanks because He's given
Jesus Christ His Son

And now let the weak say I am strong
Let the poor say I am rich
Because of what the Lord has done for us

Give thanks

Come Ye Thankful People Come

Who has held the oceans in His hands
Who has numbered every grain of sand
Kings and nations tremble at His voice
All creation rises to rejoice

Chorus

Behold our God seated on His throne
Come let us adore Him
Behold our King nothing can compare
Come let us adore Him

Who has given counsel to the Lord
Who can question any of His words
Who can teach the One who knows all things
Who can fathom all His wondrous deeds

Who has felt the nails upon His hands
Bearing all the guilt of sinful man
God eternal humbled to the grave
Jesus Savior risen now to reign

You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill the earth)
(REPEAT)

You will reign forever
(Let Your glory fill)

My Country 'Tis of Thee

My country 'tis of thee
Sweet land of liberty
Of thee I sing
Land where my fathers died
Land of the pilgrims' pride
From every mountain side
Let freedom ring

My native country thee
Land of the noble free
Thy name I love
I love thy rocks and rills
Thy woods and templed hills
My heart with rapture thrills
Like that above

Let music swell the breeze
And ring from all the trees
Sweet freedom's song
Let mortal tongues awake
Let all that breathe partake
Let rocks their silence break
The sound prolong

Our fathers' God to Thee
Author of liberty
To Thee we sing
Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light
Protect us by Thy might
Great God our King

Bless the Lord O My Soul (10,000 Reasons)

Chorus

Bless the Lord O my soul O my soul
Worship His holy name
Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name

The sun comes up it's a new day dawning
It's time to sing Your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes

You're rich in love and You're slow to anger
Your name is great and Your heart is kind
For all Your goodness I will keep on singing
Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending
Ten thousand years and then forevermore

Worship Your holy name
Lord I'll worship Your holy name

Sing like never before O my soul
I'll worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name
Worship Your holy name

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Sermon Notes

Introduction.

I. Giving thanks is the _____ to the God who rescued us.
(v.1-3)

II. _____ we find ourselves and _____ we got there,
He rescues.

A. Some are _____. (v.4-9)

B. Some are _____. (v.10-16)

C. Some are _____ (v.17-22)

D. Some are _____. (v.23-32)

III. God creates opportunities to return, and we _____. (v.33-42)

IV. _____ sees his way and gives thanks. (v.43)

Conclusion.