## We're glad you are ONSITE & ONLINE with Hope Today! *First Time with us?*

Please visit our website; hope4wichita.org to learn a little bit more about Hope!

**GIVING OPTIONS**: if you feel led to share a financial gift, we invite you to utilize the online Giving Options on our website or mail a check to our mailing address (located on the website). Thank You.

**Communion**: If you have said YES to Jesus—you are invited to share in Communion. We will share in this moment together at the end of our message this morning. OnLine - I encourage you to get a cracker-chip and a juice- drink beforehand; OnSite - we have a Communion packet for you. We will take this together.

**OnLine** - We invite you to **"Talk"** during Church and comment or "like" as you are watching us. **OnSite** - please be encouraging as you continue to build community!

Also, **PRAYER** is a powerful tool God invites you to participate in. If you have a Prayer Request—please go to our website, click on the 'About' tab and scroll down to the 'Prayer Request' Button.

For the present, our **'Kids City'** groups have been suspended. In the meantime, we have created 'Activity Bags' for each family. We will bring one to you.

- **Happy Thanksgiving:** For many folks, maybe yourself, this Thanksgiving is going to be very different. If you are able, take a moment to share a word or some act of kindness to encourage someone's heart. Make it a Happy Thanksgiving!
- Sunday Mornings we are encouraging everyone who worships OnSite to wear a mask/face covering – especially in the hallway and to practice Social Distancing. Thank You!
- **Pointing to the Promise:** Beginning next Sunday, we will start a series in anticipation of the Promises of Christmas! You are invited to worship with Hope; whether OnSite or OnLine; and bring your heart and head before the One who Promises to never to leave you or forsake you!





Love God • Grow Together • Serve Others





## Grabbing Gratitude 11-22-20

Warm Up: Beside Jesus or a family member; what are you thankful for this year?

Read 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

- 1. Be Joyful Always what thief attempts to rob you of Joy?
- 2. What are some recent 'Joy Encounters' you have had?

3. How can being able to recognize 'Joy Encounters' make a difference in your gratitude attitude?

4. Pray without ceasing; how can you pray in moments?

5. How does 'moment by moment' praying aid in cultivating Gratitude?

6. There is a lot of uncertainty and shadows in this season, how can grabbing gratitude help you battle depression, fear, worry, anger, etc?

7. What are 10 things you are Grateful for?

Tag Hope Christian Church Facebook Group or Twitter this week while using #grabthanks. Please post where you are discovering gratitude this week; #grabthanks Let your experience be a light and encouragement for others.

Some questions are from Serendipity Bible.

Watch again @ www.hope4wichita.org

11-15-20 Giving Well 11-08-20 Enemies; Defeating Those Against You 11-01-20 Getting Even 10-25-20 Whatcha Say

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[We encourage you to write what comes to you during the morning]

## The Word for Your Week!

Always be joyful. Never stop praying. Be thankful in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you who belong to Christ Jesus. **1 Thessalonians 5:16-18** 

The Lord is my strength and shield. I trust him with all my heart. He helps me, and my heart is filled with joy. I burst out in songs of thanksgiving. **Psalm 28:7** 

Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good! His faithful love endures forever. **1 Chronicles 16:34** 

Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise. Give thanks to him and praise his name. **Psalm 100:4** 

Every time I think of you, I give thanks to my God. **Philippians 1:3**