



We Give Thanks

for each new morning

with its light

for rest and shelter

of the night

for health and food

for friends and love

For Everything

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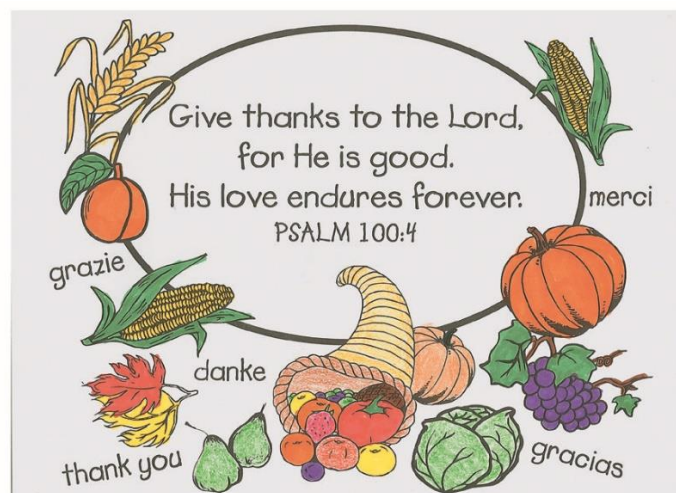
Hello Everyone,

The past eighteen months have been a challenge for everyone, and your Sunday School teachers and I have missed you.

For the Fall we are going to put together special packages so you will not forget how much we care about you and hopefully, in the new year, we will be able to meet again in our Sunday School room at Knox United.

Please look for information about other Sunday School packages that will be available for you.

Lynne Stewart








The Story of the Ten Lepers



One day,  Jesus was walking through a  village. He saw 10  men who had


a sickness called leprosy. Because the  men were sick, they couldn't be with their

 families. They had to stay far away from people in the  village. The  men asked

 Jesus for help. They said, " Jesus, Master, have mercy on us."  Jesus healed the

10  men. They were so happy! Out of those 10  men, only 1  man stopped to

tell  Jesus "Thank you!" We can be like the thankful  man. We can tell

Heavenly Father and  Jesus "Thank you!" for our blessings.

You can read this story in Luke 17:11-19.

See family manual, pages 72-73; Primary manual, page 71.

Thanksgiving "Ten Lepers" Lesson

A leper was a person who was sick with a disease that made sores break out all over the person's body. Other people could catch the disease, so lepers had to stay far away from anyone else. If they saw someone coming, they had to call out "unclean" to warn them. They even had to stay away from their own families. That had to be a terrible way to live.

When a group of ten lepers saw Jesus they knew He had healed others, so they called out, "Have mercy on us." Jesus knew the rules about lepers. He knew that before lepers could be declared healed, a priest had to look them over and make sure there were no sores. That is why He told them to go show themselves to a priest. On the way to the priest, the sores on their bodies began to heal. Surely, they were all very happy. Nevertheless, only one of the lepers turned back to thank Jesus.

Think of the blessings that God has given you. Did you remember to say thank you? Think about how you would feel if you gave someone a gift or helped in some way. Would it make you feel bad if they did not say thank you? Do you feel good when someone does say thank you? God loves to bless us. We can bless Him by thanking Him and letting Him know that we understand that all good things come from God.

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning" (James 1:17).



This is some background information that you can ask your parents to discuss with you before or after you read the rebus story about the Ten Lepers. This is a story of Thanksgiving.

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Happy Thanksgiving
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Gobble!
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I am Thankful for...



1. What are you thankful for that is green?
2. What are you thankful for that is yellow?
3. What are you thankful for that is soft?
4. What are you thankful for that is round
5. What are you thankful for that is very small?
6. What are you thankful for that is good?
7. What are you thankful for that is difficult?
8. What are you thankful for that you cannot see?
9. What are you thankful for that you cannot touch?
10. What do you think your teacher is thankful for?
11. What do you think a senior citizen is thankful for?

12. What do you think
Reverend Sandra is
thankful for?

13. What do you think a dog is
thankful for?

14. What do you think a cat is
thankful for?

15. What are you most thankful
for?

Write your own question and then answer it:

Answer:





Things to think about and colour.

Crafts to Try

1. The Gratitude Pumpkin

- Print the words: I am Thankful for... on each of the strips that are orange in color.
- Cut each strip.
- Follow the picture below to construct the gratitude pumpkin.



- In your package there is a piece of green construction paper to trace your hand for the leaf on the top and a brown pipe cleaner for the pumpkin stem. There is also a brad in your package to put the pumpkin together.



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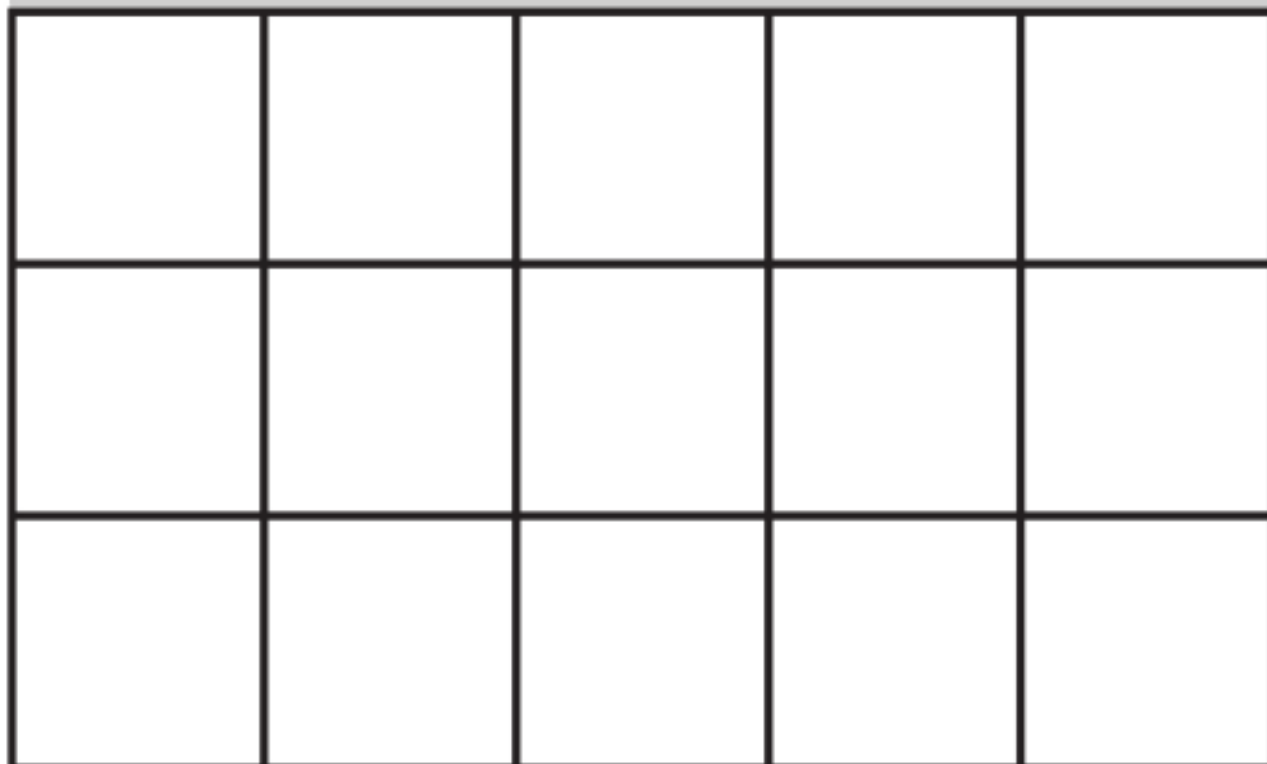
The Thankful Tree

- Trace your hand and part of your arm on the brown piece of construction
- Cut your tracing out and paste onto the yellow paper in your package.
- On each of the leaves on the sheet print something you are thankful for, if you want to add color to the leaves use the side of your crayons, then cut the leaves out and attach to the tree.

THANKSGIVING PUZZLE

CUT & PASTE THE SQUARES
TO REVEAL THE PICTURE

HINT: READ 1 THESSALONIANS 5:18 KJV



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