

New Song News

Psalm 145:10–13, 21 (ESV) ¹⁰All your works shall give thanks to you, O Lord, and all your saints shall bless you! ¹¹They shall speak of the glory of your kingdom and tell of your power, ¹²to make known to the children of man your mighty deeds, and the glorious splendor of your kingdom. ¹³Your kingdom is an everlasting kingdom, and your dominion endures throughout all generations. The Lord is faithful in all his words and kind in all his works. ²¹My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord, and let all flesh bless his holy name forever and ever.

Ephesians 5:17–21 (ESV) ¹⁷Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the will of the Lord is. ¹⁸And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit, ¹⁹addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and making melody to the Lord with your heart, ²⁰giving thanks always and for everything to God the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, ²¹submitting to one another out of reverence for Christ.

Today

- ✓ Celebration of Communion.
- ✓ 9:00am, toddler & elementary Sunday school, adult Learning Community.
- ✓ First-time guests, fill out a blue Welcome Card & drop it in the offering plate. We invite you to take one of Pastor Herb's books as a welcome gift.

This Week

- ✓ **NO Learning Communities this week.**
- ✓ Wednesday, 10:00am, Women's Bible Study?
- ✓ Thursday, Volunteers needed to help provide Thanksgiving Day Free Meals through Ma & Pop's, South Park Rd. 2-hour shifts to prepare meals in restaurant 6am-8pm, or deliver meals 10:30am-5:30pm, especially needed 3-6pm. Call Erica 412-670-1212 with questions or to volunteer.
- ✓ Friday, 10:00am, Women's Bible Study?
- ✓ Friday, 6:45pm **No** Viewing of *The Chosen* at Nina Wiebalk's home.
- ✓ Sunday, Gifting the Resource Center begins.
- ✓ Sunday, Advent begins.

Looking Ahead

- ✓ Dec. 15, Children's Advent Presentation in worship & POTLUCK Dinner
- ✓ Dec. 24, Christmas Eve Candles and Carols, 6:00-7:30pm.
- ✓ **Recycle your aluminum cans** – Proceeds support Children of Promise. Bring them to H.Q. & put them in the wooden enclosure to the left of the front door.
- ✓ Submit Prayer Requests: email or text newsongpittsburgh@gmail.com
- ✓ New Song FB Live: <https://www.facebook.com/NewSongPittsburgh>
- ✓ Sunday sermons, outlines & other studies can be found on New Song YouTube Channel & Spotify. Use the QR code to access



	Gen. Offering	Budget	Family Assistance	Children of Promise	Building Fund
11/17/2024	\$ 4,210.52	\$ 3,560.25	11/17/2024 \$ 0.00	11/17/2024 \$ 9.00	11/17/2024 \$ 220.00
To Date	\$ 181,915.91	\$ 163,771.50	Balance: \$ 3,785.97	Month Total \$ 11.00	To Date \$ 3,290.00
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New Song Notes,

Pastor Herb Shaffer

What Gratitude Looks Like in Real Life

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1 Corinthians 13:4–8a ⁴Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant ⁵or rude. It does not insist on its own way; it is not irritable or resentful; ⁶it does not rejoice at wrongdoing, but rejoices with the truth. ⁷Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. ⁸Love never ends.

1 Corinthians 13:4–8a (ESV)

- ➔ Forgiveness, perseverance and gratitude are at the core of the Christ-following life: powerful to transform us, to love others and to fight demonic forces. What does gratitude look like in daily living?

1 Thessalonians 5:13b–19 (ESV) Be at peace among yourselves. ¹⁴And we urge you, brothers, admonish the idle, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, be patient with them all. ¹⁵See that no one repays anyone evil for evil, but always seek to do good to one another and to everyone. ¹⁶Rejoice always, ¹⁷pray without ceasing, ¹⁸give thanks in all circumstances; for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. ¹⁹Do not quench the Spirit.

Colossians 3:16–17 (ESV) ¹⁶Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing one another in all wisdom, singing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, with thankfulness in your hearts to God. ¹⁷And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

What it means to "give thanks in all circumstances"

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New Song
Community Church

Living Our Utmost for His Highest

“with full courage now as always Christ will be honored in my body, whether by life or by death.” Philippians 1:20a (ESV)

What do we do with this?

† Pay Attention

around us and what God says about it

† Be Ready

developing God’s skill-set and mind-set

† Soldiering Together

rejoicing, weeping and sharpening TOGETHER

- What stuck out to you?
- What is God saying about what stuck out?
- What do you need to do in response?