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SERMON STUDY & DISCUSSION OUTLINE

11.21.2021 – The 3C's and Being Thankful

3 words that can easily remind who we are and what God had given us...

COVENANT

Genesis 17:3-7 – God made a covenant with Abraham. How are we assured that stays valid for us today?

Romans 8:35,38-39 – God's covenant to us cannot be broken. What did God do keep it that way?

Matthew 19:5-6 – In a love relationship between a husband and wife, how does that covenant apply?

COMMITMENT

Genesis 17:9-10 – God committed to keep his Word and Covenant with Abraham and with us. What does God expect from us? How shall we keep our commitment to God's covenant?

Jeremiah 29:11-14 – God looks so much at our hearts. God has prepared all that will benefit us. For our good. In turn, what does God wants to see in our hearts.

CHILD/CHILDREN (fruit of the covenant)

Psalms 103:17-18 – God's covenant and love for us goes through our family circles and generations. What does God expect of us to keep it going?

Proverbs 17:6 – Children and grandchildren are evidences of God's love and blessings. What is our role?

John 15:5-8 – In God's plan and covenant, he will bless and provide. How can we give back glory to God?

OUR RESPONSE: THANKFUL!

Colossians 3:15-17 – Name a few ways by which these verses describe how your life can be good.

1 Thessalonians 5:18 – What can you do to be thankful in all circumstances? Would there be any specific situations when it could be most difficult for you to be thankful?

Colossians 2:6-8 – How can you be overflowing with thankfulness in any circumstance?

Explain in a few words how thankful you are right now. Or, if you find it difficult to be thankful now.