



THANKS & GIVING

DEVELOPING A HEART OF GRATITUDE

There is Something More

- What stood out to you from last Sunday's teaching?
- Everyone answer: What are your favorite thanksgiving traditions?
 - Are there any traditions that your family has tried that didn't take? Why?
 - What are some traditions that you have that you could do without? Why?
 - Take a moment and think... what are you most thankful for this season?
- Read Luke 17:11-19
 - What are some things that stand out to you in this passage?
 - Why do you think only one person came back to thank Jesus for His healing of their leprosy?
 - Did you notice anything about this one that was different than the others? What was it?
 - What, if any, impact did being a Samaritan have on his desire to come back to praise Jesus?
 - Respond to the following:

Just as forgiveness should be extended to the Pharisees seven times, healing is extended to the most extreme outcast conceivable, a Jewish leper living in Samaria. Such is the radical nature of inclusion that will characterize Jesus' community.
 - Would you consider the Kingdom of Christ to currently be radically inclusive? Why or why not?
- In his teaching, Pastor Dave taught us that Jesus had more for them than just physical healing, but also had a healing of the heart for them.
 - What do you think could have been the reasons that the 9 stopped with physical healing? What stopped them from the heart healing that the 1 received?
 - What does the phrase, "heart healing mean?"
 - What have you witnessed more in your life? Physical healing or heart healing?
 - What do you think makes it so much harder to receive heart healing than physical healing?
- What kind of healing do you need today? Physical? Emotional? Both?
 - After discussing this scripture, what role do you feel that gratitude has in healing?
- Pastor Dave challenged us to live in the "something more" that God has for us. Daily practices include starting a gratitude journal, commit to no complaints, and giving of your resources. Commit as a group.