



# LifeGroup Discussion Questions

## Tapping into the Power of a Thankful Mindset | November 26, 2023

### Summary

Overflowing thankfulness comes from reflecting on and receiving Jesus as the Lord of our life.

### Scripture

Judges 7:1-25

But Gideon told them, "I will not rule over you, nor will my son rule over you. The Lord will rule over you." -Judges 8:23 (NIV)

In those days Israel had no king; everyone did as they saw fit. -Judges 17:6 (NIV)

So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness. -Colossians 2:6-7 (NIV)

### Let's Start

Thinking back to the Thanksgiving weekend, what was your most special memory this year?

### Gratitude and Prayer

How has God worked in your life since the last time we were together?

### Let's Talk

1. What impacted you most from the sermon? Was there anything you had never heard before?
2. Pastor Kyle said, "The secret to thankfulness is surrender." Why?
3. In Gideon's story, fear initially affected his ability to trust God fully. How do fear and the desire for control impact our ability to be grateful?
4. Have you experienced a "Gideon moment" in your life, where surrendering control or trusting God's plan led to unexpected blessings? How did that experience impact your faith?

