

For all of our blessings, Lord.... We give thanks!

(Psalm 116)

I. Reason for thanksgivings

- a. For an intimate relationship with God
- b. For saving my life from great dangers
- c. For protecting me from falling into my ignorance.

Without continual affirmation and prayer of thanks and appreciation, our mind become bored, and our heart dulls, we withdraw from the world, resigned to our struggle alone.

II. Deciding to follow the Lord

- a. By recalling God's faithfulness
- b. By pronouncing our trust in the Lord not on the circumstances

III. How can I repay the Lord ?

- a. Reexamine our motive and our past.
- b. Rededicate our life to serve the Lord faithfully.
- c . Make Offerings sacrificially in fulfilling our vows.

Thanksgiving reflects a sense of interconnectedness among people and our traditional Christian cultures. In these trying times, I think we need this day more than ever. It's a holiday that's perfect for gathering with loved ones and expressing gratitude for our blessings to God our heavenly Father.

Thanksgiving is a reminder to appreciate all that's joyful in life, which includes beloved family, friends, and colleagues; as well as lifestyle and good health. It focuses on all things positive, free of materialistic motivations such as mindless gift-giving , but remember those people who are in needs, and above all our creator and our ultimate benefactor the Lord Jesus Christ