

Lesson No. ( 41 )

## We Thank the Lord for Everything

### References

Luke 17:11-19.

### Notes for Servants

- ★ We must be thankful to God at all times even if we are sick or when we have a problem.
- ★ Let us count our blessings: Jesus came for us and he secured our salvation on the Cross. He gave us a happy life. He gave us our health and a nice church to pray in.

### Objectives

**General:** Life of thanksgiving.

**Specific:**

The children will be able to ...

- A. Understand God's gifts to us.
- B. Know the meaning of thanking God and others.
- C. Learn to thank God when they pray.

### Bible Verse

**“O give thanks unto the Lord.”**

Psalm 105:1

### Teaching Aids

Some food, cloth and toys to teach children to thank God for.

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### Introduction

- (1) Review last week's lesson.
- (2) Remind the children about the church occasions for the coming week.
- (3) Ask the children to name some of the things they should thank God for. (We thank him because he has given us nice clothes, nice toys, good house, good health, etc.)
- (4) Fill in some of the things that the children forgot to mention in thanking God. (He created us, made Heaven and Earth for us, gave us His Body and Blood in the church and gave us our parents to take care of us.)
- (5) Teacher should prepare the appropriate questions to emphasize the objectives during the lesson.

## **Story Time**

One day, the Lord Jesus was walking outside the city, He met ten men. These ten men were very sick. They had been sick for a long time and they had lost all hope to be well again. They had no one, no friends, no families. No one had mercy on them. They said, "Jesus, Master have mercy on us." They had faith in Him and called Him "Master" He had mercy on them, healed them and they become well again.

Jesus told them to go to the Temple, meet the priest and tell him what happened. All of them left very fast to go to the Temple. In their way to the Temple, one of them remembered that he did not say 'thank you' to the Lord Jesus. He said to himself, I have to do the right thing. He went back to Jesus and said, "Thank you". But the other nine men went to the Temple and did not come back to thank the Lord.

We should thank God for everything, for our parents, our teachers, for the church, for the school, etc. We also should thank our parents because they are taking care of us. We also should thank other people when they do something good for us.

Let us say, "Thank you Lord Jesus, for everything we have." Then, at the end of the day before we sleep, we must thank Him for keeping us safe.

### **Discussion**

- 1 - Follow up the story by talking about it with the children.
- 2 - Continue the discussion while they do the activity.

### **Learning Activities**

Colouring Page.