



Our Mission: *To
grow fully devoted
followers of Jesus Christ.
Matthew 28:19-20*

November, 2025

THE APPLE PRESS

My dear brothers and sisters,

Recently, as I prepared my offering meditation, these thoughts on giftedness and stewardship came to me. I was asked by several people to share these thoughts with you, so... here you go. I love you all. Dan

Stewardship: Faithful Living Through Giving, Serving, and Using Our Gifts

When we talk about *stewardship* in the church, our minds often go first to giving. And while giving is an important part of it, stewardship is really much bigger. It's about how we live our entire lives in response to what God has done for us.

Psalm 24:1 reminds us,

"The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it."

That means everything we have—our time, resources, relationships, skills, and even our breath—belongs to God. We are not owners but caretakers, entrusted with God's blessings for His purposes.

Jesus illustrated this truth in the *Parable of the Talents* (Matthew 25:14–30). In that story, a master entrusts his servants with his wealth before going on a journey. Two servants invest and multiply what they are given, while one hides his portion out of fear. When the master returns, he commends the faithful servants and rebukes the one who did nothing. The message is clear: God expects His people to use what He has entrusted to them to further His work. Stewardship, therefore, is not just about finances—it's about *faithfulness*. It's about asking ourselves, "Am I using what God has placed in my hands for His glory?"

Stewardship Includes Our Spiritual Gifts

In the New Testament, Paul reminds us that every believer has been equipped by the Holy Spirit with unique spiritual gifts. Romans 12:6 says,

"We have different gifts, according to the grace given to each of us."

And in 1 Corinthians 12:7 he writes,

"Now to each one the manifestation of the Spirit is given for the common good."

These passages make it clear: *every believer has been gifted by God*. Some may have gifts of teaching or leadership, others gifts of serving, encouraging, or giving. Still others

may have gifts of mercy, hospitality, evangelism, or discernment. Whatever the gift, it was never meant to be hidden or neglected—it was meant to be *used*.

Paul compares the church to a body, made up of many parts that work together. Each part is important. The eye can't say to the hand, "I don't need you." The church functions best when everyone uses their gifts faithfully. God has designed His church so that every believer has a role in its health, mission, and growth.

That's what stewardship really looks like in the church: *each member doing their part, faithfully, joyfully, and with purpose.*

Giving as an Act of Worship

One of the most visible acts of stewardship is our giving. The Apostle Paul wrote in 2 Corinthians 9:6–8,

"Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously... for God loves a cheerful giver."

Our giving is not about obligation—it's about *worship*. It's an expression of gratitude and trust. When we give, we are acknowledging that everything we have comes from God and belongs to Him. We give not because God *needs* our money, but because giving trains our hearts to depend on Him.

In truth, our offering is a spiritual act—it connects us to God's heart for His mission. Through our faithful giving, the church is able to minister, teach, serve, and reach others with the gospel. Every gift matters, because every soul matters to God.

Every Believer Is Called to Serve and Encourage

Stewardship also means recognizing that *no one is exempt from ministry*. Whether your spiritual gift is giving, encouraging, evangelizing, or serving behind the scenes, each believer is called to use what God has given to build His Kingdom.

Peter writes in 1 Peter 4:10,

"Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms."

Notice that word—*stewards*. We are not owners of grace; we are caretakers of it. God's grace has been poured into our lives not for us to store away, but to share. When you encourage a struggling brother or sister, when you teach a class, greet visitors, volunteer at church, or share Christ with a friend, you are practicing stewardship of God's grace.

Even small acts done faithfully can have eternal impact.

A Unified Mission: Serving Together

Stewardship calls us to work together as the body of Christ. Each of us is gifted differently, but all of us share the same purpose—to glorify God and make disciples of Jesus Christ.

Jesus' final words to His followers were a commission:

“Go and make disciples of all nations” (Matthew 28:19).

That command is not given to a few, but to the entire church. Some go, some send, some teach, some encourage—but all are called to participate. Whether through financial giving, acts of service, words of encouragement, or sharing the gospel, we each have a role in carrying out Christ's mission.

Living as Faithful Stewards

True stewardship is not just about managing our resources well—it's about living in a way that honors God with *everything* we are.

Colossians 3:23 captures it perfectly:

“Whatever you do, work at it with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters.”

As we give, serve, and use our gifts, may we do it with joy and gratitude. God has entrusted us with much, and He calls us to be faithful in little and in much.

Let us be known as a church that gives generously, serves faithfully, encourages one another lovingly, and uses every gift for God's glory.

A Prayer for Stewardship:

Lord, everything we have is Yours. Thank You for trusting us with Your gifts, Your resources, and Your mission. Help us to be faithful stewards—cheerful givers, willing servants, and bold witnesses of Your love. May everything we do bring honor to Your name. Amen.

Giftedness and Stewardship



NOVEMBER 2025

- 1- Men's group, "His Project", 8:00 AM, breakfast and Bible study
- 1- Church work day and setting up Christmas lights, 10:00 AM
- 1- Punkin' Paintin' 3:00-5:00 PM, WC, Contact Heather
- 4- Men's, women's and children's Bible studies, 6:30 PM, meal 6:00 PM
- 7- Celebrate Recovery, 6:30 PM
- 8- Operation Christmas Child packing party, 9:00 -1:00 PM
- 8- Meal Prep, 10:00 - 11:30 AM, sign up by November 2
- 9- Mission Team meeting, 12:15 PM
- 11- Men's, women's and children's Bible studies, 6:30 PM, meal 6:00 PM
- 14- Celebrate Recovery, 6:30 PM
- 16- Thanksgiving fellowship meal, 5:00 PM
- 16-23- Operation Christmas Child shoebox collection week
- 18- Men's, women's and children's Bible studies, 6:30 PM, meal 6:00 PM
- 21- Celebrate Recovery, 6:30 PM
- 25- No activities
- 27- Thanksgiving
- 29- Church Christmas decoration day, contact Charlotte to help

WEEKLY

- **Sunday 8:00 AM and 10:30 AM Worship Service**
- **Adult Sunday School, 9:30 AM**
- **Youth Sunday School, 10:30 AM**
- **Tuesday Staff Meetings**
- **Tuesday, 6:30 PM, Family Night Bible Studies, Meal 6:00 PM**
- **Friday, 6:30 PM, Celebrate Recovery**

DECEMBER 2025

- 2- Men's, women's and children's Bible studies, 6:30 PM, meal 6:00 PM
- 5- Celebrate Recovery, 6:30 PM
- 6- Men's group, "His Project", 8:00 AM, breakfast and Bible study
- 9- Men's, women's and children's Bible studies, 6:30 PM, meal 6:00 PM
- 12- Celebrate Recovery, 6:30 PM
- 13- Cookie exchange, 1:00 PM, contact Yvette Caldwell
- 14- Mission Team meeting, 12:15 PM
- 14- Cantata performance at ACC, 3:30 PM
- 14- ACCKY Youth Holiday hunt, 6:00 PM, contact Heather Debolt
- 16- No Tuesday evening Bible studies or meals for the rest of year
- 19- Celebrate Recovery, 6:30 PM
- 21- Christmas Extravaganza, 5:00 PM, more information to come
- 25- Baker family Christmas, 1:00 PM, potluck

Office hours are: 9:00 AM—2:00 PM, M-Th.

For more information on any event, go to our website and click on the calendar.

Then click on the event to get more information.

<http://www.appletonchristian.org/calendar>

Celebrate Recovery



Mission: to offer a safe and supportive space where men and women can find healing and freedom from life's challenges (hurts, hangups, and habits)
Friday evenings from 6:30-7:30 PM.

Contact Roxy Sanger or Dan Baker for more information or if you want to know how you can help.

NOVEMBER Meal Prep is November 8, 2025

Sign up by November 2

The meals are:

- 1) Beef Stroganoff
- 2) Meat Loaf
- 3) Broccoli Cheese Soup
- 4) Mojito Lime Chicken
- 5) Chicken Tacos
- 6) Pork Fiesta Bowl



The cost for the meals:

\$40.00 for 6 meals for 2 people,
\$80.00 for 6 meals for 4 people,
\$120.00 for 6 meals for 6 people.

Contact Heidi Waggoner @ 970-250-0588

Average cost of meals per serving is \$3.33



Future dates upcoming Meal Preps:

January 10, 2026

February 14, 2026

March 14, 2026

It's November! So we are all getting ready for the gateway into the holiday season, Thanksgiving! It is almost time to slow down and gather around the table, after the panic and preparation work is over. Some of us have the tradition of going around the table and saying what we are thankful for. Interestingly, we sometimes forget where all of these blessings we are giving thanks for come from. As believers, we know that every good gift, every blessing is from God. This is the way it has been from the beginning of this Holiday. As you might have learned in school, the Pilgrims were the ones to start this tradition. While that may be true as far as the American Holiday is concerned, the roots of Thanksgiving stretch much deeper, reaching all the way back into the pages of Scripture, where God's people regularly paused to give thanks for His faithfulness.

The first American Thanksgiving took place in 1621, after a long and difficult year for the Pilgrims. They had traveled to the new world filled with hope, but their first winter in the New World was filled with sickness and loss. When the harvest finally came, they stopped to give thanks to God.

Alongside their Native American neighbors, they shared a meal and expressed gratitude not just for food, but for survival, friendship, and God's mercy. Many years later, during the Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln declared a National Day of Thanksgiving. He called Americans to turn their hearts toward God and offer gratitude even in the midst of conflict and division. He wrote, "I do therefore invite my fellow citizens in every part of the United States, and also those who are at sea and those who are sojourning in foreign lands, to set apart and observe the last Thursday of November next, as a day of Thanksgiving and Praise to our beneficent Father who dwelleth in the Heavens."

From the very beginning, our national Thanksgiving has been about more than food and family — it has been about remembering the hand of God at work in every circumstance.

But long before America existed, God's people in the Bible were already celebrating thanksgiving. The Israelites observed special feasts to honor the Lord's provision, joyful times of worship and generosity, thanking God for the harvest and for His protection through each season. These celebrations reminded them that everything they had, came from Him.

In the New Testament, the focus of thanksgiving becomes even clearer. The Apostle Paul writes, "Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!" (2 Corinthians 9:15) That gift, of course, is Jesus Christ, the true reason for every thankful heart.

When we look at both stories — the Pilgrims' feast and the biblical feasts — we see the same truth: gratitude grows strongest in hard seasons. True thanksgiving doesn't depend on how much we have, but on how much we trust the One who provides. It's easy to give thanks when everything is going well, but the deeper kind of gratitude, the kind that shapes our hearts, comes when we recognize God's goodness even in difficulty.

So as we gather with family and friends this year, may Thanksgiving be more than a meal or a moment. May it be a reminder that from the time of Moses to the Pilgrims to this very day, God's people have always paused to say, "Thank You." May we be reminded that Thanksgiving isn't just a date on the calendar, it's a posture of the heart. From ancient Israel to modern America, giving thanks has always been the right response to the work of God.

Happy Thanksgiving.

Alan



“HIS PROJECT” Men’s Group
Come Join Us for
Breakfast and Bible Study
on November 1, 2025
at 8:00 AM



After the breakfast, we will be working on the swing set area, setting up lights on the fence, raking, etc. Everyone is welcomed.

Thanksgiving Potluck Meal
November 16, 2025, 5:00 PM

(If you want to donate a turkey or ham, please let Jeanne know. We need them by November 9th if we are cooking them)

Sign up sheet is on the welcome table in the lobby.



Please join us for food, fun, and fellowship.

JOIN US FOR
**PUNKIN’
 PAINTIN’**

NOVEMBER 1ST, 3-5PM
WORSHIP CENTER

**DECORATE YOUR HOME FOR FALL
 BY PAINTING PUMPKINS WITH
 YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS!**

**ALL MATERIALS AND LIGHT
 SNACKS PROVIDED**

**CONTACT HEATHER
 WITH QUESTIONS**



Join us for Tuesday night Bible Studies at 6:30 PM. There is a light meal at 6:00 PM if you are interested.

The men are studying the book of *James* in the ARK room, the women are doing a study on *“Preaching the gospel to yourself”* in the Admin building (upper building), and the youth are going through the book of *Matthew* meeting in the Worship Center



For our Christmas families this year, we are keeping the needs closer to home. Keep an eye out for the Christmas tree want and needs list.

Trees with tags up: November 16th

Dates gifts **MUST** be at the church, unwrapped with tags: December 7th

Dates gifts go to the families: December 11th

For more information contact Karla Brown, 970-209-5400





OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD (OCC)

OCC is a ministry of Samaritan's Purse with a desire that every shoebox be an opportunity to reach a child and his/her family with the Gospel (Good News) of Jesus.

Prayer is the most important part of OCC from the buying of the gifts to the shoe packers to the Warehouse to the transportation to the teachers, children, and their families. Miracles Do Happen! Please pray about your participation and what to pack. We have as our goal 300 boxes.

Thank you for all the items you have brought in all year - please continue.

Our Packing Party for when we pack boxes with all the donations **will be Sat., Nov 8 @ 9 - 11:30 AM** and lunch following. This party is for ALL AGES having the older work with the younger in filling all of the boxes.

The boxes are here so you can take as many as you would like and fill up your own. Collection Week is Nov. 16-23 and boxes can be returned anytime that week or before.

Also, \$10.00 per box is needed for shipping, handling, and ministry expenses. This can be put in the box you fill (one check for the number of boxes x \$10.00), in the offering box designated OCC, or pay online. If you pay online you will be able to track your box to the country it is being sent to.

You can Adopt a shoebox and help to pay the \$10.00 for shipping and ministry expense for all the boxes we fill at the packing party - always designate OCC.

Online shopping is available for \$25.00 a box which includes the shipping/ministry expense as well as follow your box. Go to Samaritanpurse.org or Operationchristmaschild.org

Our Collection Box is located in the foyer of the Worship Center (lower building) or the items can be brought to the office in the upper building. We still need:

- Items for 2-4 year olds: crayons, sippy cups, toys, under garments, music instruments, hats, baby dolls, books, and coloring books.
- Items for middle (ages 5-9): Water color paints (no liquid), socks, hats, matchbox cars, play dough
- Items for older boys (ages 10-14): pliers, hammer, screw drivers, socks, games, marbles, caps
- Items for older girls (ages 10-14): sewing kits, beads, journals, jewelry making or hobby kits, hats, socks
- Useful and other items: flashlights with extra batteries, rope, hair brushes, combs, hair accessories, colored pencils, markers, scissors, sunglasses, solar calculators, compass, rulers, jump ropes, binoculars, soccer balls with pumps and extra needles, toothbrushes, and dental floss.

Psalm 96:3 "Declare His glory among the Nations, His marvelous works among all the peoples."

Thank you again for Everything!! .

Love and God Bless,

Donna Jean

Please call or see me if you have any questions or concerns

970-640-8396

Hello Appleton Family!

Last month was our first devotional from the youth all-nighter, all about loving God in our daily lives. Read that first before getting into this one! Today, we're reminding ourselves about loving our neighbors as ourselves. Check it out! - Heather DeBolt

Devotional #2: Love Others, by Aimery Gonzales and Michael Eide

Go read *Matthew 22:39* and *John 13:34-25* and come back!

Jesus said that the two most important commandments are to love God and love your neighbor as yourself. That sounds simple, right? But what about loving people you don't like... or people who live differently than you...or sin differently than you? How do you love someone who belittles your faith or disagrees with your faith entirely? Remember *John 15:18-19*. It's easy to love people who are nice to us, pleasant to get along with, or people we naturally gravitate towards and vice versa. Jesus calls us to love everyone, though, even the people who are mean, annoying, or hard to love. We must remember we're no better than anyone just because we're saved and they might not claim Christ as their Lord and Savior. Remember Judas? He WAS a follower, but he still betrayed Jesus! BUT...Jesus loved him even though He knew Judas' fate. Jesus spent most of His time with people others didn't like—tax collectors, outcasts, lepers, people who didn't follow the “rules” of society. He loved them even before they loved Him. Read *1 John 4:7-8*.

Here's the truth: every person is made in God's image, not just believers. Sin has messed up that image, but we're all still valuable to God. Because of this, we can love people without agreeing nor accepting everything they do. Loving someone doesn't mean saying their sin is okay— it means showing them kindness, respect, and care, just like Jesus did. It's our job to love. It's God's job to save. Think about this: the people in your life aren't there by accident. God has placed them in your path so you might have a relationship with them, loving them like Jesus does. You may not know how to love them well, but God knows. If you feel that prompting to love someone, even if you don't know them, disagree with them, or don't even like them, ask God to soften your heart, humble you, and give you direction on how to proceed. Then, obey. Some people might not get it. They might ridicule you or think you're strange for loving people unlike yourself. That's okay. Jesus said that would happen. But we still love them, because Christ did that for us.

Go read *Matthew 9:10-13* to wrap up!

Questions to Ponder:

- Why do you think Jesus told us to love everyone, not just people we like?
- How can you love people who aren't following God's word without supporting their sin?
- How do you feel knowing Jesus loved you before you loved Him?

Your Challenge:

Who is God asking you to love this week? Who is hard for you to love? Those may be the same person, maybe not. Think of one of these people, and do one kind thing for them this week.

As you do it, pray: ***“God, help me love them like You love me.”*** Then share with someone else afterward how it all went!

Loving our neighbors as ourselves



NOVEMBER MISSION OF THE MONTH

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<https://www.citymarket.com/topic/city-market-community-rewards>
Birthday: October 11

Ministry: HOPE of the Grand Valley is a local nonprofit founded in 2009. Our mission is to provide support and a hand up to hard-working parents who still find it hard to make ends meet at times. HOPE of the Grand Valley provides a hand up, not a handout, by fostering and encouraging independence for hardworking, low income families. "Independence" includes not receiving public assistance, such as SNAP or housing assistance (receiving healthcare insurance/coverage and childcare assistance is allowed). "This group tends to fall through the cracks," states Founder and Director, Vicki McGee. "That's why we provide a hand up, not a handout to these local families. We require all applicants to go through at least one session with our budget coach at our first meeting. Our families are now meeting with us once a month for budgeting and at that time (if needed) we give them an abundance of groceries; this helps them have money they would normally spend on food to get their debt paid off."

Food assistance	Furniture assistance
Budget coaching	Life skills coaching
Marriage and relationship coaching	Parenting skills coaching
Job and interview preparation	Résumé building
Christmas: Adopt-a-Family	

HOGV is funded solely by donations. We have developed a way to really stretch a dollar! We have one paid staff and are run by our dedicated volunteers. Our funds go back to our programs and we believe this is the best use of the funds rather than using the donations to rent office space, etc.

Prayer Requests: Our prayer is that our community realizes the value in what we do by financially supporting us so we will be able to purchase a home for HOPE and expand our services. I also pray every day that God will send the right families to us who we will be able to help get out of the situation they are in; that they will become independent and successful.

"Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer." Romans 12:12

Dear God,
Speak gently in my silence. When the loud noises of my surroundings and the loud inner noises of my fears keep pulling me away from you, help me trust that you are still there.

Henri Nouwen

submitted by Jim Rogers

NOVEMBER

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Music Minister -Levi Willis
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ways to send

Prayer Requests:

Prayer card on Sunday (check the box to be included in the weekly email distribution);

OR email

prayers@appletonchristian.org/

OR call

Nancy @970-241-0858 or the church office @970-242-7380

For **shut-in communion**, please call 970-242-7380 during office hours or contact person listed below:



SHUT IN COMMUNION

Bob Labig

(if you would like to help with this, please contact the office or Bob)

Communion & Offering **Meditation**

First Service

November 2025

2-Bob Labig
 9-Alan Dyson
 16-Levi Willis
 23-John Wilson
 30-Dan Baker

December 2025

7-Bob Labig
 14-Alan Dyson
 21-Levi Willis
 28-John Wilson

Second Service

November 2025

2-Bob Labig
 9-Alan Dyson
 16-Jenny Nichols
 23-John Wilson
 30-Dan Baker

December 2025

7-Bob Labig
 14-Alan Dyson
 21-Jenny Nichols
 28-John Wilson

SUNDAY GREETERS

First Service

November 2025

2-Keith Kump
 9-Judy Devine
 16-Linda/Dick Mann
 23-Connie/Tom Fudge
 30-Jim Rogers

December 2025

7-Keith Kump
 14-Judy Devine
 21-Linda/Dick Mann
 28-Connie/Tom Fudge

Second Service

November 2025

2-Karen Ranville
 9-Joanne Reitz
 16-Donna Jean Ganss
 23-Jenny Nichols
 30-Yvette Caldwell

December 2025

7-Karen Ranville
 14-Joanne Reitz
 21-Cris Hoche
 28-Connie Martinez

NOVEMBER

PRAYER FAMILIES & SCHOOLS

- 2- Laurel Wartluft
 Justin Watkins and family
 Bookcliff Middle School
 9- Chris and Lacey Weber
 Levi and Carman Willis
 Fruita Middle School
 16- John and Angie Wilson and family
 Stan and Vicki Wolfe
 Grand Mesa Middle School
 23- Chris and Carlene Wood
 Charlotte Zangerle
 Mount Garfield Middle School
 30-Chuck Ackerman
 Wanda Archer
 Orchard Mesa Middle School



APPLETON CARE MINISTRY

Occasionally we have needs that come up in the church. If you have a talent or some time that could maybe help someone out, please contact the office.

- Mechanical skills for small car repairs
- Providing meals
- Visiting (home, hospital, nursing facilities)
- Light exercise (walking)
- Calling on the phone or visit
- Grocery shopping
- Running errands
- Light chores around the house
- Driving to appointments



Our purpose is to **LOVE** on people, let them know we **CARE**, and to see if there is **ANYTHING** we can do for them.

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Now you can sync our church directory directly to your Apple, Android or Kindle Fire device with a FREE app!

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3. Enter your email as it's listed in our church directory.
4. Enter the assigned password into the app to begin synching.



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Go to: <https://members.instantchurchdirectory.com/> to create an account using the email address you have listed in the directory. You will receive a confirmation email and once you click on the link, your email address will be validated. You will then need to log in, just as an email account, every time to access the directory. You will be able to view the information, but the phone numbers and email are not hyperlinked as with the smart device app.

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