Sunday, October 11th, 2020 Title - Thanksgiving Involves

Text: 1 Thessalonians 5:16 – 18; Exodus 12:7 – 14; Philippians 3:1 – 15; Matthew 28:16 - 20

Introduction:

1. Recalling Our Personal Deliverance:

- 1.1) Instruction to Israel: Exodus 12:7 – 14
- 1.2) Instruction to the Church: 1 Corinthians 11:17 - 34

2. Refreshing Our Soul:

2.1) The Psalmist said in 42:5 - 6

"Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my salvation (6) and my God. My soul is cast down within me; therefore I remember you from the land of Jordan and of Hermon, from Mount Mizar."

2.2) Holy Spirit inspired confession of REFRESH-ING: Philippians 3:1 - 15
Vs. 1 - rejoice and repeat or rehearse what you know
Vs. 2 - look out
Vs. 3 - know who YOU are
Vs. 4 to 7 - do NOT trust your heritage
Vs. 8 to 9 - loss of all things
Vs. 10 to 15 - press on!!!

3. Reinvesting in Others:

3.1) The Command of our Lord Jesus Christ:

Matthew 28:19 - 20, "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the son and of the Holy Spirit, (20) teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

3.2) The pattern given in Acts: Acts 1:8, "But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth."

Conclusion:

Closing Song - Give Thanks Don Moen