

Sermon Notes – November 19, 2023

The Best Way to Show Gratitude (*2 Peter 3:14-18*)

- I. Be diligent in personal purity.
 - A. As a result of our salvation.
 - 1. The confession we make. (*Romans 10:9,10*)
 - 2. The Jesus we know. (*Philippians 2:5-16*)
 - B. As evidence of our sanctification.
 - 1. The motivations of our calling. (*Psalms 24:3-6*)
 - 2. The difference our calling makes. (*Matthew 5:8*)

- II. Know your Bible.
 - A. Believe what it says about itself.
 - 1. 2 Timothy 3:16,17; 2 Peter 1:20-21; Luke 24:24ff
 - B. Believe what it says it can do.
 - 1. Psalm 19:7-11
 - 2. Psalm 119:9-11
 - 3. II Timothy 2:15

- III. Grow in the grace of Jesus Christ.
 - A. Follow His example.
 - 1. Luke 2:40,52
 - B. Follow His character.
 - 1. Hebrews 4:8
 - 2. John 1:14