

A Faithful Farewell

PASTOR ZAC HESS • 1 SAMUEL 12:1-25

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WARM UP

What are your Thanksgiving plans?

COMING UP

GRACEPOLARIS.ORG/CALENDAR

Thanksgiving Care Packages November 1–18 • Each year our deacon ministry blesses those in need by providing food for their holiday dinner, plus a little extra! You can help by donating food items (by November 18), nominating a care package recipient online, transporting food (November 12), sorting/packing food (November 13–18), or delivering care packages to recipients (November 19). Our food pantry supplies are running low. Please consider donating a frozen turkey and some nonperishable food items. Donations may be left in grocery carts located at church entrances. Please check the expiration dates on donated items. To view a shopping list, sign up as a volunteer, or nominate a recipient, visit GracePolaris.org/Thanksgiving or text “Thanksgiving” to 614-888-7733.

Polaris Gift Shop Saturday, December 2 • 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m. • Ministry Center • Help us show the love of Jesus to our neighbors this Christmas! The Polaris Gift Shop is a one day pop-up toy store experience that seeks to bless families in need who live in the communities around Grace Polaris Church. All proceeds from the shop will go toward our ongoing outreach partnership with Worthington Park Elementary. To get more information and see how you can get involved, visit PolarisGiftShop.com.

A Family Christmas Celebration Friday, December 8 at 2:30 p.m. • Saturday, December 9 at 2:30 & 7:30 p.m. • WC Auditorium • Bring the whole family and invite your friends for a ton of Christmas fun! See the Christmas story come to life through live music and drama. Doors will open 30 minutes prior to the program, so come early to enjoy jazz music, a photo booth, and complimentary coffee. Tickets are general admission and cost just \$5. To learn more and purchase tickets, visit GracePolaris.org/Christmas or text “Christmas” to 614-888-7733.

WITNESS

- Who are the people in your sphere of influence you’re praying will come to know Jesus or are seeking to share the Gospel with?
- Share any progress/updates. Pray together for God to use you and your Grace Group to influence these people for Jesus.

EXPLORE

- 1 What idea or point of application resonated with you from the sermon?
- 2 According to verses 1–5, what does integrity mean and how did Samuel display integrity? What are ways we can apply Samuel’s kind of integrity to our own lives?
- 3 What are some concepts and/or phrases in this text that remind us of our primary call as God’s people? How does this primary call inform our perspective and actions in the face of current events and an ever-changing society?
- 4 How does verse 22 give you hope, especially in personal failure? What does this verse teach us about God’s character?
- 5 Read verse 24. What is the importance of remembering? Take some time to consider and remember together the great things the Lord has done for you.

PRAY

Thank the Lord for the great things He has done for you and for His people. Pray that God would always help you remember, and that by remembering, He would strengthen your faith in Him.