### Order of Worship for the Home - The Week of November 20, 2016

### **Praise**

### **Call to Worship** (everyone together)

I will give thanks to the LORD with my whole heart; I will recount all of Your wonderful deeds. I will be glad and exult in You; I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High.

"Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" (read or sing these words together)

Come, ye thankful people, come, raise the song of harvest home: All is safely gathered in, ere the winter storms begin; God, our Maker, doth provide for our wants to be supplied: Come to God's own temple, come, raise the song of harvest home.

## Hearing and Learning God's Word

Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 2.10; Hosea 1.1-11-2.1 (one person read the Scripture aloud)

**Questions for Discussion** (may be answered in one worship time or spread over several times)

- 1. What does it mean to be thankful? Why are we sometimes unthankful?
- 2. How do we know that God loves us?
- 3. What is God's punishment for Sin?
- 4. What did Jesus do for us on the Cross? Why should we be thankful for Jesus?

### Questions for older children

- 1. What does gratitude have to do with remembering God's goodness?
- 2. How is God's relationship with us like the relationship between a husband and a wife?
- 3. How has the Gospel of Jesus Christ made us God's people?
- 4. What does gratitude have to do with Grace?

**Scripture Memory for November:** (memorize these verses of Scripture this month)

1 Peter 2.2

Like newborn infants, long for the pure spiritual milk, that by it you may grow up into salvation.

# **Prayer**

### **Prayer** (saying together)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.