<u>Understanding the Power of Thanksgiving – Part 3</u> <u>A Message Delivered by Pastor Promise Omidiora</u> at the Chapel Service, Thursday, April 19, 2018

A great coach does not make a great player, but each player must take responsibility for his or her greatness. There are things that will not answer to us in prayers but will answer to us in thanksgiving. When you do God's will He brings your own will to pass. When thanksgiving comes from man, God delights in it (Psalm 22:3). God lives inside our praise.

When God comes down every opposition bows and every mountain is levelled. Our expectations from God is enough reason to give Him thanks. When we give Him thanks, we draw the breakthroughs that are ahead of us closer (Luke 17:11-17).

The testimonies we share are not 10 percent of what God is doing for us. How can you be cautious of giving a testimony of what God has done for you? Lack of gratitude is dangerous because when we lack gratitude we also lack altitude. Thanksgiving leads to wholeness. You have some results so, why don't you give God thanks instead of complaining.

Whatever you don't thank God for, does not multiply, but anything you thank Him for, multiplies. When you give thanks, His blessings are preserved in your life.

What Should We Thank God For?

We thank Him for His wondrous works in our lives. We need to lay it to heart to give thanks to God for every waking day of our lives. Sometimes when things seems not to work the way we want, why don't we give God thanks instead of murmuring. God knows what He just averted in your life. Thanksgivers are always resourceful and always have answers. Thanksgiving brings our heart's desires closer to us. May thanksgiving never cease from our mouths in Jesus Name!

The Danger of Ingratitude

If God works against a man, nothing can work in his favour forever. It is grievous not to give thanks. Let us make thanksgiving a lifestyle (Psalm 78:42; Psalm 28:5).