Thankful to be Content

1 MONDAY
Read Philippians 4:11-13

Circle the correct sentence.

Paul had learned to be content in any situation he was in.

Paul was only content when he was full and had plenty.

2 TUESDAY
Read 1 Timothy 6:6-10

WORD BANK:
brought, faith, evil, money, satisfied, serving

It is true that _____ God makes a person very rich..

When we came into the world, we _____ nothing

If we have food and clothes, we should be _____.

The love of money causes all kinds of _____.

Some people have left the true _____ because they want to get more and more _____.

3 WEDNESDAY
Read Matthew 6:19-21

What is the difference between treasure on earth and treasure in Heaven?

Why does our treasure reflect our heart or desires?

Family Theme:
Content in Christ

4 THURSDAY
Read Hebrews 13:5-6

How should our actions show others our dependence on God?

5 FRIDAY
Read Acts 18:1-3 and 2 Chronicles 9:13, 17-22.

How do these verses describe how Paul lived?

How do these verses describe how Solomon lived?

WEEKEND

When our words and actions are centered on material things instead of God, we will always be disappointed and empty. Things may bring us happiness for a short time, but true joy can only be found when we seek contentment in Christ. Paul knew this and he tells us that even when he had very little, he was content. When he was in prison, he relied on God to take care of his needs, and when he had plenty, his contentment was still found in Christ.

Things, in and of themselves, aren't wrong, but we must be careful they aren't of greater importance than our relationship with Jesus.

Application Verse:
Colossians 3:17