



**Lent Series: Blessed Hunger, Holy Feast**

**“God Pours out life-giving drink”**

**This Morning’s Message**

***“Hope & Grace Poured Out”***

**1 Peter 3:8-22**



# What are the benefits/blessings of being a baptized follower of Jesus Christ?

- ✓ Salvation and Freedom in Jesus.
  - ✓ Life Giving water to refresh your spirit.
  - ✓ Grace and Mercy to cover your guilt.
  - ✓ Hope for this life and for eternity.
  - ✓ Help in difficult times.
  - ✓ Comfort and Strength in times of need.
  - ✓ God's Word to guide us and sustain us.
- ..... the list goes on an on

# Benefits & Blessings from 1 Peter 3

- *Live in love for others*
- *Develop humility*
- *Grow in compassion*
- *Extend grace to others*
- *Bless others instead of curse*
- *Clear conscience before God*
- *Saved by the grace of Jesus*

# 1 Peter 3:20-21

...in the days of Noah while the ark was being built. In it only a few people, eight in all, were saved through water, and this water symbolizes baptism that now saves you also, not the removal of dirt from the body but the pledge of a clear conscience toward God.

It saves you by the resurrection of Jesus Christ...”

FAITH IN JESUS

RECEIVE IT!

APPLY IT!

LIVE IN IT!

*Stop living in the past when Jesus  
provides you a better future!*

*How can I overcome  
the trials of life?*

*On my own? No!*

*With the help of Jesus? Yes!*

# 1 Peter 3:15-16

But in your hearts revere Christ as Lord. Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have.

But do this with gentleness and respect, keeping a clear conscience, so that those who speak maliciously against your good behavior in Christ may be ashamed of their slander.

If you take hold of the love of God,  
the grace of Jesus, and the hope it  
provides, you will realize the benefits  
and blessings of being saved!

Hope and Grace will be poured into  
your life like an unending  
life-giving spring!