

GIFT Worship Note 2023-24

Name _____ Date _____

Who is sitting near you? (beyond you, in front of you, down the pew)

What is the season of the church year? *(hint: look at the altar)* _____

The color of the church year? *(hint: look at the altar)* _____



What are your highs/lows? _____

What about someone sitting near you (outside of family)?



Which Bible reading(s) did you hear about in the sermon?

(Hint: The preacher may not preach on every reading that was read. Listen carefully to hear which readings are referenced)



In a “nutshell,” what would you say was the main point of the sermon? _____

What “good news” did you hear for yourself? For others? For the world? _____

How did the sermon connect with you or what’s going on in the world? _____

What's one thing from the sermon/readings that you'll take with you this week to continue thinking about? _____



Listen to the prayers of intercession. Write one petition that spoke to you that you want to carry with you in the coming week.

Think about your life and the lives of those close to you. Write a prayer request that you covenant to pray about this week.

Take a picture of this side of the paper as a reminder of what you have committed to pray for this coming week. Know that your home pastor will also be praying for these two things this week with you!



Find someone (not family) before/after worship to offer a blessing. Ask to make the sign of the cross on the other person's forehead or place your hand on their shoulder. Use one of these blessings or make up your own! After you have blessed another person, ask if

they would be willing to do the same for you. Write the name of the person that you blessed on the line below. Let's see how we can bless each other in the body of Christ each week!

Possible blessings:

- (Name), child of God, may the truth of God's Word bring you hope this week. Amen.
- (Name), child of God, may you rest in the promise of God's love for you and for the world. Amen.
- (Name), child of God, may the Lord bless you and keep you, may the Lord's face shine on you with grace and mercy, may the Lord look upon you with favor and give you peace. Amen.

Name of your "blessing" partner:
