Hands of Praise Deaf Church

Pastor Ken Ecker • Pastor Bonnie Elliott 5236 East B Street • Tacoma, WA • 98404 • VP 253 444 9650 pastor@handsofpraise.org • www.handsofpraise.org • text 253 686 1789

- You can give an offering online on our website or mail it to our church address
- Bible study Tuesday, 6:30pm on Zoom
 - To join the study email pastor@handsofpraise.org
- Games & Fellowship after church today
- Ladies Bible study Wednesday, November 13 & 27, 6:30pm
 - o To join the study email bonnie@handsofpraise.org
- Thanksgiving potluck Saturday, November 23 noon 5pm

November 10, 2024 One Thing

One thing I do:

Philippians 3:13-14 Brothers and sisters, I know that I have not yet reached that goal, but there is one thing I always do. Forgetting the past and straining toward what is ahead, ¹⁴ I keep trying to reach the goal and get the prize for which God called me through Christ to the life above.

One thing is important:

Luke 10: 39-42 Martha had a sister named Mary, who was sitting at Jesus' feet and listening to him teach. ⁴⁰ But Martha was busy with all the work to be done. She went in and said, "Lord, don't you care that my sister has left me alone to do all the work? Tell her to help me." ⁴¹ But the Lord answered her, "Martha, Martha, you are worried and upset about many things. ⁴² Only one thing is important. Mary has chosen the better thing, and it will never be taken away from her."

One thing I seek:

Psalm 27:4 One thing I ask from the Lord, this only do I seek: that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life, to gaze on the beauty of the Lord and to seek him in his temple.

One thing I lack:

Luke 18:22-23 When Jesus heard this, he said to him, "You still lack one thing. Sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me." ²³ When he heard this, he became very sad, because he was very wealthy.

One thing I hope:

Lamentations 3:21-24 Yet hope returns when I remember this one thing: ²² The Lord's unfailing love and mercy still continue, ²³ Fresh as the morning, as sure as the sunrise. ²⁴ The Lord is all I have, and so in him I put my hope.