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Choices: Corruption Turned to Reward

As believers, we view our resources differently than the world. The way we steward what we have reflects our faith - it reveals what we value. Jesus said, "Where your money is, there your heart will be also," Luke 12:34. As a church, we want to be a people who give courageously, storing up for ourselves treasure in heaven because we have faith in the One who provides and gives generously to us.

1. What does it look like for us to steward our resources in such a way that it benefits us in the kingdom of heaven, and not necessarily here on earth?
2. Does my budget reflect shrewdness about my specific circumstances and situation?
3. If you were to evaluate your budget by what you spend your money on, what would it say about what you value? Do you have a disproportionate attachment to this world based off of your budget?
4. When was the last time you were unable to rely on your resources to get you out of a situation? What did that reveal about your faith?
5. On the spectrum of giving, there are five types of people: Consumer, Casual, Reluctant, Intentional, and Courageous. Where do you find yourself on the spectrum, and what is your next step?