

# Message Based Questions – 10/20/19

## Balance Part 1

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- 1) What did you find challenging, helpful or troubling about the message?
- 2) If you could change one thing about your current financial situation, what would it be?
- 3) Do you agree with the idea that it might be impossible to be a committed follower of Jesus and be financially irresponsible?
- 4) What are some things that cause people to be out of balance with their finances?
- 5) Refer to Matthew 6:19-21. Can you share an example from your life or others when the priority was stuff? What does verse 21 mean?
- 6) See Luke 16:10-13. How can our possessions or money compete with our devotion to God? What can we do to counteract this pull?
- 7) How easy is it for you to trust God with your finances? What might you do differently if you were confident that God wanted the best for you in this area of your life?

***Application:***

1. Anything that God impressed on you from your group discussion.
2. Spy on your money for the next two weeks. Notice where it's going.
3. Pray for wisdom and a right perspective of our resources: God, they belong to You; they are not mine! God has given me these resources so may I steward them wisely!